TO: Essential/Emergency Services and News Media

FROM: Grand Traverse County Road Commission

DATE: June 22, 2016

SUBJECT: RADIO LINK TESTING FOR SOUTH AIRPORT ROAD TRAFFIC SIGNAL PROGRESSION

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WHAT: Contractor crews performing testing of radio transmission links.

ROADS: South Airport Road, Crossing Circle to Garfield Road and Keystone Road, Cass Road to Park Drive

TOWNSHIP: Garfield and East Bay Townships.

WHEN: Thursday, June 23, 2016 (TOMORROW), between 9 AM and 3 PM

WHY: Locations are being surveyed and tested for radio transmission locations as an early phase of electronic coordination of traffic signals to improve progression (traffic flow) along one of major corridors.

IMPACT TO TRAFFIC: Aerial boom trucks will be traveling along the length of South Airport Road and Keystone Road between the roads noted above.

Motorists may incur slight delays as the boom truck operators conduct field testing along the shoulder areas adjacent to the traffic signals along the signal corridors.

NOTE TO MEDIA As you have time to take advantage of photo opportunities associated with this work, call the Road Commission office for more precise site locations.

Traffic fines are doubled in work areas. Motorists are asked to slow down and give our road workers a brake.

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