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***Dear Residents,***

***Thank you for your patience and understanding with our construction***

In August, we announced that the Memorial Bridge Reconstruction Project would not be opened in time for the first day of school on Monday, August 22nd. This was very disappointing and a very hard message to share with you. I wanted you to know that there were several items that contributed to the delay including the weather that we experienced right after closing the bridge and into the month of May as well as the rains we have had this past week. In addition, the contractor experienced problems with their sub-contractor and had to replace the demolition sub-contractor. This is a TxDOT funded and managed project which results in the City having no control in the actual management of the project. Our focus has been to manage the message which has not been a pleasant part of the project.

I am happy to report that the project is progressing much better and is expected to be completed and opened for vehicular traffic in late September. Progress includes:

- The northern pedestrian bridge is open daily for school traffic. *We certainly appreciate Frostwood Elementary/Spring Branch ISD and the Memorial Forest Club for their understanding.*
- All concrete has been poured including the bridge deck, the approaches, the railings and the sidewalk.
- Working remaining includes reconstructing the base and the asphalt overlay plus overall clean up and restoration.

I know this project has been a huge inconvenience for many of our residents and I offer my sincere apology for not only the inconvenience but also the delay. Please know that the City continues to push TxDOT and the Contractor forward (as much as we can) to completion as soon as possible.

Thank you,

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