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## **MEMORANDUM**

January 16, 2019

To:

Sheila Jones, Supervisor, District I Trey Baxter, Supervisor, District II Gerald Steen, Supervisor, District III David Bishop, Supervisor, District IV Paul Griffin, Supervisor, District V

From:

Dan Gaillet, P.E. County Engineer

Re:

Sink Hole

147 Creekside Drive Harvey Crossing

A sink hole has formed due to the failure of a pipe that carries roadway storm water from Creekside Drive, along private property at 147 Creekside Drive.

The Engineering Department has determined that the pipes have separated which is causing a dangerous sink hole.

It is the recommendation of the Engineering Department that the Board authorize repairs to ensure that storm water is moved from point-to-point to prevent damage to the roadway and further damage to the storm water system.

Therefore, it is in the best interest of the County and the public's health, safety and welfare to make the repairs, based on:

- Separated storm water pipes;
- A sink hole has formed over the failed pipe.

## SINKHOLE FLOW CHART

LOCATION: Fix Sinkhole. Approximate Is sinkhole within County ROW? Yes Is the sinkhole due to Repair Date \_\_\_\_\_ Yes . failure of stormwater system? Date \_\_\_\_\_ No Determine problem, Is the sinkhole a threat who is responsible, County is not authorized to remove or replace to public streets or and handle damaged drainage infrastructure on private property? accordingly. landowners lot nor restore the property to its No prior condition. MS AG OP., Adams (March 4, 2011) Yes MS AG OP., Carnathan (February 16, 2010) No Date \_\_\_\_\_ Would repair of sinkhole benefit the public welfare as a whole and not individual land owner(s)? Yes Make factual determination of correction Has factual determination been made as to action with estimate costs (with pictures). No the repair of sinkhole (with pictures). Sign \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Yes -No Acquire temporary construction easement Is the failure within an existing easement? (to be submitted to Board) Yes Present to Board on \_\_\_\_\_ No Has Board been presented that such work and/or Date expenses (and temporary easement) are necessary in order to promote the public health, safety and welfare of the County? Yes Issue PO or Work Order Yes **Board Approval** No Inform property owner Inform property owner that repair shall be made: Sign \_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ (approx. date)



