

Weekly Operations Update

Van Buren County Road Commission

Week of March 2, 2020

Maintenance Operations

- Tree trimming/removals – service requests county-wide (weather dependent).
- Potholes- county wide.
- Gravel roads- scraping dependent on weather

Engineering

- CR374 from Red Arrow Highway to 45th Street, Lawrence/Paw Paw Townships; trees completed, burning brush continues.
- 80th Avenue from M40 to 29th Street, Porter Township; contractor has begun tree clearing work. (see picture below)
- Preventative Maintenance scheduled for 10 bridges in 2020. **TENTATIVE** start dates were sent last week. Signs have been posted for the bridge on Red Arrow Highway over Pine Creek in Hartford Township. Work begins this week.

Miscellaneous

- On March 10th voters will make decisions on several different ballot proposals, including the proposed road millage.
- Seasonal Weight Restrictions commonly called “Frost Laws” have NOT gone into effect. Weather conditions are monitored and the restrictions will be announced if necessary. Information on surrounding counties can be found on the County Road Association of Michigan website at <https://micountyroads.org/business/seasonal-weight-restrictions/>



80th Ave, Porter Township-Contractor tree work