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**CLOUGH PIKE WIDENING WORK CONTINUES WITH TEMPORARY CLOSURE ON EDINBURGH DRIVE**  
**Road closure is scheduled from November 22 through December 6**

Batavia, OH – The Clermont County Engineer’s Office today announced that Edinburgh Drive will be closed for two weeks – from Friday, November 22, through Friday, December 6. A detour of approximately two miles will be in place, and will be marked clearly by signage in the area. The purpose of the closure is to allow for the widening of Clough Pike and the reconstruction of the intersection of Clough Pike and Edinburgh Drive. Clough Pike will remain one-way westbound from Terrace Drive to Mt. Carmel Tobasco Road during this time.

The Engineer’s Office also announced the work taking place at Terrace Drive that necessitated a brief closure there has been completed and traffic will reopen as scheduled on Friday, November 22.

The temporary closure of the eastbound lane on Clough Pike from Mt. Carmel Tobasco Road to Ivy Pointe remains in place through the end of the year.

These traffic pattern changes and the related improvements are part of the Clough Pike Widening Project. The Clough Pike project will add a third travel lane along a 1.3 mile section of Clough Pike, between Mt. Carmel Tobasco Road and Glen Este-Withamsville Road. A center turn lane will be added, as well as a sidewalk along the north side of the road. Upgrades will be made to nearby traffic signals, and drainage improvements will also be completed along the project corridor.

The Clough Pike Widening Project will reduce congestion, and improve safety for drivers. A new sidewalk will provide better pedestrian access to schools, churches, parks and other destinations in the area. All work is scheduled to be completed by the end of 2014. More information about the current closures and related detours can be found at [GoClermont.org](http://GoClermont.org).

The Clough Pike Widening Project is being managed by the Clermont County Transportation Improvement District, with support from the Clermont County Engineer’s Office.

***About the Clermont County Transportation Improvement District***

*The Clermont County Transportation Improvement District (CCTID) works across geographic and political lines to improve the quality of life for Clermont County residents by stimulating economic development through regional transportation improvements. The five-member board is made up of representatives from the Clermont County Engineer’s Office, the Clermont County Chamber of Commerce, the City of Milford, and Miami and Union Townships.*

*The CCTID is currently working on more than a dozen roadway improvements that will increase safety, support better traffic flow through the area, and provide the infrastructure for continued economic development throughout the county. More information about the CCTID and their project work can be found on-line at: [GoClermont.org](http://GoClermont.org).*

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