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**PRESS RELEASE: Thain Road, Powers Ave, 14th St Roundabout Construction
CONSTRUCTION COORDINATION CLOSURE MAY 3RD**

LEWISTON – Construction at the intersection of Thain Road, Powers Ave, and 14th Street requires a full intersection closure on Wednesday May 3, 2017. Crea Construction of Lewiston, the City's contractor for construction of a roundabout at the intersection, has been coordinating with local utility providers including Lewiston Orchards Irrigation District (LOID). LOID is working on a separate project in the vicinity to replacing a large diameter irrigation main. LOID has scheduled their traffic control contractor to close the intersection at Thain Road, 14th Street, and Powers Ave to allow their crew to complete the installation of new irrigation main across the intersection. While the intersection is closed Crea Construction will complete storm water pipe installation across the intersection and Avista, CableOne, and CenturyLink will complete their respective utility relocations to accommodate the new roundabout.

Those traveling the area on Wednesday May 3, 2017 will be detoured around the intersection. As with all construction, unforeseen conditions could alter our well-intended notification plan and the construction schedule. If that happens, we ask for your cooperation and patience. We understand this will be an inconvenience for all of us and will do what we can to lessen the inconvenience.

This project is currently scheduled to be constructed in 4 phases. Phase 2 is planned to begin the week of May 8th. Phase 2 will have construction on the west side of the intersection. Traffic will be revised to travel on the east side of the intersection with the west leg of Powers Ave closed at Thain Road. Phase 3 will place traffic on the west side of the intersection while construction of the east side of the roundabout takes place. During this phase traffic will travel on portions of the new roadway and the east leg of Powers Ave will not be accessible from Thain Rd. Phase 4 will see the final construction of the center of the roundabout and splitter islands. Detours around the work areas will be necessary at times to complete final construction activities. Closures will be allowed for the shortest durations possible to complete the work. Local access to businesses and residential properties will be provided.

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