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Commission to Hear First Reading on Next Phase of Belmont Paving Project

SPRINGFIELD, OH (Jan. 14, 2019) — Springfield City Commission will hear a first reading of legislation for the Belmont Avenue Reconstruction, Phase 2 project in its next regular meeting Tuesday, Jan. 15.

Construction is scheduled this summer for Belmont Avenue between Mitchell Boulevard and Home Road. Last month, work began on that stretch of roadway during which workers removed trees to make way for the road reconstruction.

Tuesday's night's first reading has to do with reimbursement from the State of Ohio.

"This gives us the opportunity to seek reimbursement from the Ohio Department of Transportation for our construction inspection that the Engineering Department performs for the project," said Leo Shanayda, Springfield City Engineer.

Commissioners will cast their votes on the measure during its next regular meeting Jan. 29.

AT&T and Ohio Edison are scheduled to start relocating their utilities at the end of the month, said Shanayda. Work on the reconstruction is scheduled to begin this July.