

Lake County ILLINOIS

Road Improvement Referendum

April 5, 2005

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**36 Miles of Road
Widening**
Reduce Bottlenecks

**33 Improved
Intersections**
Reduce Backups

**109 Traffic Signal
Synchronizations**
Get More Greens

This road improvement referendum would fund traffic congestion relief throughout Lake County. If implemented, the county sales tax would increase by $\frac{1}{2}$ cent for each dollar spent. Groceries and prescription medications would be exempt. The additional funding would be used to improve traffic flow and reduce congestion through road widening, intersection improvements and traffic signal synchronization on state, county and local roads.

The [referendum question](#) will be on the Tuesday, April 5th ballot.

- For every \$1 [spent](#), you would pay $\frac{1}{2}$ cent more in sales tax
- [Does not apply](#) to groceries or prescription medications
- Will support a [program](#) of about \$481 million in transportation improvements over the first ten years
- A significant portion will be [bonded](#) so significant roadwork will begin quickly
- A detailed [Road Improvement Program](#) identifies each specific project that will be funded
- Transportation [improvements](#) will be done throughout Lake County on state, county and local roads

Lake County Road Improvement Program



Community Meetings

April 5

ELECTION DAY