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Dear Friends & Fellow Residents:

September 14, 2011

I hope everyone has fully recovered from Hurricane Irene and the following storm that dropped historic quantities of rain on New Hartford. While CL&P has restored electrical service and our Highway Crew continue to return our unpaved roads to form, two of our roads remain in need of some repair: Whitbeck Road and Stedman Road. Whitbeck Road, between Barberry Drive and Ramstein Road, experienced a complete washout in the area where the Leadmine Brook crosses under the road.



The pipe carrying water under the road overflowed, backed up over the roadway and eroded the newly paved asphalt and a significant quantity of the road base. I have consulted with our Town engineers at Lenard Engineering, Inc., who are evaluating the cross pipe's capacity and will make a recommendation shortly on how to proceed. Once recommended improvements are completed, this area of the road will be professionally paved again to restore its like new condition. Until the project is complete, I ask that everyone drive safely in this construction zone.

I ask for your patience as we try to research a practical solution to this problem. If you have any questions or concerns about the roadway, please don't hesitate to call me at Town Hall at 860-379-3389.

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Many thanks.

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