

## **Town of Yorktown**

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Tree Removal

As we near the construction of the trail along River Rd from Nebo to Morrison, we need to have the trees in the Right of Way removed prior to April 1<sup>st</sup> as that is when the State of Indiana requires all trees are removed without additional studies regarding the Indiana Brown Bat.

The project doesn't go through its INDOT letting until March, which will not allow enough time to enact a contract (takes approx. 45 days) and allow the contractor to remove the trees without doing additional studies at some additional costs, therefore it is better if we as the Town contract for this outside of the project scope.

The bids for this removal are due on Tuesday and I will present to you the lowest and best bidder for the project.

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