



25TH AVENUE BLACK OAK STORM WATER INTERCEPTOR

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
Chicago District



Legend

- Manholes
- Inlets
- Storm Sewer
- Roadway Improvement



PROJECT PURPOSE

The project's purpose is to improve reliability and increase capacity of the storm sewer system of the City of Gary in Lake County, Indiana. The existing Gary storm sewer system is in need of maintenance and not properly designed for typical rainfall events; without improvements and increased capacity, stormwater will further exceed the system's capacity, causing flooding in residential areas.

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

The proposed project consists of construction of new stormwater sewers. Drainage from these new stormwater systems will connect to existing systems which have been sized to include the new capacity. Federal funds will be used for construction.

- Installation of approximately 1500 LF of 30" storm sewer, inlets and catch basins.
- Full reconstruction of 25th Avenue between Sherman and Fairbanks Street
- Full reconstruction of Fairbanks Street between 25th Ave and I-80/94.

Contract was awarded 29 September 2009. Construction substantially complete October 22, 2010.

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