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NOVEMBER 8, 2023

To: Lodi Residents on Trudy Drive and Hancock Street
Subject: Soil Removal at Trudy Drive and Hancock Street, Lodi, NJ

This letter updates an April 27, 2022 letter to you regarding ongoing soil remediation in Lodi by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. That letter noted that soil remediation work at the intersection of Trudy Drive and Hancock Street would be suspended in early May 2022, followed by temporary restoration of the area. Those actions did occur, and we are now planning to resume the remediation on or about November 20, 2023. The first activity will be removal of contaminated soil around a utility pole on the south side of Trudy Drive, east of Hancock Street; followed by excavations around utility lines in the middle of Trudy Drive where the prior excavations left off. As in the past, Lodi police officers will be posted to manage traffic and parking impacts. Any residents whose properties may be directly affected by our work will be contacted in advance to ensure that their property will be protected. The street and any affected properties will be fully restored at the completion of our remedial activities.

As stated in the April 27 letter, the work we are doing in Lodi is progressing steadily but slowly. One of the primary reasons is our commitment to safety: our teams must hand-dig around utilities to protect their integrity while maintaining those services to residences and businesses. In addition, there are restrictions as to how large an area we can excavate at any given time, and we are often required to backfill with clean fill at the end of each workday in order to maintain traffic and driveway access. This material then must be removed at the start of the next workday, reducing the pace of our work.

I recognize the impact of our work on the community, but I can assure you the project team is constantly evaluating ways to reduce these impacts while maintaining a safe working environment. We thank you for your patience and look forward to completing our work in Lodi. Please feel free to reach out to me at 917-790-8332, or you can contact Mr. Bill Kollar, our project Community Relations Manager, at 551-999-5891 with any questions you may have.

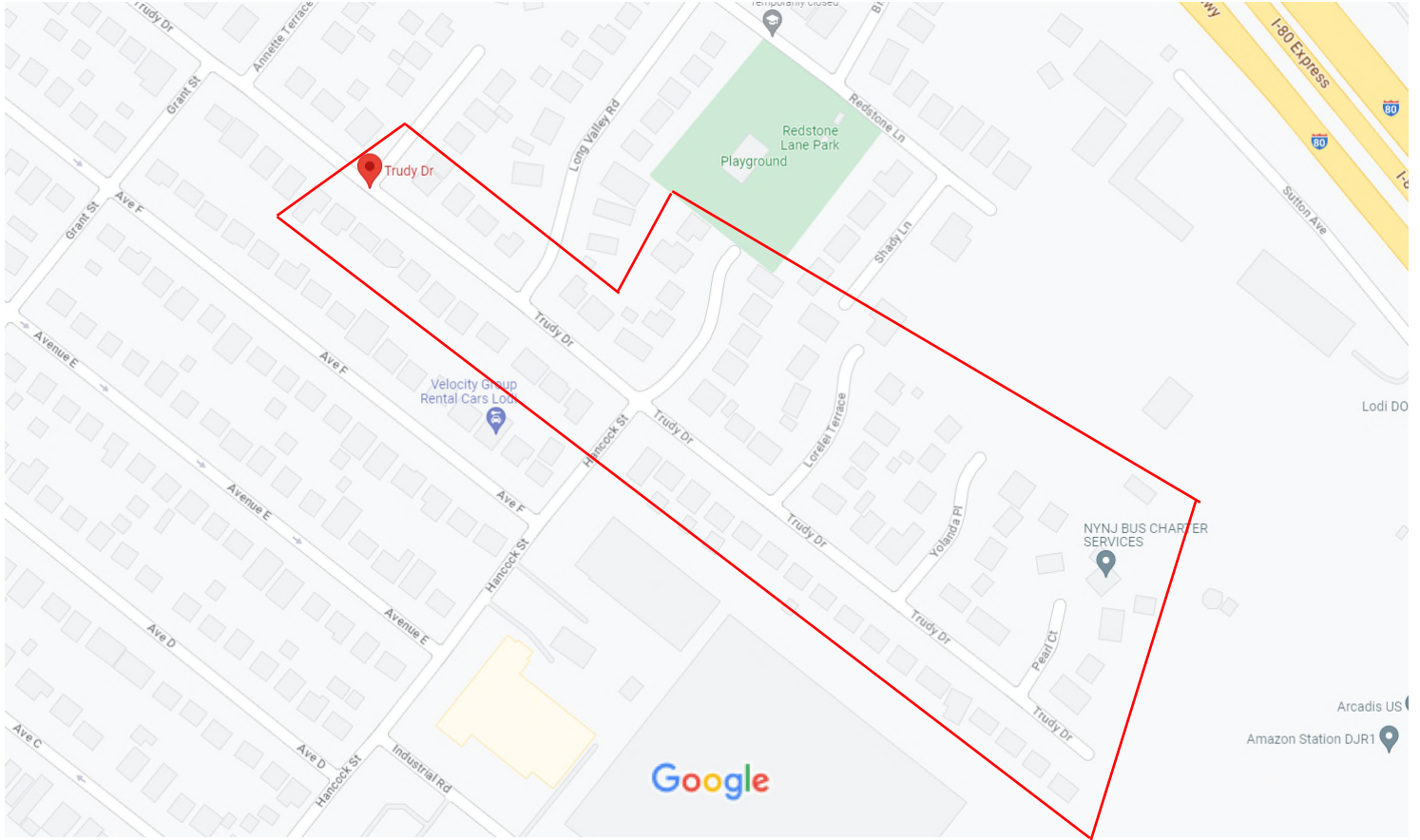
Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Helen Edge". The signature is written in a cursive style.

Helen Edge
Project Manager
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11-10-23 Trudy Drive RPI Update Distribution

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