

September 12, 2013

Mr. Brian Kischnick
City Manager
City of Troy, Mi

Letter of Appreciation

Dear Mr. Kischnick,

On behalf of my neighbors, the City and its contractor, J.H. Hart, are to be commended for their timely and effective response to the storms of September 11. Our sub-division, Troy Estates, north of Big Beaver and west of Coolidge was hit very hard with almost 1 in 3 homes having significant damage mostly to large trees on the easement that blocked many streets. We have been in our home since 1988 and have never been hit by such a storm with this much damage.

But within two hours of the storms passing, J.H. Hart crews were on site making the streets passable. And by the next afternoon the crews returned to begin debris removal.

If the expense to the City for unforeseen events such as this is paid for out of fund balance, it is a wise decision to keep a significant fund balance in the budget that allows for a quick recovery that adds to the value of living in Troy.

Sincerely,

Irv Wengrow
Boulder Dr.