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***For Immediate Release*****Construction on Warner Avenue between 11<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Street Scheduled through July 2019**

LEWISTON, Idaho (May 21, 2019) – The City of Lewiston, Lewis-Clark State College, and the Lewiston Independent School District will fund and execute the widening of Warner Avenue between 11<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets this year. In addition, the intersection of 12<sup>th</sup> Street and Warner Avenue will be improved with a “mini” roundabout to improve traffic flow for the development north of Warner Avenue. Crews will set up traffic control equipment and start a detour as early as Wednesday, May 22, 2019.

Construction on Warner Avenue is anticipated to be complete by late July 2019. Work on other portions of the project will be complete late 2019.

Ultimately, Warner Avenue will include one travel lane in each direction, a center-turn lane, and pathway or sidewalk on the North side. Eastbound traffic on Warner Avenue will be routed along a temporary road around the 12<sup>th</sup> Street intersection, and westbound traffic on Warner Avenue will be detoured at 14<sup>th</sup> Street to Burrell Avenue.

Nearby residents and businesses will experience occasional noise and vibration during working hours, and pedestrian access through the work zone will be restricted. Driveway and business access will be limited at times; the project team will work with property owners to maintain one open access at all times.

Contact the project team with questions or comments or sign up for construction updates by calling 509-254-6011.