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Daemen College
Faculty, Staff, and Students

Dear Colleagues,

I hope you are having a productive and enjoyable summer. I am writing with an important update.

As you know, the campus beautification program is in full swing. The benches are here and will be placed soon. Phase two of the One-Hundred Tree Challenge has begun, so remember to reserve a tree or bench while the reservation process is open. You may have noticed that we are substantially upgrading our landscaping, planting many new plants and flowers, pruning existing landscaping, and mulching liberally. And you may have also noticed that we have removed countless unneeded signs from the campus roadway system.

Part of the beautification program is a three-year plan to re-surface and re-stripe the campus' entire roadway and parking lot system. We will begin by resurfacing from the main entrance up to Canavan Hall and from the Curtis Hall Getzville entrance up to Canavan. This will include all the parking lots in that quadrant, including the lot in front of Thomas Reynolds and the side of Canavan, the circle off of the entrance in front of the VPAC, and in front of Canavan where the new curbs were recently installed.

In order to accomplish this project, we will need to **prohibit all traffic and parking** on that section of campus for a two-day period: **Tuesday, August 26 and Wednesday, the 27th**. Please do not park or drive in that area beginning at the close of business on Monday until Thursday morning. To be clear: this means that the main entrance and the Curtis Hall Getzville entrance will not be accessible during that period.

I realize that this is an inconvenience, but I think you will be happy with the results.

Cordially,

Gary A. Olson
President