

Hello!

We are excited to officially announce the transition from Laporte's Driving School to The Next Street. Over the past few months, we have been working closely with Robin and the staff at Laporte's to make this transition as seamless as possible. We understand the history and reputation that Laporte's has within the community, and we will uphold that by providing an even more outstanding driver's ed experience. We want to assure you that this changeover will not impact your driver's education program!

On February 16<sup>th</sup>, LaPorte's will become The Next Street. This means that we will be cutting over to our technology systems and business practices.

Please expect to receive a number of emails as we import you into The Next Street's systems. As you become a student at The Next Street, you will gain access to our Student Portal. With this online tool you can view, change, and schedule any classroom sessions and driving lesson appointments. Through this portal, we will capture your attendance, driving assessments, and final test score. You can purchase new services (like our very popular Driving Tests!) and find the driving resources you need to be road test ready. Your login credentials will be sent to you on February 14<sup>th</sup>. At that time, you'll be able to login and begin managing your Next Street program. Don't worry! All of the classes and lessons you have taken with LaPorte's will carry over. You will not need to retake anything you've already completed and whatever time you have outstanding will be fulfilled by The Next Street.

You will also have access to our Support Center 9-4pm. Our Licensing Guides will be able to help you with scheduling, purchasing and more! Don't hesitate to contact us via phone or e-mail and we'll be happy to help you on your road to your license. For more information about The Next Street, visit us online at <https://ma.thenextstreet.com/>.

Please note that beginning on February 15<sup>th</sup>, home pick up and drop off for driving lessons will no longer be offered. All driving lessons will be pick up and drop off at our official locations only. Student and parent safety is our top concern while you are at our school. We have been in the driver's ed business for more than 15 years and in our experience, home pick up and drop off has a substantial negative impact on our ability to safely deliver our curriculum.

The wonderful staff at LaPorte's is coming on board at The Next Street! Our instructors and staff will make it easy for you to get a license by providing an outstanding experience. We are excited to welcome you all onboard.

Thank you for your patience and understanding over this transition period.

-The Next Street