

Public Notice

Extensive Water Main Replacement Project Underway

As part of its continuing Capital Improvement Program, the Water Authority of Great Neck North will begin a major water main replacement and hydrant change out project on April 9, weather permitting, to improve its ability to provide an adequate supply during peak demands and improve fire flows to the hydrants. The project is expected to last for approximately seven months, pending weather conditions.

New water mains will be installed on:

- Cedar Drive - from Shore Road to Bayview Avenue
- Ridge Drive East - from Hickory Drive to Ridge Drive West
- Ridge Drive West - from Stewart Drive to Hickory Drive
- South Circle - from Shore Drive to South Circle
- Shore Drive - from Cedar Drive to the end
- Clover Drive - from Middle Neck Road to Hilltop Drive East
- Orchard Road - from Woodland to Brookbridge
- Country Place - from Brookbridge to Parkside
- Robin Way - from Woodland to County Place
- Parkside Drive - from Woodland to Old Mill Road
- Brookbridge - from Woodland to Old Mill Road
- Ash Place and Willow Place - entire road

All water services will be replaced from the new water mains to the property lines. The new replacement hydrants will be equipped with additional fire flow capabilities, thus increasing fire protection.

To expedite completion of the water main installations, some roads may be closed off to traffic in small sections (intersection to intersection). Traffic control will be provided by the Authority's contractor through the use of signage and flagmen. Detours and changes of traffic flow will be professionally designed and managed.

The Authority has coordinated closely with its consulting engineer and contractor to ensure that construction is undertaken with the least amount of disruption to adjoining properties, the traveling public, and to provide timely responsive communication and outreach throughout the project. The Villages, Fire Departments and Police Departments will be updated continuously with current road closures and detours.

From time to time, water will need to be shut off for short periods to the streets listed above and adjacent connecting streets. When water flow is restored, it is not uncommon to temporarily experience brown water, which will flush itself out. To hasten its removal, turn on the cold water faucet only from the lowest point in the house, typically the basement or first floor, and let it run until the water runs clear (up to approximately 30 minutes). Notice will be given prior to any water being shut off, unless an unexpected emergency occurs. If driveways are to be blocked for a short period (2-4 hours), affected residents will receive prior notice, so they are able to move their vehicles.

We apologize for any inconvenience to our residents and will try to keep any disruption to traffic, water service or driveway access to a minimum. We are confident that the end result will be a significant improvement to our water system. Any resident with questions, concerns or special needs should contact the Authority at (516) 487-7973 extension 4. Thank you for your cooperation.



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