

20-Inch Pipeline Project Update

An information newsletter for residents, property owners and businesses

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Construction Begins!

The pipeline contractor has started construction. He is currently stockpiling materials and installing temporary fencing at various locations. He intends to lay the first section of water pipe at the Big Goose Water Treatment Plant on Friday, and continue installing water pipe to the east next week.

The subcontractor "boring" beneath the creek and highway has been on site for the past three weeks. The boring contractor is waiting for tools to complete the west bore. They are currently preparing the site for the bore beneath Big Goose Road, and intend to complete the east bore this weekend.

Construction Easements

The contractor is currently staking the proposed centerline of the pipe. After the centerline is staked, the contractor will stake the boundary of the permanent and temporary easement. Temporary fencing will be installed along the easement boundary after it has been staked.

Water Outages

The contractor is required to notify residents of planned water outages. In accordance with the construction contract, water outages will not exceed 6 hours per incident, and shall not occur more than two, separate occasions per water customer. Water outages shall not occur on the weekend, and shall not occur before 9:00 a.m. The contractor is required to notify affected water service customer 24-hours in advance of planned water outages. HKM has provided to the contractor contact information for water customers west of Beckton Hall Road from City of Sheridan billing records. If you live in this area, and currently receive SAWS-JPB water service, the contractor will be contacting you soon to provide details of the first scheduled water service outage necessary to perform the connection into the existing pipeline at the Big Goose Water Treatment Plant.

Schedule

The contractor will be installing PVC water pipe from the Big Goose Water Treatment Plant to the east. Once the steel pipeline is delivered to the site, the contractor will install the steel pipeline to the east of Beckton Hall Road. The contractor will be removing topsoil and vegetation and installing temporary fence along the easement boundary.

Once the new pipe is laid and backfilled, the contractor will coordinate with the City to flush, chlorinate, pressure test and collect bacteria samples for laboratory analysis and confirmation. Once the testing is completed and accepted, existing service lines will be removed from the old water pipe and connected to the new water pipe.

After service connections are performed, reclamation will start. Topsoil will be replaced, rocks removed, and the disturbed area re-seeded.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Questions or Concerns

For emergencies regarding water operations (no water, water line break, etc.) please contact the Sheridan Police Dispatch at 672-2413. The Sheridan Police Dispatch will then call-out the City Water Department to assess the water emergency. For all other emergencies, DIAL 911!

Contact Bruce Hicks, Dayton Alsaker, or Jeff Rosenlund at HKM Engineering at 672-9006.

Attend the weekly construction progress meetings held each Wednesday at 1:00 p.m. Next week's meeting will be held on Beckton Hall Road.

For additional project information, please refer to the Project website at: www.hkminc.com.



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