



**SPRINGFIELD WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION  
P.O. BOX 995, SPRINGFIELD, MA 01101**

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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

**Water and Sewer Pipe Replacement Projects and Traffic Information:  
Two locations in Springfield, MA – Sumner Avenue and Allen Street**

On behalf of the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, private contractors will replace sewer and water pipes at two separate locations in Springfield, on Sumner Avenue and Allen Street. Construction is scheduled to begin on Monday, April 21, 2014 and continue through the end of July 2014. Typical construction hours will be Monday through Friday from 7:00AM to 4:00PM.

**Sumner Avenue between Greenleaf Street and Oakland Street**

**TRAFFIC INFO:** Sumner Avenue will remain open to through traffic for the duration of this work, however, the 4 lane road will be reduced to 2 lanes (1 lane in each direction) and traffic delays are expected. Traffic will be managed with posted traffic signs and police details. Drivers are advised to seek alternate routes when possible.

**WORK BEING PERFORMED:** The proposed work consists of replacing approximately 1,150 feet of sewer main pipe, approximately 1,500 feet of water main pipe, and the fire hydrants within the project area.

**Allen Street from Allen Park Road to past Ramblewood Drive**

**TRAFFIC INFO:** Allen Street from Allen Park Road to approximately 200 feet past Ramblewood Drive will be reduced to a single lane with alternating traffic flow, and traffic delays are expected. Local traffic and public transportation in the project area will be managed with posted traffic signs and police details. An alternate route onto Cooley Street and Bicentennial Highway is recommended for through traffic.



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**WORK BEING PERFORMED:** The proposed work consists of replacing approximately 700 feet of sewer main pipe, approximately 700 feet of water main pipe, and the fire hydrants within the project area.

We appreciate the patience of drivers and residents while this work is being performed. Please contact the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission at 413-787-6206 with questions regarding these projects.

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