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**Water and Sewer Pipe Replacement Project and Traffic Information
Sherman Street and McKnight Street, Springfield, MA**

On behalf of the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, private contractors will replace sewer and water pipes within Sherman Street from Bay Street to McKnight Street, and within McKnight Street from Sherman Street to Bowles Street. Construction is scheduled to begin the week of April 13, 2015 and continue through the end of June 2015. Typical construction hours will be Monday through Friday from 7:00AM to 4:00PM.

Due to the nature of this work, changes to traffic patterns and traffic delays are expected. Sherman Street and McKnight Street will be reduced to a single lane with alternating traffic flow. Traffic will be managed with posted signs and police details. Drivers are encouraged to seek alternate routes when possible.

The proposed work consists of replacing approximately 1000 feet of water main pipe and approximately 1000 feet of sewer main pipe. Final paving and site restoration will be completed in the fall of 2015.

We appreciate the patience of drivers and residents while this work is being performed. Please contact the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission at 413-310-3501 with questions regarding this project.

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