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**Sewer Pipe Repair Project and Traffic Information**

**Intersection of Union Street and Eastern Avenue, Springfield, MA**

On behalf of the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, private contractors will repair sewer pipes within the intersection of Union Street and Eastern Avenue. This work is to take place in conjunction with a sewer pipe repair project that is currently ongoing at the intersection of Union Street and Hancock Street. Construction is scheduled to begin December 7, 2015 and continue for approximately two weeks. Final paving and site restoration will be completed in the spring of 2016. 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. From 7:00AM to 9:00AM and from 2:30PM to 4:00PM, Eastern Avenue at Union Street will be reduced to a single lane with alternating traffic flow. From 9:00AM to 2:30PM, Eastern Avenue from Monroe Street to Quincy Street as well as Union Street from Eastern Avenue to Hancock Street will be closed to through traffic, but will be accessible to local and emergency response traffic. Through traffic will be detoured onto adjacent streets. Traffic will be managed with posted signs and police details. Drivers are encouraged to seek alternate routes when possible.

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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