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**Water Pipe Improvement Project and Traffic Information
Pendleton Avenue, Springfield, MA**

On behalf of the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, private contractors will replace water pipes within Pendleton Avenue between Orleans Street and Hancock Street as part of this year's Infrastructure Improvements Project. Construction is scheduled to take place on Wednesday, September 7, 2016 from 7:00AM to 4:00PM.

Due to the nature of this work, changes to traffic patterns and traffic delays are expected. Pendleton Avenue from Orleans Street to Hancock Street will be closed to through traffic. Westbound traffic will be detoured onto King Street and Walnut Street. Eastbound traffic will be detoured onto Orleans Street and Tyler Street. Hancock Street at the intersection of Pendleton Avenue 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.

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.

About the Infrastructure Improvements Project:

The described work is part of this year's Infrastructure Improvements Project. On behalf of the Commission, private contractors will be performing water and sewer system upgrades at multiple



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locations within the City of Springfield. The project consists of replacing approximately 3,700 feet of sewer main pipe and approximately 7,400 feet of water main pipe, rehabilitation of approximately 6,300 feet of sewer main pipe, and replacement or rehabilitation of approximately 50 manholes. A map and list of all the locations where work will be performed may be found on our website:

<http://waterandsewer.org/current-projects/infrastructure-improvements-2/>.

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