



**SPRINGFIELD WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION  
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**Water Pipe Improvement Project and Traffic Information  
Tyler Street, Springfield, MA**

On behalf of the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, private contractors will continue work to replace water pipes within Tyler Street as part of this year's Infrastructure Improvements Project. This phase of construction includes Tyler Street between Hancock Street and Eastern Avenue. Construction is scheduled to begin on Tuesday, October 18, 2016 and continue for approximately two weeks. 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. Tyler Street from Hancock Street to Eastern Avenue will be closed to through traffic. Westbound traffic will be detoured onto Quincy Street. Eastbound traffic will be detoured onto Pendleton Avenue. Hancock Street at the intersection of Tyler 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.

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:**



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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 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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