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Pipe Improvement Project and Traffic Information

Union Street between Hancock Street and Eastern Avenue, Springfield, MA

On behalf of the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, private contractors will replace water pipes within Union Street between Hancock Street and Eastern Avenue. Construction is scheduled to begin June 30th, 2017 and continue through the 2017 construction season. Typical construction hours are Monday through Friday from 7:00AM to 4:00PM. **Please note that there will be no construction activity July 1st through July 4th.**

Due to the nature of this work, changes to traffic patterns and traffic delays are expected. Union Street between Hancock Street and Eastern Avenue will be closed to thru traffic during some phases of construction. Local traffic and access will be managed with posted signs and police details.

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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