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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## Sewer Pipe Improvement Project Main Street between Court Street and State Street, Springfield, MA

On behalf of the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, National Water Main Cleaning Company and N&M Excavating will perform sewer repairs and rehabilitation on Main Street between Court Street and State Street in Downtown Springfield. This work is expected to begin the week of January 23, 2023, and continue through March of 2023. Typical construction hours are Monday through Friday from 7:00AM to 4:00PM.

During construction hours, this section of Main Street, including the intersections at Court Street and State Street will require temporary lane shifts and lane closures. Street side parking will also be restricted during construction hours. Access to abutting businesses, public buildings, and Court Square will be maintained. Pedestrian and vehicular traffic will be managed with posted signs and police details.

Sewer pipes in this section of Main Street date back to 1881 and are being replaced as part of the Commission's collection system asset management and maintenance program. Rehabilitation of sewer infrastructure is prioritized as part of this cleaning and assessment program to proactively plan maintenance and construction projects.

The Commission appreciates the patience of residents, businesses, pedestrians, and drivers while this important work is performed. Please contact the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission at 413-310-3501 with any questions regarding this project.

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