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Sewer Improvements Project

On behalf of the Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, Baltazar Contractors, Inc. and Insituform will perform necessary sewer improvement repairs at various locations across Springfield. Construction is anticipated to begin Tuesday, September 8, 2026, and continue for several weeks.

Street Excavation and Sewer Pipe Repairs

Sewer pipe repairs requiring street excavation will take place on Princeton Street, Vassar Street, Mildred Avenue, and Federal Street. The project will kickoff on September 8 on Princeton Street and continue to the additional locations as work is completed through approximately September 25.

Typical work hours are 7 AM–4 PM, weather dependent. During excavation, detours will be in place, and traffic will be managed with posted signs, barricades, and police details.

Sewer Pipe Lining

Following the excavation and sewer pipe repairs, additional sewer lining work will take place at several locations throughout Springfield. The sewer lining phase of the project is expected to begin later in September and continue for several weeks.

Sewer lining locations:

- Cornell, Harvard, Princeton, Vassar, and Amherst Streets
- Abbot Street and Plumtree Road
- Wooded area behind Jamaica Street
- Amos Street, Gifford Street, West and East Allen Ridge Roads
- Liberty Street, Maura Street, Greany Street, and Mildred Avenue
- Pinevale Street (between Hampshire and Berkshire Streets)
- Plumtree Road (at Eddywood and Lancaster Streets)
- Boston Road and Hatch Street (from Biddle Street to the Wilbraham town line)



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During sewer lining, there will be one-lane alternating traffic managed with posted signs, barricades, and police details.

Residents will be notified at least 24 hours in advance of any sewer service disruptions, with notices posted on affected customers' doors.

Upgrades are being completed as part of the Commission's annual Sewer Improvements Project to modernize sewer infrastructure and improve service reliability for residents. Sewer pipes being repaired as part of the project date back to 1886 and were identified for repairs through a comprehensive assessment program.

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.

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