Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority Combined Sewer Assessment and Rehabilitation Project - 2017-03

Notification of Construction

Dear Resident:

Within the next 10 days, Heitkamp a Division of Michels Corporation will be installing liners to rehabilitate sanitary sewer mains owned by the GNHWPCA in your neighborhood. This work will is scheduled to be performed between the hours of 7:00 AM and 5:00 PM.

You will receive another Notification the day before the actual work affecting your residence is performed.

During the sewer lining process, your service connection will be temporarily sealed off at the mainline for a few hours. However, every service lateral will be fully opened and back in service by the end of each work day. It is important that while this work is being performed and your lateral is sealed off that you limit activities that utilize large volumes of water, such as doing laundry, dishwashing, flushing toilets and bathing. Any sump pumps that connect to the sanitary sewer system must be disconnected or rerouted.

If during the process of installing liners you detect a chemical odor, do not be alarmed. You will actually be smelling styrene, which is an integral component of the resin used to saturate the liner that is installed into the sewer. This odor will quickly dissipate once the installation process is complete.

Pouring a gallon or two of water into sinks, floor drains, or other drainage openings, especially those that are seldom used and whose traps may be empty of water before we do our work should prevent any odor from entering your building or home. If you do detect an odor, simply open your windows and/or turn on a fan to help ventilate the building. This level of concentration of airborne styrene does not pose a health risk.

If you have any questions, please contact one of the following:

Heitkamp - Michels Corporation

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