

Bloomington Area Regional Sewer Improvements Project

Construction Update July 21, 2015

(dates are approximate and depend on changing weather/construction conditions)

Metropolitan Council Environmental Services (MCES), operator of the metro-area wastewater collection and treatment system, is starting construction on its Bloomington Area Regional Sewer Improvements Project. The purpose of the work is to rehabilitate an approximately 2.5-mile section of an aging and deteriorating regional sanitary sewer that is located in and serves the City of Bloomington.

Intersection closure and detour – 91st St. E. and 2nd Ave S.

- Starting today through late October 2015, the intersection at 91st St. E. and 2nd Ave S. will be closed. A pumping station will be set-up at the intersection and is required to divert the wastewater during construction. Below is a photo showing the type of equipment typically used at pumping station sites. Residents on 2nd Ave S. between 91st Ave S. and 92nd Ave. S. will have a one block detour.



Ongoing work

- We continue to set up temporary pipes to divert wastewater while we work. Most temporary pipes will be installed above ground, and some will be buried to minimize disruption at major intersections and for driveway access.
- Traffic controls along 90th St. E. will remain in place through November 2015.

Upcoming work

- Over the next two months the sanitary sewer will first be cleaned and then rehabilitated by installing a new liner inside the existing sewer pipe using the cured-in-place pipe (CIPP) process.
 - This week (July 20) we will be cleaning the sanitary sewer along 18th Ave. S. from 90th St. E. to just north of 87th St. E.
 - Next week (July 27) we will start sewer pipe lining along 18th Ave. S. from 90th St. E. to just north of 87th St. E.

Who Should You Contact?

For questions or concerns about this work, contact our project team:

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For more project information, to sign up for the project e-mail or text updates, or to view past and present project updates, visit the project website at <http://www.metrocouncil.org/sewerconstruction/bloomington.aspx>