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To: Bethpage Residents
From: Edward Hannon, Project Director
Date: Wednesday, August 4, 2021; 5 p.m.
Subject: Continued RW-21 Piping installation (August 5-6)
Request for continued diligence when traveling through work zones
Coordination with school district transportation office
Changes in Stewart Avenue work zone traffic flow next week
Upcoming virtual community meeting (Aug 18)

Northrop Grumman is providing this progress report to you on the installation of piping to support the RW-21 groundwater treatment system project. Our contractors continue to conduct road work on town- and county-owned streets along the piping route. We thank you for your continued cooperation.

As of this evening, we have excavated and shored approximately 390 feet of trench along the utility corridor onto Sophia Street and North Herman Avenue. We have installed approximately 370 feet of piping within the utility corridor, in Sophia Street and North Herman Avenue. The additional barriers and traffic controls at the Sophia Street/North Herman corner have been removed. We began excavation at South Pershing Avenue and Stewart Avenue.

Our schedule through August 6 is as follows:

Thursday, August 5: Our crew will continue excavating and installing the piping along North Herman Avenue for 100 to 150 feet. Our Stewart Avenue crew will continue excavating and start shoring up the trench on the corner of South Pershing and Stewart Avenue for about 50 feet along each roadway. The electrical installation at our RW-22 well on the utility corridor is continuing. Work will be completed by 4:30 p.m.

Friday, August 6: Our crew will continue excavating and installing the piping along North Herman Avenue for 100 to 150 feet. Our Stewart Avenue crew will continue excavating and shoring up the trench on the corner of South Pershing and Stewart Avenue for about 50 feet along each roadway. Work will be completed by 4:30 p.m.

We ask vehicles on both sides of the streets to temporarily relocate from the excavation and piping installation locations on Thursday and Friday.

Limited road closures: There is **no** access from Stewart Avenue onto South Pershing and vice versa. However, homeowners at 254 and 258 South Pershing and 369 Stewart Avenue will be able to access their driveways. The western-most southbound lane of Stewart Ave (from South Pershing to Central Blvd.) will be closed to vehicle access until the middle to late next week. At that time, the South Pershing Avenue connection to Stewart Avenue will reopen, but there will be **no** access from Central Blvd. onto Stewart and vice versa.

New traffic pattern next week on Stewart Avenue: You will notice new traffic control signs and a new pattern on Stewart Avenue creating a single northbound and single southbound lane (versus two lanes in each direction) as we begin work entirely on Stewart Avenue. We'll steel plate the road as needed. Again, our priority is the safety of the community and our work crews and urge everyone to practice patience and drive with caution while traveling through our work zones. We thank the NCPD 8th PCT POP unit for their active engagement.

Traffic controls and road work signs will remain on Sophia Street running west from the utility corridor to North Herman Avenue; and North Herman Avenue heading north to William Street and then crossing over to the west side of North Herman Avenue to Central Avenue.

ORANGE LINE IS CURRENT WORK ZONE; Black line is completed piping.



Work vehicles moving in and out of our staging area: You may also observe our equipment vehicles entering and exiting our staging area off Broadway south of Arthur Avenue.

Coordination with Bethpage School District Transportation Officials: As we continue our installation work and parents prepare for the start of the school year, we are now engaged with Bethpage School District Transportation officials so that school bus drivers are aware of our upcoming activities. We will follow-up with additional information in the next few weeks following our meeting with the transportation office tomorrow (Thursday).

Upcoming virtual community meeting Aug 18: Our next virtual community update (to be held via Zoom and telephone) is slated for Wednesday, August 18 at 7 p.m. We will issue a meeting invitation via email tomorrow morning and the information will be posted on our project website.

If you have any concerns, please reach out to **Dianne Baumert-Moyik via mobile at (516) 754-2645** or via email at dianne.baumert-moyik@ngc.com if you have any questions. For more project details, visit www.northropgrumman.com/bethpage. We appreciate your continued support.