

## Memo

**To:** Bethpage Residents  
**From:** Edward Hannon, Project Director  
**Date:** Tuesday, October 5, 2021; 5 p.m.  
**Subject:** RW-21 Piping installation (October 6 and 7)  
Emma St (between John Street and Broadway) closure  
Upcoming work on Central Avenue, N. Herman, S. Pershing, Brenner, and Sheridan  
Safe driving in work zones

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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.

To date, we have excavated approximately 2,220 feet of trench along the utility corridor onto Sophia Street, North Herman Avenue, and Emma Street; installed approximately 2,100 feet of piping within the utility corridor on Sophia Street and North Herman Avenue to Emma Street; backfilled and installed temporary asphalt on Sophia Street and 2,080 feet on North Herman Avenue; excavated 720 feet of trench; installed 650 feet of piping; and installed 640 feet of backfill and asphalt on South Pershing, Stewart Avenue, and Emma Street.

### **Our schedule through October 7 is as follows:**

**Wednesday, October 6 and Thursday, October 7:** Our Emma Street (east) crew will relocate to North Herman Avenue to continue trenching, piping installation and restoration between Emma Street and Central Avenue. Our Emma Street (west) crew will continue excavating east of Park Ave heading west. With two crews working on Emma Street at the same time, we expect to complete this work between October 15 and October 22 (depending on weather conditions and the complexity of installation).

During this time, we will install electrical conduits on Seaman Ave, in the vicinity of the RW-21 well vault, and in the utility corridor, in the vicinity of the RW-22 well vault. We expect this work to take several days and ask commuters to observe our work zone during work hours. Work will be completed by 4:30 p.m.

**Preparation for upcoming work on Central Avenue:** We are finalizing traffic control plans for our work to cross Central Avenue (at Grumman Road East/Hickey Blvd.) and Central Avenue (at Seaman Avenue). We are scheduled to begin installing traffic control signage on Central Avenue the week of 10/11. The work will be very complex and challenging to complete as we navigate a variety of existing utilities. It will require significant traffic controls to ensure our work crews are safe as we conduct the utility test pitting, asphalt cutting, trenching, piping installation and restoration. Timing to complete this work is weather dependent as we move into the Fall.

**Preparation for upcoming work on S. Pershing, Brenner, and Sheridan (revised dates):** Work is tentatively scheduled to begin on S. Pershing, Brenner, and Sheridan the week of 10/18.

**Safe driving and walking through work zones:** Please continue to walk or drive safely around our work zones. As a reminder, a significant portion of Emma Street has been excavated and plated. It will remain plated for the next several weeks until the piping is installed, and the trench is backfilled. Emma Street is closed between Broadway and John Street (except for the residents who reside within those street sections). During the workday, Park Avenue will be closed at Emma Street through Wednesday, October 6.

**Updates to Bethpage School District Walkers/Bus Routes:** We are providing an updated map showing road closures to thru traffic on Emma Street and work zone impacts to bus stops on North Herman Ave to Stacey Popkin in the Bethpage School District Transportation Office.

**National Grid work in the area:** National Grid has ongoing residential gas installation efforts in the area near our project work. We are in close coordination with their project teams so that their work and ours can proceed without delay.

**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.

**Your Northrop Grumman contact 9/25-10/10:** Dianne Baumert-Moyik will be on vacation for two weeks. Jamie Gillcrist will be your point of contact via mobile at (443) 465-1015 or via email at [jamie.gillcrist@ngc.com](mailto:jamie.gillcrist@ngc.com). We appreciate everyone’s continued support. Thank you. Visit [www.northropgrumman.com/bethpage](http://www.northropgrumman.com/bethpage) for project updates.

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

