

# 2022 Street and Utility Improvement Project Morristown, Minnesota



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## Project Update

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This letter is being sent to inform you of construction activity on the above-referenced project.

#### **IF YOU ARE A LANDLORD, PLEASE SHARE THIS NEWSLETTER WITH YOUR RENTERS/TENANTS.**

The contractor will begin construction on Wednesday or Thursday, June 22nd or 23rd. They will begin setting up temporary water lines on Main Street and 2nd Street, doing removals and constructing water main. Replacing an existing water system involves several steps. First, an aboveground temporary water system is assembled. The two-inch temporary water main and three-quarter-inch water services are assembled, connected to a hydrant, filled, disinfected, then connected to the outside spigots of the houses. At this point, the existing underground water main can be shut off and the new water main can be installed. Water will be supplied to individual housing units through smaller pipes that branch out to the homes. Temporary water will only be installed in areas of the project where the existing water main is being replaced. Please do not move the temporary water lines. You may carefully trim next to the hoses and pipes, but please do not mow over them. In certain locations, these temporary water lines may cross the street and/or driveways. Gravel will be placed over the top of these lines so that vehicles can safely drive over them.

Survey stakes are being placed on the construction site. **Destruction or alteration of survey stakes results in slowing the work and additional cost to the city.**

This is also the time to remind everyone that anything within the public right of-way (approximately 13 feet behind existing curb) is in jeopardy of being damaged and/or removed. This includes landscaping, sprinkler or pet containment systems, etc. Sprinkler and pet containment systems are considered "private" facilities. Locating them and marking them in and near the right-of-way is the property owner's responsibility. It would be helpful for those of you who have sprinkler or pet containment systems to contact me so that we are made aware of them. Any damage to those systems as a result of failing to locate and mark them will be the property owner's responsibility.

**If you are interested in receiving future Project Updates by email, please send your name, property address, and email address to Julie Brinkman at [jbrinkman@sehinc.com](mailto:jbrinkman@sehinc.com).**

If you have any questions or concerns, either now or as the project progresses, feel free to contact me or Project Engineer Doug Scott. We look forward to working with you on the project.

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