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To: Bethpage Residents
From: Edward Hannon, Project Director
Date: Thursday, September 9, 2021; 5 p.m.
Subject: RW-21 Piping installation (Sept 10 and 13)
Emma St (Between N. Herman and N. Windhorst) closure
School Bus Stops/Walkers
Routine groundwater sampling (through Sept 10)

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 1,750 feet of trench along the utility corridor onto Sophia Street, North Herman Avenue, and Emma Street; installed approximately 1,490 feet of piping within the utility corridor, in Sophia Street and North Herman Avenue to Emma Street; installed temporary asphalt on Sophia Street and 1,260 feet on North Herman Avenue; excavated 390 feet of trench and installed 340 feet of piping and asphalt on South Pershing and along Stewart Avenue; and paved and reopened the center two lanes of Stewart Avenue.

Emma Street (at North Windhorst) has been excavated and plated. It will remain plated (approximately two weeks) until the piping is installed and the trench is backfilled. Out of an abundance of caution due to the complexity of the work and materials stored on Emma Street (specifically between North Herman Avenue and North Windhorst Avenue), we have now closed that segment of Emma Street until the work is complete there.

As a reminder, the easternmost, northbound lane of Stewart Avenue and the intersection of Stewart Avenue and Emma Street remain closed as we conduct work there.

Our schedule through September 13 is as follows:

Friday, September 10 and Monday, September 13: Our crew continues trenching and piping installation on Emma Street (heading west toward Stewart). Our Stewart Avenue crew will continue trenching and installing piping at the intersection of Emma Street (first heading north to complete the connection on Stewart Avenue before heading east toward North Herman Avenue).

On Friday, we will saw cut the asphalt along the remainder of the piping route on Emma Street (between John Street and approximately 150 feet east of Park Avenue). We ask vehicles on both sides of the street to temporarily relocate Friday and Monday to allow us to safely complete the saw cutting, excavation and piping installation. Work will be completed by 4:30 p.m.

With two crews working on Emma Street at the same time, we expect to complete this work between October 8 and October 15 (depending on weather conditions and the complexity of installation).

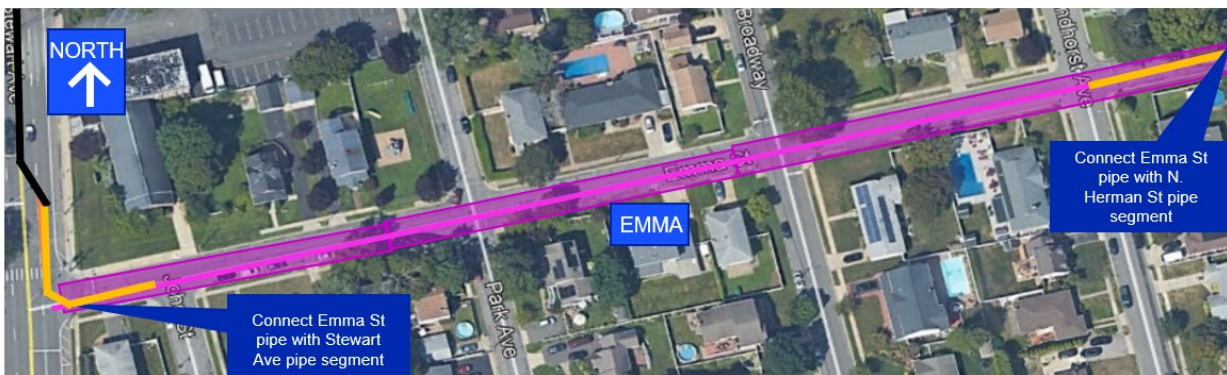
Updates to Bethpage School District Walkers/Bus Routes: We want to thank the Nassau County Police Department and its crossing guard for their continued support assisting students as they safely cross Stewart Avenue to and from Central Blvd. Elementary School. Our flag personnel are assisting parents and children entering and exiting Central Blvd. through our work zone as we complete the work over the next three weeks. We have provided an updated look-ahead schedule to Stacey Popkin in the Bethpage School District Transportation Office.

Routine Groundwater Sampling through September 10: As part of the ongoing U.S. Navy/Northrop Grumman groundwater monitoring program, Northrop Grumman contractors are conducting routine groundwater sampling at four wells located in Bethpage, 15 wells in Seaford and three wells in Massapequa over a period of two weeks. Residents near the work receive a notification at their home and should expect to see two of our contractors, a well maintenance rig and a support truck on their street. We will complete all of that work by tomorrow end of day.

Safe driving and walking through work zones: The traffic controls are in place for everyone’s safety this includes our workers, as well as drivers and pedestrians. We appreciate everyone’s patience as you drive or walk around the work zone—especially with the level of rain we have had recently. We have seen an improvement in the speed of vehicles traveling on Stewart Avenue and want to thank the 8th Precinct for their support. Traffic controls and road work signs remain along all of our construction routes. We will install additional barricades (along the perimeter of areas that have been trenched and then steel plated) to provide drivers with greater awareness. We ask everyone to drive carefully through these zones.

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.

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



If you have any questions about our project work or would like to be added to our opt-in community email list please contact **Dianne Baumert-Moyik** via mobile at **(516) 754-2645** or via email at dianne.baumert-moyik@ngc.com.

Visit www.northropgrumman.com/bethpage for project updates.

We appreciate everyone’s continued support. Thank you.