

Resident Information Bulletin

2016 Cleveland Corridor Sewer Improvement Program

Village of Niles
Public Services Department
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A construction crew mobilizes equipment and traffic control.



Storm sewer work can be messy and dusty. The Village and Contractor will work hard to keep everything clean.

HOW CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION?

Please contact:

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6849 Touhy Avenue, Niles, IL 60714-3174
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The Village will also be holding public ground breaking and all residents are invited to attend and learn about the project. Look for an announcement soon and please attend!

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INTRODUCTION

Good news. The Cleveland Street Sewer improvement project is scheduled to begin construction this year. Work is expected to begin in late May/early June.

WHAT KIND OF WORK WILL BE DONE?

In general, the process of replacing storm sewer will include:

- Set up traffic control signs and tree protection fencing.
- Excavate large trench and remove old sewer.
- Install new sewers.
- Backfill trench.
- Replace concrete curbs, gutters, sidewalks as necessary.
- Pave the street with new hot mix asphalt.
- Restore portions of driveway aprons that were damaged by construction activities.
- Restore (typically topsoil and seed or sod) parkway areas that were damaged during the construction activities.

WHAT IF I CANNOT GET IN MY DRIVEWAY?

Please note it is difficult to notify you in advance of when the work will begin that will impact your ability to access your driveway. **The Contractor will notify you, at your door, before beginning work that will interrupt access to your driveway.**

If construction activities are preventing you from accessing your driveway, please park nearby on the street. The work will be phased into several parts so that nearby streets will remain open for parking. Due to the nature of completely trenching in the large sewers in the roadway, there will be extended periods where you will not have direct vehicle access to your property. We will maintain safe pedestrian access throughout construction. There will be signage and notifications on access restrictions. Every step possible will be taken to minimize disruption. **If you have special needs due to a disability, please contact the Public Services Department.**

WILL SERVICES TO MY HOME BE AFFECTED?

There will be no changes in your regular services such as garbage pick-up, mail delivery, or emergency services from the Police and Fire Departments. There may be times during the day when service vehicle access to your home will be interrupted. We will try to make these interruptions as short as possible.

WHAT IF I HAVE A SPRINKLER SYSTEM, DECORATIVE LANDSCAPING OR BRICK PAVERS IN MY PARKWAY OR IN MY PROPERTY CLOSE TO THE SIDEWALK?

If you have a sprinkler system, decorative landscaping, brick pavers, invisible dog fence, etc., please notify the Public Services Department. Per Village ordinance, and if necessary, it is your responsibility to temporarily relocate, reinstall, or repair any of these items during construction. Portions of brick paver aprons that need to be removed because of the construction will not be re-installed by the Village.

More information is also available at www.vniles.com. Use the **Quick Links** pull down menu at the top of the home page and search for "Storm Sewers".

The Village will soon have a project webpage with more information, FAQ, and project updates. Stay tuned for more information.