



Public Works & Engineering

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Attention Residents: Brown Street (Alles St to Lee St)

Reference: 2017 Capital Improvement Project – Street and Utility Improvements  
2017 CONTRACT B  
**WATER MAIN INSTALLATION TO BEGIN 9/14**

Date: September 12, 2017

Dear Resident:

The water main work on Brown Street will begin on THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14.

Some preparatory work may begin at any time, including equipment mobilization, material delivery, saw cutting pavement, and pavement removal. Pipe installation is anticipated to begin on Friday September 15.

The contractor will begin at Lee St and proceed to the west to Alles St. It is anticipated this phase work will take approximately 5 days.

Note that all work is weather dependent and unknown utility conflicts may cause delays.

The water main installation operation typically involves working on a small area at a time, excavating ahead of the pipe installation, installing the pipe, then backfilling the area. The contractor anticipates installing approximately 100 to 200 feet of pipe per day. You will be notified of water main shutdowns as the project progresses. Individual services will be transferred to the new main at a later date once the main has been tested and approved.

The street and your driveway may have limited access during working hours. Your street and driveway will be accessible after working hours. Working hours are from 7:00am to 6:00pm, Monday through Friday. Whenever possible, please try to limit your trips through the work zone during working hours.

**Please do not park on Brown Street during working hours.** Park vehicles on nearby side streets.

Your patience and cooperation are greatly appreciated during construction.

If you have questions or concerns about this project, please contact me at (847) 391-5388 or [bshipp@desplaines.org](mailto:bshipp@desplaines.org). If I am not available, please leave a message and I will return your call as soon as possible.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Becca Shipp'.

Becca Shipp, P.E.  
City of Des Plaines