

Randy E. Hayman, Water Commissioner

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Dear Philadelphia Water Customer:

You are receiving this letter as a second notification that a Water Department construction job is soon to begin in your neighborhood. Our work will take place soon on the blocks listed below, and as a neighbor in this community we want you to be aware of possible traffic disruptions and delays while this work is ongoing.

This project is part of the overall green infrastructure program called *Green City, Clean Waters*, implemented by the City of Philadelphia to improve the stormwater management of your neighborhood. Green stormwater infrastructure includes a range of soil-water-plant systems that intercept storm water, infiltrate a portion of it into the ground, evaporate a portion of it into the air, and in some cases release a portion of it slowly back into the sewer system. This is the second of two green stormwater infrastructure projects in the East Parkside neighborhood, following project #50190 near Clayborn & Lewis Playground.

Prior to work starting on each of these blocks, residents directly impacted by this work will receive an additional hand delivered letter to their home alerting them that work is soon to begin. This project will take place at these locations:

<u>Street</u>	<u>From</u>	<u>To</u>	Type of Work
N. 39th St.	Cambridge St.	Poplar St.	Green stormwater infrastructure
Cambridge St.	N. Union St.	N. Sloan St.	Green stormwater infrastructure
Poplar St.	N. 40th St.	N. 41st St.	Green stormwater infrastructure
Poplar St.	N. Union St.	N. Sloan St.	Green stormwater infrastructure
N. 41st St.	W. Girard Ave.	Viola St.	Green stormwater infrastructure
N. 41st St.	W. Girard Ave.	Cambridge St.	Green stormwater infrastructure
Cambridge St.	Poplar St.	N. 41st St.	Green stormwater infrastructure

Project Info: #50194 East Parkside Streets Contractor: PCI, Inc. Date: August 2020 – Summer 2021

- During normal working hours (7:00am-3:30pm) it may be necessary to close the street
- Trash should be placed at the curb as regularly scheduled
- The Water Department has assigned an engineer and inspector to the project who will be on-site every day
- Our engineer and inspector will ensure that the work proceeds in a safe and workmanlike manner
- Should you experience any problems as a result of the work, please talk with the inspector on the job site who will be wearing clothing identifying him/her as a Water employee
- The inspector will notify you one day in advance of any scheduled water shut-offs, of which several may be required over the course of the project

If you are unable to contact the inspector at the job site, or have any other questions, please contact me at the number listed below between 8:00am-4:30pm Monday through Friday. Should an emergency occur, please call the Water Department hotline at (215) 685-6300. Further information about Philadelphia Water Construction can be found at www.phila.gov/water/notifications. Questions can be sent to waterinfo@phila.gov.

Sincerely, Frank Stollenwerk Construction Engineer 215-964-8036

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