

May 2026

Dear Philadelphia Resident,

The Philadelphia Water Department (PWD) is **preparing an infrastructure project** in your neighborhood. This project is called **19th / Hamilton / 21st Water & Sewer (PWD Project #41112)**. The contractor assigned to this job is **JPC Group**.

Construction is Estimated to Start Early 2027

We estimate work will start in 6-9 months. Construction dates may change. An additional letter will be sent when construction is scheduled. PWD will alert you before planned service interruptions.

Reason for Project

PWD Project #41112 will include the following improvements:

- **New Water Mains** to increase drinking water service reliability and reduce emergency breaks
 - **Possible Lead Service Line Replacement:** Homes with confirmed lead services lines are eligible for free replacements. (This work only happens on blocks receiving new water mains.)
- **New Sewers** or sewer lining to increase wastewater service reliability and reduce clogs

Stay updated on project details on the PWD project page: water.phila.gov/41112

Free Lead Service Line Replacement for Blocks with Planned Water Main Work

See chart below for blocks listed as “New Water Main.” The water service line is a pipe that carries water from one of our water mains into your home. Residential service lines belong to property owners, not the City. Service lines can be made with different materials in different sections.

This pipe is your property. However, if we discover your pipe is made of lead (or galvanized metal), **we’ll offer to replace the entire line, free of charge**. To provide this free service, **we’ll need the property owner’s permission to access the property**. We encourage customers to sign these forms to receive this free service worth thousands of dollars.

Returning Your Form

To allow replacement, you must complete the **Service Line Replacement Authorization form**. Photocopy the form for your records, and return it in one of the following ways:

Email: take a photo or scan of your form, and send to PWDLSL@phila.gov

Mail: Send completed form to *PWD Public Affairs, Lead Service Line Replacement Program, 5th Floor, 1101 Market Street, Philadelphia PA, 19107*

A follow-up letter will be sent closer to the time of construction. Contact Water.Projects@phila.gov with questions. Call the Water Department hotline at (215) 685-6300 for any emergencies.

Philadelphia Water Department

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Project Locations & Types of Work

Construction Locations	New Water Main	New Sewer
Wood St. from N. 18th St. to N. 19th St.	✓	
Wood St. from N. 19th St. to N. 20th St.	✓	✓
N. 19th St. from Vine St. to Callowhill St.	✓	✓



For information on **lead**, visit water.phila.gov/lead

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