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## **PROJECT UPDATE**

### **ROUTE 7 PUMP STATION, FORCE MAIN, AND WWTF DECOMMISSIONING PROJECT**

The Water Pollution Control Authority's Wastewater Facilities Upgrade project includes construction of approximately 13,600 linear feet of new 8-inch diameter underground force main piping from the Route 7 Pump Station to the South Street Wastewater Treatment Facility. The existing Route 7 Pump Station will be demolished and replaced with a new pump station in the same location on Route 7. The existing Route 7 Wastewater Treatment Facility will be decommissioned and demolished. The work is anticipated to occur through February 2024.

#### **UPCOMING CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY WEEK ENDING 9/8/23 (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)**

- No work on Labor Day.
- Continue force main testing along Ligi's Way and Farmingville Road. Typical construction hours along Ligi's Way will be between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Typical construction hours along Farmingville Road will be between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
- Continue force main installation along the west side of Route 7 north of Haviland Road in the vegetated shoulder. Work will include HDPE pipe fusing operation at 901 Ethan Allen Highway and horizontal directional drilling along Route 7. Typical construction hours will be between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
- Continue preliminary site work at Route 7 Pump Station located at 901 Ethan Allen Highway. Work to include pouring concrete footings for temporary noise barrier and relocating existing utilities, as needed. Typical construction hours will be between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
- Traffic management will be provided by RPD and/or flaggers as needed.

#### **PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION SCHEDULE WEEK ENDING 9/15/23 (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)**

- Continue force main testing along Ligi's Way and Farmingville Road. Typical construction hours along Ligi's Way will be between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Typical construction hours along Farmingville Road will be between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
- Continue fiber optic cable installation along Ligi's Way and Farmingville Road. Typical construction hours along Ligi's Way will be between 7:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Typical construction hours along Farmingville Road will be between 9:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m.
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**GENERAL**

- The WPCA will be posting construction updates on the Town's website for residents and businesses to view at <https://www.ridgefieldct.gov/water-pollution-control-authority-wpca>

**ANTICIPATED IMPACTS TO RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES DURING CONSTRUCTION**

- Some areas with unfinished road conditions
- Traffic delays and detours around the areas of work
- Construction equipment will be mobilizing daily in the areas of construction

**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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