

## INTRODUCTION

As you are aware and has been communicated previously, the Village of Mount Prospect is partnering with two regional water suppliers, Northwest Water Commission (NWC) and Northwest Suburban Municipal Joint Action Water Agency (NSMJAWA), to construct an emergency interconnection that will reduce the Village's reliance on its backup groundwater wells. The Village awarded the contract to Airy's, Inc, an underground General Contractor. A new water main will be installed along Elmhurst Avenue between Kensington Road and Highland Avenue. Additional work will take place at the Village's Pump Station No. 5 site located at Highland Street and Emerson Street. **This updated bulletin is being provided to notify residents that the Contractor has mobilized to the project area and provide additional information regarding traffic control and detours.**

## TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN / MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC:

The scheduled construction work will impact typical traffic patterns along Elmhurst Avenue, Kensington Road and Highland Street. Temporary advanced warning zones will be provided to alert motorists to changed traffic patterns. The advance warning zone typically consists of signs, pavement markings, and other traffic control devices that alert drivers to changes in the traffic pattern ahead and warn them to proceed with caution. Estimated dates for road closures have been provided below. **The following page has been provided regarding the temporary closure of the Elmhurst Avenue and Highland Street intersection.**

## TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF THE WORK:

- Start Date – March 22, 2024.
- Estimated Elmhurst Avenue & Highland Street Closure: March 25 – April 25th (see attached)
- Estimated Overall Project Completion Date – August 31, 2024

## WHAT KIND OF WORK WILL BE DONE?

In general, the process of installing the new water main will include:

- Saw cutting of road.
- Open-cut trenching of the road
- Installation of the new water main
- Pressure testing and chlorination of the new water main
- Pavement restoration
- Parkway restoration


### HOW CAN I GET MORE INFORMATION?

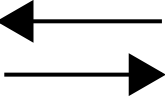
Call the Public Works Department (847) 870-5640, email to [publicworksdept@mountprospect.org](mailto:publicworksdept@mountprospect.org) or visit the Village's website at <https://www.mountprospect.org/departments/public-works/water-sewer/emergency-water-system-interconnection>

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# 2024 EMERGENCY WATER SYSTEM INTERCONNECTION

 Location of Project Work

 Traffic Detour Direction

