



GREEN STREET SEWER REPLACEMENT PROJECT

Frequently Asked Questions

March 10, 2020

Q. What is the purpose of the Green Street Sewer Replacement Project?

A. This project will replace 1,800 feet of sewer pipe on Green Street and in the neighboring Oakhurst area.

Q. What are the benefits of the Green Street Sewer Replacement Project?

A. DeKalb County Department of Watershed Management's Engineering and Construction Management Division is leading the effort to repair and replace the county's aging infrastructure. These repairs will:

- Reduce sewer system overflows
- Improve customer service
- Upgrade our communities for future generations

Q. When will the project begin and end?

A. Construction activities will start on Monday, March 16, and last for approximately six months.

Q. What will be the work hours during construction?

A. Normal construction hours will be from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding major holidays. In some cases, extended weekday hours or weekend work may be necessary.

Q. What impacts will construction have on traffic in the surrounding community?

A. There will be rolling, single-lane closures to maintain traffic flow. No complete road closures are currently planned. Please plan travel around construction zones and expect delays.

Q. Will this project cause any disruption to my water or sewer services?

A. There will be no disruption to water and sewer services.

Q. Will this construction project cause noise in my community?

A. For short periods of time construction noise may be caused by:

- Heavy equipment and construction truck traffic
- Material manipulation
- Excavation and backfill
- Paving

Crews will work diligently to eliminate construction-related noises before or after the scheduled construction hours of 8am-5pm.

Q. Will the by-pass pumps cause noise disturbance in the community?

A. By-pass pumps will be in operation mode 24 hours a day/7 days a week once the construction begins. The sewer flows will dictate how often the by-pass pumps will cycle on and off. The contractors will mitigate any noise disturbance.

Q. What should I do next?

A. Please visit the project page at: www.dekalbcountyga.gov/greenstreetproject.

Please be aware of construction signs throughout the area.

Q. Who can I contact with public safety questions related to the project?

A. Please contact the City of Decatur police department: Sgt. John Bender 678-553-6684 John.bender@decaturga.com

Q. Who can I contact if I have additional questions or need more information about the project?

A. For general project updates or information, contact the DWM Project Information Hotline at 1-800-986-1108 Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., or email: projectinfo@dekalbcountyga.gov.