Our Sewer System Upgrades are Underway

The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) operates a combined sewer system that collects and treats San Francisco’s wastewater (sewage and stormwater). Our Sewer System Improvement Program (SSIP) is upgrading and modernizing our system to ensure we can continue to protect public health and the environment now and into the future.

As part of these citywide investments, the Mission Street, 16th to Cesar Chavez, Brick Sewer Rehabilitation Project will rehabilitate the existing 100-year old sewer mains located under Mission Street, between 16th and Cesar Chavez Streets. To reduce impacts to the roadway and adjacent residents and businesses, much of the construction work will be done by accessing the sewers from manholes in the street. In some locations, street excavation may be required, and advance notice will be provided. During construction, sewer and bus services will be maintained, and traffic lanes are expected to remain open. At least one travel lane will remain open in both directions at all times.

To minimize construction disruption to the community, the San Francisco Municipal Transportation Agency (SFMTA) and San Francisco Public Works (SFPW) will be joining this construction contract with their bus stop replacement project. This work includes updating select bus stops and sections of sidewalk in the vicinity of Mission and 20th streets. For more information, call (415) 646-2445.

Estimated Construction Schedule

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**PROJECT BENEFITS:**

- Address aging sewer system infrastructure and increase seismic resilience
- Increase reliability of our City’s critical sewer system infrastructure

For more information, visit sfwater.org/missionsewer
What to Expect

- **SEWER SERVICE** in the area will NOT be interrupted during construction.
- **PARKING:** Street parking will be impacted near construction zones. “No-parking” signs will be posted 72 hours in advance.
- **TRAFFIC:** Partial lane closures may be necessary to ensure safety of workers and the public. Advance notice and detour signage will be provided.
- **MUNI:** During sewer work, no bus impacts are anticipated. During bus stop work, call (415) 646-2445 for temporary bus stops information.
- **ACCESS:** Follow posted signage on site. Businesses and residents in the work zone will maintain access to their driveways and entrances during construction.
- **NOISE:** Neighbors may hear construction noise periodically. Noisy work will be conducted in compliance with the San Francisco Noise Ordinance.
- **ODORS:** If necessary, odor control measures will be in place during construction. Water vapor (white smoke) may be seen coming out of existing manholes during construction.
- **NOTICE:** A 30-day and 10-day notice will be distributed prior to construction to residents and businesses within the project area detailing traffic impacts and project details.

About the Sewer System Improvement Program

The Mission Street, 16th to Cesar Chavez, Brick Sewer Rehabilitation Project is part of the Sewer System Improvement Program (SSIP), a 20-year, multi-billion-dollar citywide investment required to upgrade our aging sewer system. The program is the result of an extensive community planning process and will ensure a reliable, sustainable and seismically safe sewer system now and for generations to come. For more information on SSIP and to stay up to date, please visit sfwater.org/SSIP.

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