

## WATER AUTHORITY OF GREAT NECK NORTH

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Dear Water Authority of Great Neck North Customer,

As you are aware, over the past months the Water Authority of Great Neck North has been replacing the over 100-year-old water main on Middle Neck Road as part of its continuing capital improvement program to maintain and upgrade its infrastructure.

This letter is intended to provide an update on the progress of the project and an anticipated timeline for completion. Please note that as with all construction projects, despite an extensive design, planning and coordination effort by the Authority, its engineers and contractor, there is potential for unforeseen delays and modifications to the below projected schedule.

Approximate timeline for the Middle Neck Road Water Main Project:

- Final pavement restoration between Cuttermill Road and Maple Drive will be completed as soon as weather allows. The temperature must be 40F and rising to properly place asphalt.
- Water main installation in the vicinity of Cedar Drive should be completed by mid to end of February.
- Water main installation between Wooleys Lane and Preston Road should be completed by mid to end of February.
- Water main installation between Preston Road and Fairview Avenue is anticipated to be completed by mid-April.
- Water main installation between Fairview Avenue and Arrandale Avenue is anticipated to take six weeks and be completed by the end of May.
- The locations between Arrandale Avenue and North Road are anticipated to have all water service replacements completed by the end of the second week of June.
- Water main installation between North Road and Ellard Avenue is anticipated to be completed by mid-July.
- Once all the above is completed, it will take approximately four additional weeks to perform final asphalt restoration for all areas where work was performed north of Cedar Drive.
- Total project completion is estimated for the beginning of September.

The Water Authority started this project in October 2020 to ensure its completion prior to Nassau County's forthcoming paving project along the same roadway. Had the project been delayed, the Authority would have been forced to wait 5 years from the completion of the County's paving, 2026 or later, to initiate the work. This delayed start was out of the question due to the age of the water main.

Once completed, the project will improve the Authority's ability to provide an adequate supply of drinking water during peak demands and improve fire flows to hydrants during emergency situations.

As a reminder, scheduled water shutoffs, parking restrictions, and traffic pattern updates are posted each week online at <a href="https://www.waterauthorityofgreatnecknorth.com">www.waterauthorityofgreatnecknorth.com</a>.

Residents with questions, concerns or special needs can contact the Authority at 516-487-7973, ext. 4.

Sincerely,

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