

WEEKLY PROGRESS REPORT

Date: October 10, 2025

To: Brock Leder, Director of Public Works
Shawn Campbell, Village of River Grove

From: Audrey Eltzroth, Project Engineer

Re: Village of River Grove
2025 Water Main Improvements Project
Construction Weekly Report No. 2

Work Completed Week Starting October 6, 2025:

RJ Underground Inc. mobilized and began directional drilling to place water main on the 3100 block of Elm Street, heading north towards Belmont Avenue this week.

Projected Work Week Starting October 13, 2025:

Acqua Contractors Corp. and RJ Underground will come next week to continue directional drilling to place water main on Belmont Avenue once Elm Street is finished. Acqua will be contacting residents regarding interior inspections for lead service replacements.

Photos Week of October 6, 2025:



Acqua Contractors Corp. pulling water main pipe through directionally drilled holes



RJ Underground Inc. directional drilling water main on Elm St

Contract Award Date: July 21, 2025

Preconstruction Meeting Date: August 4, 2025

Project Start Date: September 19, 2025

Project Substantial Completion Date: December 12, 2025

Based on the current progress of the project, we are on schedule to complete the project on time.

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September 12, 2025

Dear Property Owner/Tenant:

Mayor David B Guerin and the Village Board are excited to announce the beginning of the construction phase of the 2025 Water Main Improvements Project, which includes the replacement of your water main. The locations included within the current contract are shown on the attached map.



PROJECT CONTRACTOR

Acqua Contractors Corp. of Elmhurst, Illinois is the general contractor for the project and several subcontractors will be assisting the general contractor to complete the work.

WORK TO BE COMPLETED

The project involves the installation of new water main, the replacement of lead water services; the replacement of the curb, sidewalk, and driveways at various locations; roadway patching; and landscaping.

PROJECT TIMELINE

The contractor anticipates mobilizing early next week, Week of September 15th, and will begin work on Elm Street later in the week. The project is scheduled to be completed around early December.

LEAD WATER SERVICES

You will find attached a “Lead Notice” required by the IEPA so that you are aware of potential effects the construction may have on existing lead water services. Please note that existing lead water service pipes will be replaced from the water main to the water meter located inside of your home as part of the Village’s Lead Water Service Replacement Program, at no cost to you. The new water services will be installed after the connection to the existing water main has taken place. Affected homes will be contacted by the contractor, Acqua Contractors Corp, to schedule initial inspections of the existing lead services and then the installation of the new water service.

Following the installation of the new water service, water filters should be used for drinking water for 6 months after the date of the water service installation. Brita Filters will be available for pickup at no cost to you at the River Grove Public Works Building at 2101 West St, River Grove, IL 60171.

PARKING/TRAFFIC IMPACTS

At times during water main installation, sidewalk replacement, driveway replacement and curb replacement; access to certain parking areas will be lost. The contractor will work to keep these times of inconvenience to a minimum. The contractor will hand out a notice 48 hours prior to performing any work that will disrupt access to your property.



At areas where the sewer work is to cross traffic, the respective road will be closed during the working hours of 7 AM to 5:30 PM. Street pavements will be fully open to traffic at the end of each day.

No parking signs will also be posted by the contractor in areas where parking limitations will occur. Parking will be available on adjacent streets during construction. Parking restrictions on adjacent streets will be temporarily lifted during construction.

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The Police Department will be aware of the changes in parking enforcement during construction. The Village will enhance its traffic patrol of the area to ensure that traffic is compliant with speed and stop sign regulations during construction. The Village will monitor traffic flows and make additional adjustments if warranted.

SPRINKLER SYSTEMS

Property owners are responsible for marking out sprinkler systems on their property with utility flags before construction begins. Any damage caused by construction activities to unmarked sprinkler systems shall be the property owner's responsibility to repair.

GARBAGE COLLECTION

Garbage collection will not be affected and will continue as normal.

FURTHER INFORMATION

We thank you in advance for your patience and understanding during the construction of these improvements. If you should have any questions about the project, or if you should need assistance during the project, please feel free to contact the following for assistance:

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Project Location Map



While the project will cause inconvenience, we know that the result will be well worth it! Thank you in advance for your patience and cooperation!

Lead Informational Notice

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Dear Water Customer:

Today's Date: 09/12/2025

This notice contains important information about your water service and may affect your rights. We encourage you to have this notice translated in full into a language you understand and before you make any decisions that may be required under this notice.

Diese Mitteilung beinhaltet wichtige Informationen über Ihre Wasserversorgung und könnte Ihre Rechte beeinflussen. Wir bitten Sie, dass Sie diese Mitteilung vollständig in eine Sprache übersetzen lassen, die Sie verstehen, bevor Sie eventuelle Entscheidungen treffen, welche im Zusammenhang mit dieser Benachrichtigung erforderlich sind.

Ang abisong ito ay naglalaman ng mahalagang impormasyon tungkol sa iyong serbisyo sa tubig at maaaring makaapekto sa iyong mga karapatan. Hinihikayat namin kayo na isalin nang buo ang abisong ito sa wikang naiintindihan ninyo at bago kayo gumawa ng anumang mga desisyon na maaaring kailanganin sa abisong ito.

આ સૂચનામાં તમારી પાણીની સેવા વિશે મહત્વપૂર્ણ માહિતી શામેલ છે અને તમારા અધિકારોને અસર કરી શકે છે. અમે તમને પ્રોત્સાહિત કરીએ છીએ કે તમે આ સૂચના હેઠળ જરૂરી હોય તેવા કોઈપણ નિર્ણયો લો તે પહેલાં તમે આ સૂચનાને તમે સમજો છો તે ભાષામાં સંપૂર્ણ ભાષાંતર કરો.

Niniejsze zawiadomienie zawiera ważne informacje na temat Państwa przyłącza wodociągowego i może mieć wpływ na Państwa prawa. Przed podjęciem jakichkolwiek decyzji, które mogą być wymagane na mocy niniejszego zawiadomienia, zachęcamy Państwa do przetłumaczenia całości niniejszego zawiadomienia na język, który będzie dla Państwa zrozumiały.

يحتوي هذا الإشعار على معلومات مهمة حول خدمة المياه لديك، وقد يؤثر على حقوقك. قبل اتخاذ أي قرارات قد تكون مطلوبة بموجب هذا الإشعار فإننا نشجعك على ترجمته بالكامل إلى لغة تفهمها.

اس نوٹس میں آپ کی پانی کی سروسز سے متعلق اہم ترین معلومات موجود ہیں اور یہ آپ کے حقوق کو متاثر کر سکتا ہے۔ ہم آپ کو ترغیب دیں گے کہ آپ اس نوٹس کا مکمل طور پر اس زبان میں ترجمہ کروائیں جو آپ سمجھتے ہوں اور ممکن ہے کہ آپ کے کوئی فیصلہ لینے سے قبل اس نوٹس کے تحت یہ درکار بھی ہو۔

Este aviso contiene información importante sobre su servicio de agua y puede afectar sus derechos. Lo animamos a que traduzca este aviso a un idioma que comprenda antes de tomar cualquier decisión que pueda ser necesaria en virtud del mismo.

이 통지서에는 귀하의 권리에 영향을 미칠 수 있는 수도 서비스에 관한 중요한 정보가 제시되어 있습니다. 이 통지서에서 요구하는 결정을 내리기 전에 이 통지서를 귀하가 이해할 수 있는 언어로 번역하시기 바랍니다.

本通知包含有关您的供水服务的重要信息，可能会影响到您的权利。在您做出本通知所要求的任何决定之前，我们鼓励您将本通知完整地翻译成您可理解的语言。

Lead Informational Notice

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR DRINKING WATER

Our water system will soon begin a water line maintenance and/or construction project that may affect the lead concentrations in your drinking water. Lead, a metal found in natural deposits, is harmful to human health, especially young children, and pregnant women. It can cause damage to the brain and kidneys and can interfere with the production of red blood cells that can carry oxygen to all parts of your body. The most common exposure to lead is swallowing or breathing in lead paint chips and dust. However, lead in drinking water can also be a source of lead exposure. In the past, lead was used in some water service lines and household plumbing materials. Lead in water usually occurs through corrosion of plumbing products containing lead; however, disruption (construction or maintenance) of lead service lines may also temporarily increase lead levels in the water supply. This disruption may be sometimes caused by water main maintenance/replacement.

The purpose of this notice is for informational purposes only. While it's not known for certain whether this construction project will adversely affect the lead (if present) plumbing in and outside your home, below describes some information about the project and some preventative measures you can take to help reduce the amount of lead in drinking water.

Project Start Date: 09/15/2025 Project expected to be completed by: 12/31/202

Project location and description: New water main installation and lead water service replacements on River Rd

from Kennedy Ave to Belmont Ave, Belmont Ave from Elm St to River Rd, and Elm St from Walnut Ave to

Belmont Ave, plus restoration of streets, sidewalk, and grassed areas disturbed during water main installation

What you can do to reduce lead exposure in drinking water during this construction project:

- *Run your water to flush out lead.* If the plumbing in your home is accessible; you may be able to inspect your own plumbing to determine whether you have a lead service line or lead solder. Otherwise, you will most likely have to hire a plumber.
- If you do not have a lead service line, running the water for 1 – 2 minutes at the kitchen tap should clear the lead from your household plumbing to the kitchen tap. Once you have done this, fill a container with water and store it in the refrigerator for drinking, cooking, and preparing baby formula throughout the day.
- If you do have a lead service line, flushing times can vary based on the length of your lead service line and the plumbing configuration in your home. The length of lead service lines varies considerably. Flushing for at least 3 – 5 minutes is recommended.
- *Use cold water for drinking, cooking, and preparing baby formula.* Do not cook with or drink water from the hot water tap; lead dissolves more easily into hot water. Do not use water from the hot water tap to make baby formula.
- *Look for alternative sources or treatment of water.* You may want to consider purchasing bottled water or a water filter that is certified to remove "total lead".
- *Clean and remove any debris from faucet aerators on a regular basis.*
- *Do not boil water to remove lead. Boiling water will not reduce lead.*
- *Purchase lead-free faucets and plumbing components.*
- *Remove the entire lead service line.* River Grove Public Works
- *Test your water for lead.* Call us at: 708 452 7055 to find out how to get your water tested for lead. While we do not do the testing, we can provide a list of laboratories certified to do the testing. Laboratories will send you the bottles for sample collection. Please note that we are not affiliated with any laboratory, and they will charge you a fee.
- If test results indicate a lead level above 15 ug/L, bottled water should be used by pregnant women, breast-feeding women, young children, and formula-fed infants.