

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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September 3, 2015

RE: Malloy Avenue Sanitary Sewer Project

Dear

The City regularly assesses the condition and capacity of its utility lines and plans for projects to address deficiencies. A portion of your utility bill funds these ongoing maintenance and upgrade projects so that we can continue to serve you. As part of our capital improvement program, the City has identified that there are some much needed improvements that must be made to the City's sanitary sewer utility in your area.

We're sending you this letter to let you know of our plans to replace approximately 1200 feet of aging sewer main along Malloy Avenue and Thornton Road starting late September or early October. In order to allow the contractor adequate space to complete the work efficiently and safely, Malloy Avenue will be closed to through traffic from Thornton Road to just south of Oxford Court for the duration of the project which is anticipated to be complete by the end of October or early November.

This important project will not only replace the aging sewer main but also increasing the size of the pipe from an 8-inch to a 15-inch sewer main. The new larger pipe will be installed approximately 1000 feet along Malloy Avenue and 200 feet along Thornton Road. New 6-inch side services will also be installed along the way. Due to some challenging aspects of this project such as truck traffic on Thornton Road and the depth of the sewer main, it is necessary to close Malloy Avenue to traffic during construction. A detour route will be posted utilizing Aldergrove Road and Vista Drive as an alternate route.

During construction, there will likely be impacts to you, including interrupted driveway access. The contractor will work to keep you informed of these interruptions with as much notice as possible. We know that construction can be inconvenient, but we will work hard to ensure things proceed smoothly with as few interruptions to you as possible. If you have any questions regarding the work we have planned in your area, please feel free to contact the Public Works Department at (360) 384-4006.

Sincerely,

CITY OF FERNDALE

Katy Radder Project Manager

