



PUBLIC HEARING • APRIL 15, 2020

NOTICE

PUBLIC HEARING FOR WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT FY21 DRINKING WATER REVOLVING FUND (DWRP) PROJECT

The Detroit Water and Sewerage Department (DWSD) announces a Public Hearing regarding its Project Plan for proposed Water Main Replacement in the City of Detroit. DWSD will be seeking low interest Drinking Water Revolving Fund (DWRP) loan assistance for FY2021. The project is comprised of replacing aging water main in the Jefferson-Chalmers area of the City of Detroit. Construction will include excavation of existing water mains, installation of new pipes, rehabilitation of pipes, replacement of lead service lines between the water main and the water meter, pressure testing, backfill, and right-of-way. The impact of the project will be improved customer satisfaction and safe, reliable service delivery of potable water to customers. The temporary impact of construction activities will be minimized through mitigation measures specified in the contract documents. Adverse impacts on historical, archaeological, geographic, or cultural areas are not expected. This project is necessary to ensure that DWSD will consistently and reliably provide high quality potable water to the residents. The Project Plan consists of a single project in critical need of water main replacement or rehabilitation. The total cost of this project is currently estimated at approximately \$20.8 million; which is being sought through the DWRP program. The Water Main Replacement/Rehabilitation project is eligible for participating under the State of Michigan low interest DWRP loan program.

The Public Hearing will present a description of the recommended project, estimated costs, as well as the cost per household impact for customers. The typical residential customer bill in the City of Detroit is expected to increase by not more than approximately 1.13% assuming that low interest loans can be obtained through the DWRP loan program. The purpose of the hearing is not only to inform, but to seek and gather input from people that will be affected. Comments and viewpoints from the public are encouraged.

THE PUBLIC HEARING WILL BE HELD:

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2020 at 2:00 P.M.
Virtual Meeting Call-In Information

855-552-4463 (Toll Free) or 206-462-5569

Meeting ID: 7759 68 1050

Information on the Project Plan will be available at the following locations:

- www.detroitmi.gov/dwsd
- Detroit Water and Sewerage Department
Water Board Building
735 Randolph, First Floor
Detroit, Michigan 48226

If you have questions or want to submit written statements for the Public Hearing Record, call (313) 964-9269 or write:

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Written comments will be accepted at the above address if received prior to 1:00 p.m. EST, Wednesday, April 15, 2020.