

**NOTICE \*\*\*\* WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT \*\*\* NOTICE**

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Dear Residents of Allen Avenue:

A. H. Grover, Inc., the same contractor working on the Allen Avenue reconstruction project for the City of Portland will soon begin the process of replacing a section of the water main in Allen Avenue starting at Summit Street and extending approximately 685 feet toward Falmouth. The contractor will also be installing new service lines from the new water main to the street right-of-way line at house numbers 659, 664, 670, 673, 676, 677, 691 and 696 Allen Avenue where they will be connected to the existing service lines running to the houses. (The service line from the street right-of-way line to the building remains the property owner's responsibility.) In addition, the service lines in the street serving house numbers 714, 724, 726, 738, 744 and 752 Allen Avenue will also be replaced

To maintain water service to all customers during the project, temporary water lines will be run along the side of the street with an above-ground service line installed to each house between number 659 and 704 Allen Avenue. This temporary line is typically connected to the internal plumbing system through an outside faucet (hose bib), if available. If you have an outside hose bib, please make sure it is functional and accessible. If you do not have an outside hose bib, an alternative connection arrangement will have to be made in order to maintain your water service. The District's field representative and the contractor will be happy to work with you to make the necessary connection.

**The work is expected to take about a month to complete.** We will try to minimize any inconveniences you may experience during the main replacement project. (One inconvenience we may not be able to avoid is running the temporary water main across the end of your driveway. A ramp will be created on both sides of the line, allowing you to drive over it, if it is necessary to cross your driveway.) If we need to interrupt your water service for any reason (excluding emergency situations), we will provide you with a minimum of 48-hours advance notice.

This project is important for us to maintain adequate water quality and service in your area. We appreciate your cooperation. Should you have any questions or comments, please contact me at the number or email below.

Sincerely yours,

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