



Public Information Meeting on Route 195 Water Main Project

**Tuesday, June 30 at 7 p.m.
Mansfield Town Hall, 4 South Eagleville Road
Town Council Chambers**

Connecticut Water recently received the last of the required regulatory approvals to allow for the construction of the five mile long pipeline that will bring water from Tolland to Mansfield/Storrs along the Route 195 corridor. The project has been studied extensively over a period of several years and deemed to be the best solution for the long term water supply needs of the area.

Town records show that you own property along the route of the first segment of the construction, and we want to make you aware of a public information meeting that is being held on the project on Tuesday, June 30, at 7 p.m. at the Mansfield Town Hall.

The construction will be completed in four segments along the Route 195 corridor with the first segment:

- 7,000' of pipe on Route 195 from the area of the Mansfield Four Corners to just south of Mansfield Supply; and
- 3,000' of pipe on Route 44 from the intersection at Route 195 west to Connecticut Water's water system at Jensen's Rolling Hills system.

We chose this as the first work area so we could complete water main installation to minimize the disruption and impact on traffic flows in the area closest to the University when school is in session.

Preliminary work on this first section is scheduled to begin the week of June 22 with utility mark outs and saw cutting in defined work area. Water main construction is scheduled to begin the week of July 6th.

Representatives of Connecticut Water and the contractor installing the water main, VMS Construction, will be in attendance at the June 30th meeting. Information will be presented on the pipeline route and estimated timing of project sections.

In addition, we will share information on how you can receive timely updates on the project and any lane closures via our website, emails and text alerts.

There will also be an opportunity to ask questions and provide feedback. We ask that you pass along this information to any tenants or business owners who may rent or lease space from you along Route 195.

If you have any questions about this public information meeting or the project, please call Connecticut Water at 1-800-286-5700.

GET CUSTOMIZED EMAIL UPDATES AND TEXT ALERTS ON THE CONSTRUCTION PROJECT AND TRAFFIC

We understand that Route 195 is a heavily traveled road and want to provide property owners and those who travel the route with timely information on the water main project so residents and motorists can plan accordingly. Further, we will work closely with UConn and the Town of Mansfield to ensure that construction activities are suspended when there are major events planned.

Connecticut Water is launching a Web page that will have detailed information and updates on the project. In addition, we will be providing email and text updates to people who enroll to receive updates on the project and lane closures.

You can sign up for these alerts starting the week of July 6th, when the construction begins. It is easy to enroll on the project page at www.ctwater.com/Projects. Once you have enrolled, we would welcome your feedback on the alert program.

A map of the pipeline route and the Four Corners construction zone is shown below. Additional segments of this project will begin later this summer and continue through 2015. The last segment of the project is scheduled to begin in early 2016 with an estimated completion at the end of 2016. Connecticut Water schedule additional public information for these additional segments of the project before construction begins in these areas.

Below is a map of Segment One of the pipeline project where we will begin our work.

