City to hold Public Input Meeting on Lincoln Area Sewer Separation Contract

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PORTSMOUTH—The City of Portsmouth has scheduled an April 13 public input session to discuss the newest phase of the Lincoln Avenue area sewer separation project to upgrade water, sewer and drain lines.

City staff and Underwood Engineers Inc. will present an overview of the design and schedule, as well as answer questions, about the "Contract 3A Sewer Separation Project" at 7 p.m. in City Hall Conference Room B. The work area involves Lincoln (from Middle Street to Richards Avenue), Miller Avenue, Broad Street (from Lincoln Avenue to South Street), Spring Street and Bersum Lane.

The public also is invited to provide input on the design process for the project, which is part of the City's ongoing sewer separation program and required by the Environmental Protection Agency as part of a Consent Decree.

Work is anticipated to begin in July on the \$6.5 million project funded by the State Revolving Loan Fund for Water and Sewer Projects. The work is expected to take 1.5 years to complete. Project updates will be posted regularly at www.CityofPortsmouth.com.