

City Meeting on Lincoln Area Contract 3B & Cass Street Sewer Separation Phases

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PORTSMOUTH—The City has scheduled a public information session next Wednesday (Jan. 25) to discuss the next phases of the Lincoln Avenue Area sewer separation project to upgrade water, sewer and drain lines.

At the meeting, which begins at 6:30 p.m. in the Library's Levenson Room, City staff will present the designs for the Lincoln Area "Contract 3B" and the "Cass Street" segments prior to them being put out to bid.

The total work area involves portions of Richards Avenue, Miller Avenue, and Broad Street (from Lincoln Avenue to Merrimac Street); Highland Street; Merrimac Street; and Rockland Street (from Broad Street to Leary Field); Cass Street; Chevrolet Avenue; Malt House Exchange; Albany Street; Brewery Lane (from Albany Street to Cass Street); and Aldrich Road (from Middle Street to Sewall Road).

The meeting will provide an overview of the scope of the work and preliminary schedules for the two project areas. It also will allow residents the opportunity to ask questions, as well as gain information on the design process.

The work, which is scheduled to begin at the beginning of April and take 1.5 years to complete, is part of the City's ongoing sewer separation program and is required by the Environmental Protection Agency as part of a Consent Decree. The City realizes the work will be disruptive, but it will result in significant improvements that will benefit residents for many years to come.

Additional information, in the form of weekly updates, will be available on the City website (www.CityofPortsmouth.com) once the work commences.