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IMPORTANT NOTICE REGARDING VALLEY ROADWAY WORK BETWEEN JEFFERSON ROAD AND WITHERSPOON STREET

On Thursday, June 23rd, ICUNJ started storm drainage pipe repairs on Valley Road between Jefferson Road and Witherspoon Street. The work associated with these repairs utilizes a trenchless replacement technique by inserting a new pipe into the existing pipe. Noise and vibrations are experienced in the immediate vicinity of the work during this process. We express our sincerest apologies and really appreciate your patience in tolerating the noise and vibrations.

There are a total of approximately 1,200 feet of pipe that is slated for repair. The first 600 feet length of pipe is in the process of being installed today, Thursday, June 23rd.

Some driveways will be temporarily blocked by staging of the pipe prior to insertion. A paper notice will be delivered to your door one day prior to notify you of this.

There are two more sections of 300 feet of pipe, for a total of 600 feet, that is planned to be repaired via the same technique tomorrow, June 24th. **To provide for this work, Valley Road will be closed to through traffic between Jefferson Road and Witherspoon Street during the working hours of 7 am to approximately 4 pm.** The Valley Road Princeton Public Schools Administration building will be accessible from Witherspoon Street only while the roadway is closed. Should the work necessitate an additional work day, it is possible the work will proceed on Saturday, 8 am to approximately 4 pm. Should Saturday work be required, additional notice will be provided.

Should inclement weather occur, the work will proceed the following business day. The roadway will reopen at the end of each work day. Residents are advised to use caution when driving within the road closure area and allow additional time for travel. Provisions will be made for emergency services vehicles and for continued services such as brush collection, mail delivery, garbage and recycling pick-up.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this project, the following staff members can assist you:

- Richard Decker, Princeton Project Inspector – rdecker@princetonnj.gov or 609-751-6826 (mobile);
- Alina Ferreira, P.E., Construction Engineer – afferreira@princetonnj.gov or 609-921-7077 x 1285.

To facilitate ease of communication regarding the project, please email jredeyoff@princetonnj.gov to be added to the project email list.

Your assistance in tolerating the temporary inconvenience associated with this work, which will lead to a permanent improvement of your neighborhood, is appreciated.

Sincerely,

Alina Ferreira, P.E., Construction Engineer