



July 6, 2016

BETHESDA TRANSPORTATION SOLUTIONS  
ATTN: MANAGER  
7700 OLD GEORGETOWN ROAD  
BETHESDA, MD 20814

**RE: Battery Lane Park Water Main Replacement**

Dear Resident:

The Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission (WSSC) plans to rehabilitate 3.03 miles of water mains in your area. Construction is expected to begin in Fall 2016 and be completed by Spring 2018, weather permitting.

For your convenience, you will find a map of the project area on the back of this letter. The affected streets include: **Auburn Avenue, Battery Lane, Cordell Avenue, Del Ray Avenue, Fairmont Avenue, Glenbrook Avenue, Keystone Avenue, Lucas Lane, Maple Ridge Road, Norfolk Avenue, North Brook Lane, Old Georgetown Road, Rayland Drive, Rugby Avenue, South Brook Lane, St. Elmo Avenue and Woodmont Avenue**

After nearly a century of service, WSSC is facing the challenge of decaying infrastructure. This project is necessary because the existing water mains were installed in the 1920's-1970's and are nearing the end of their life cycle. These mains will be replaced with new ductile iron pipe which will reduce the frequency of water main breaks. WSSC remains committed to providing its customers with a reliable supply of safe drinking water.

In the event your water service line is galvanized pipe, WSSC will replace the portion of the water main between the public main and the property line connection, at no cost to you. Some trees may have to be pruned or removed to accommodate the work. Residents will be notified ahead of time, if there is a need for any tree removal. WSSC will restore the area when construction is completed.

WSSC will work closely with residents and regulatory agencies to minimize disruptions to traffic and the environment. All work is expected to be conducted weekdays from 8:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. Water service may be interrupted for a few hours, while the new main is being connected. You will receive more detailed information from our construction team regarding any scheduled service interruptions and prior to construction activities.

To receive an e-mail or text message alerts regarding service interruptions, you may register for WSSC's Customer Notification System (CNS), by signing-up on WSSC's home page at [www.wsscwater.com](http://www.wsscwater.com) under "Quick Links." The service is FREE but standard text messaging rates may apply. You can find out more about this and other WSSC projects online at <https://gis.wsscwater.com/inyourneighborhood>.

If you have any questions about this project, please contact me at 301-206-8358 or by e-mail at [Vicente.Sorra@wsscwater.com](mailto:Vicente.Sorra@wsscwater.com) and refer to Project No. BRCRLR5925A15. If you experience a water or sewer emergency, please contact our **24-Hour Emergency Call Center** at [301-206-4002](tel:301-206-4002).

Sincerely,

Vicente Sorra  
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Washington Suburban Sanitary Commission

**BATTERY LANE PARK  
WATER MAIN  
REPLACEMENTS / RELOCATIONS**



**AREAS OF WATER MAIN  
REPLACEMENT/RELOCATION**



**WASHINGTON SUBURBAN  
SANITARY COMMISSION**