

## BROOKLYN — PROJECT #SEK002386 REPLACEMENT OF COMBINED SEWERS, BULKHEADING OF EXISTING SEWERS AND WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT IN PARK PLACE

The NYC Department of Design and Construction is investing approximately \$10 Million to upgrade the infrastructure in Prospect Heights, Brooklyn. The SEK002386 project will help improve water quality and limit the likelihood of flooding during extreme weather events by upgrading utilities and replacing or reconstructing combined sewers, catch basins, and other underground components. The anticipated project completion is summer 2024.



# PROJECT QUARTERLY

## WHAT'S NEW AT PROSPECT HEIGHTS

- The SEK002386 contractor has resumed work on the installation of the combined sewer line at Vanderbilt Avenue after successfully coordinating with the MTA to protect a conflicting underground cable discovered in April.

## PROJECT HIGHLIGHTS



*Photo 1: Installation of new proposed 24-inch reinforced concrete pipe combined sewer at Vanderbilt Ave; Photo 2: Removal of storage area and fencing by 250 Park Pl.;*



# WHAT TO LOOK OUT FOR

## PROPOSED WORK SCHEDULE



### September-October

- Excavation for the installation of 24-inch reinforced concrete pipe for combined sewer line at Vanderbilt Ave between Park Pl and Sterling Pl.
- Excavation for the installation of 36-inch reinforced concrete pipe for combined sewer line at the Intersection of Vanderbilt Ave and Park Pl.

### November - December

- Pavement, curb and sidewalk restoration

## ACCOMMODATION FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES



If you or someone you know may be uniquely impacted by this project, please contact the project CCL and/or RE, as soon as possible, to make them aware of your situation or concern.

## COMMUNITY IMPACTS



During construction hours, you can expect the following:

- Parking and driveway/loading dock restrictions. Signs will be posted within the affected areas. Emergency vehicle access and pedestrian access to sidewalk and buildings will be maintained at all times. Parking and driveway restrictions will be cleared as soon as possible.
- Water service interruptions. For the remainder of the project there will be occasional water service interruptions to allow for pipe replacement. Advanced notice will be given for all planned interruptions. Water service will be restored by the end of each day.
- Vehicular travel lane closures will be required, as well as detours. Warning signs will be posted in advance.
- Increased levels of dust, noise, and heavy equipment.

## DID YOU KNOW?

In 1799, the Manhattan Company was selected to provide clean water to Lower Manhattan using underground hollowed pine tree trunks. Unfortunately, the system proved unreliable as the wooden pipes were susceptible to leaks, low pressure and invading roots.

Source: 1) *The New York Times: Intact Pipes From 1800s Once Carried Water, Though Not Very Well* By Andy Newman

Source: 2) <https://morrisjumei.org/collection/water-main/>



### Community Construction Liaison (CCL)

The DDC has assigned Shernell Pemberton, as the Community Construction Liaison (CCL) for this project. Please contact Ms. Pemberton for project updates or any project related inquiries/concerns you may have.

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