

TUCKER WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT

Frequently Asked Questions

1. What is the purpose of the Tucker Water Main Replacement project?

The purpose of the Tucker Water Main Replacement Project is to replace an aging water main and install new hydrants, meters and service connections. As part of the project, crews will replace an existing six-inch water main with new, eight-inch water pipe and restore paving excavated for pipe installation. These new water mains will help manage current and future demand for water services in your community.

2. Will the work be done in phases and if so, when will the first phase begin and end?

No, the contractor will progressively work down one street at a time, installing new water line, valves and service connections, and resurfacing as they go. The project will be completed in approximately five (5) months, with anticipated completion in mid-August 2018.

3. What is the location of the water main replacement work and what are the work hours during construction?

The Tucker Water Main Replacement Project will take place on First Avenue from Bancroft Circle to Lynburn Drive, Fourth Street from Lavista Road to Railroad Avenue, Railroad Avenue from Fourth Street to Main Street and Church Street, east of Fourth Street. Normal construction hours will be from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding major holidays. However, in some instances, expanded weekday hours or weekend work could be necessary. Certain sections will be constructed at night to reduce impact to traffic and businesses.

4. How will this project impact my daily routine?

You should expect to see heavy construction equipment along the project route. At certain times during construction, there will be single-lane closures along the construction route. This is expected to cause heavy traffic and possible delays along portions of Lavista Road, Main Street, 4th Street and 1st Avenue. Traffic safety measures will be implemented to help motorists move safely through the construction zone.

5. Who can I contact if I have additional questions or need more information about the Tucker Water Main Replacement Project?

Please call the DWM Outreach team and provide a current phone number and email address to be added to the community contact list. For general project updates or information, contact the DWM Project Information Line at: 1-800-986-1108, Monday through Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m., or email: projectinfo@dekalbcountyga.gov.