

# MAPLEWOOD MANOR UPDATE

City of Rockford Utility Improvement Project  
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## Project Progress

- Temporary water in phase 3B will be removed and homes will be put back on the permanent main next week pending passing test results. Please see sidebar.
- Street and curb patches in 3B will also take place next week.
- Water main will be burst south of CR 33 for homes in phase 4.
- New water main will be installed along High Street south of CR 33, west of the apartment building.
- Crews will be working on High Street for the next 1-2 weeks. Portions will be closed at times, so please use Elmwood as the primary access to the neighborhood. Bus traffic will be maintained.
- Crews will also be working near CR 33 at High, Ash, and Maple. Please use caution on this stretch of CR 33. Please observe all traffic signage in these areas.
- Continue to use Elmwood as primary entrance to the neighborhood.
- Mainline sanitary sewer lining activities will begin in late September. This will consist of cleaning and televising the main. The crew will have trucks parked over manholes in the center of the streets for this work. They will not be digging for this work, please use caution when approaching and passing these vehicles.

## What can you do?

- It is the City's priority to maintain a safe environment during this project. Safety involves not only the City and the Contractors, but the residents as well. We ask that you:
  - Stay a safe distance from equipment and excavations.
  - Drive with caution throughout the construction project area, obeying construction signs.
  - Respect the construction notices with regards to parking and access to areas of the site.
- In an emergency, dial 911.
- Following water shutdowns and switches to temporary water, residents may experience a discoloration in the water on the first use. This discoloration is due to mineral deposits that have settled out of the water over time in the pipes, and have been stirred up during the shutdowns. This water is safe to drink, but the City recommends the homeowner runs an outside faucet, or a basement faucet (cold water) until any water discoloration is gone to prevent the mineral deposits from being run through water heaters, or faucet filters, which may result in the plugging of faucets and water heaters.
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