

RECONSTRUCTION NEWSLETTER

OFFICE OF COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND NOTIFICATION

Borough: Manhattan

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RECONSTRUCTION OF TRUNK WATER MAINS ALONG EAST 59TH ST. Project ID#: MED600

THE DDC CONTINUES WORK ON THE EAST 59TH STREET TRUNK WATER MAIN PROJECT

The New York City Department of Design and Construction (NYCDDC) is managing a project to reconstruct existing water mains and utility infrastructure in the vicinity of the Queensboro Bridge. A significant element of the project is the construction of new trunk water mains that will connect to a shaft distribution chamber of City Water Tunnel No. 3. Curbs and sidewalks will be replaced where necessary. The anticipated project completion date is Summer 2013.

PROJECT STATUS

Con Edison electric relocation and upgrade work is currently being performed in preparation of the trunk water main installation work.

WORK COMPLETED AS OF FEBRUARY 2011

Installation of 8" and 20" gas main

- Intersection of E. 59th St. and 1st Ave.

Installation of 16" high pressure gas main

- 1st Ave. between E. 59th St. and E. 60th St.

Installation of 20" gas main

- 2nd Ave. between E. 58th St. and E. 59th St.

Installation of 8" gas main

- E. 59th St. between 2nd Ave. and 3rd Ave.

WORK SCHEDULED: MARCH/APRIL 2011

- Con Edison electric relocation and upgrade work will continue throughout the project limits.

SANITATION PICK UP – EAST 59TH STREET BETWEEN 1ST AVENUE AND 2ND AVENUE

Due to the New York City Department of Design and Construction's (NYCDDC) installation of construction safety barricades, access to the south curb line on East 59th Street between 1st Avenue and 2nd Avenue continues to be restricted. In order to ensure proper sanitation pick up, please remember to place all trash bags at the designated sanitation pick up point on the block. **Failure to do so may result in 1) trash not being picked up, and/or 2) summons issued by The City of New York Department of Sanitation to the building in violation.** Residential sanitation pick-up will be coordinated by DDC with The City of New York Dept. of Sanitation. All businesses are advised to contact their private carting company (as applicable) to coordinate private sanitation pick up. Please place your trash bags in the nearest designated area to ensure pick up.



Workers perform 8-inch gas main installation on 1st Ave. between E. 59th St. and E. 60th St.

COMMUNITY CONSTRUCTION LIAISON

The DDC has assigned a Community Construction Liaison (CCL), **Sarah Wilmoth**, to this project. Please contact **Ms. Wilmoth** for all project related inquiries/concerns or to be added to the e-mail distribution list.

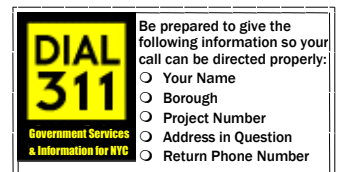
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Project updates are also available through the NYCDDC website at www.nyc.gov/buildnyc.

NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION

Construction Newsletters will be distributed in the area under construction and at key locations including:

- ◆ **Community Boards 6 & 8**
- ◆ **Pesce Pasta (1079 1st Ave.)**
- ◆ **Financier Patisserie (989 3rd Ave.)**

During non-business hours, problems can be reported by dialing 311.