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Lafayette Blvd & Gibson St Sanitary Sewer Replacement Project

Line replacement work set to begin week of July 29

(Fredericksburg, VA) July 19, 2019 – The Department of Public Works plans to replace a section of sanitary sewer line at the intersection of Lafayette Boulevard and Gibson Street, adjacent to the Hillcrest United Methodist Church, starting the week of July 29. Work is scheduled to occur between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. each weekday and the project is expected to last three to four weeks. Motorists should anticipate single lane closures and watch for flaggers while this work is being completed.

An old section of sewer main beneath Gibson Street that connects to the sewer main along Lafayette Boulevard needs to be replaced due to deteriorating conditions. The location of the project is in the 2300 block of Lafayette Boulevard adjacent to the Hillcrest United Methodist Church.

Beginning the week of July 29th motorists should anticipate alternating single lane traffic on Lafayette Boulevard with control by flaggers between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. Motorists on Gibson Street should also anticipate traffic control by flaggers during this time.

The Department of Public Works will make every effort to minimize impacts to traffic on Lafayette Boulevard during the project; however, traffic delays may be unavoidable and motorists are urged to use alternate routes around the work zone until the project is completed. For more information, questions or comments please contact the Public Works Department at 540-372-1023 or www.fredericksburgva.gov.

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