Welcome to the

Excelsior Lift Station 20 Project Public Meeting

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Shorewood/Excelsior Lift Station 20 Project
MCES Project 802856

Virtual Open House
June 9, 2021, 5:30pm
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Meet the presenters of the
Shorewood/Excelsior Lift Station 20
Project Open House

Dan Pfeiffer  
Dan Fick  
Tom Melody  
Morgan Dawley
Public Hearing Purpose

- Summarize the construction and improvement plans
- Show locations and explain work being done
- Discuss potential impacts during construction
- Answer your questions
WHO WE SERVE
7 - county Twin Cities Metro Area
110 communities
3,000 square miles
2,700,000+ people

OUR FACILITIES
9 wastewater treatment plants
640 miles of interceptors
61 lift stations (pumping stations)
250 million gallons per day (average)
Terms & Definitions

• **MCES**: Metropolitan Council Environmental Services

• **Wastewater Sewer System**: A system of underground pipes that carries wastewater (or sewage) away from buildings. Cities operate their own local wastewater sewer systems within a community. MCES operates the regional wastewater sewer system that carries wastewater from city systems to our treatment plants, similar to how a freeway system carries regional traffic.

• **Interceptor Sewers**: A system of underground pipes that carries wastewater (or sewage) from local community wastewater sewer systems to regional treatment plants.

• **Lift Station**: Pump station that assists the movement of wastewater in the interceptor system by gravity or pressure.

• **Meter Station**: Station that records the flowrate of wastewater in the interceptor system. Can be located at a Lift Station or an independent station or vault.
Project Schedule

We are Here
Open house

June 2021

Anticipated project finish
November 2024

Fall 2021
Bidding

2022
Anticipated work
• Oak Street
• William Street
• College Ave
• Water Street

2023
Anticipated work
• Water Street
• Grathwol Lane
• Hwy 7
• Galpin Lake Road
• Excelsior Elementary School

Construction schedules are subject to change based on weather or other unforeseen circumstances
Project Locations
Construction
Construction Maps – Phase 1

**Construction zone:** Oak Street between William Street and Beehrle Avenue

- Two-way traffic will be maintained on Oak Street from 7:30 am to 7:00pm
- Anticipated night work for a limited time at Oak Street and William Street intersection from 7:00pm-7:30am
  - Reduced to one lane on Oak
Construction Maps – Phase 2

**Construction zone:** William Street north and south of Oak Street
- Does not include the intersection of William Street and Oak Street
- Road will be closed to thru traffic
  - Open to residential driveways during off hours only
Construction Maps – Phase 3

**Construction zones:** College Ave between William Street and Water Street and Grathwol Lane.

- Grathwol Lane will be closed during pavement removal and replacement only.
- College Avenue will be closed to thru traffic
  - Open to residential driveways during off hours only
Construction Maps – Phase 4

**Construction zone:** Water Street between Academy Avenue and Oak Street

- Road will be closed to thru traffic
Construction Maps – Phase 5

Construction zone: Right on/off lane on north and southbound Highway 7
• Road will be closed to thru traffic
Construction Maps – Phase 6

Construction zone: Galpin Lake Road, Highway 7 and Excelsior Elementary School.

• Galpin Lake Road at Highway 7 will be closed to thru traffic
• Highway 7 right turn lane to Galpin Lake Road will be closed
• Work at Excelsior Elementary School will occur between June 15th and August 15th
Project Highlights

• College Avenue
  – Pedestrian walking path on one side
  – Tree preservation

• Water Street
  – Landscaping to reduce headlight glare
  – Pedestrian walking path on one side

• Highway 7 proposed sanitary sewer crossing (tunnel)

• Oak Street
  – Maintain two-way traffic during day hours
  – Anticipated night work at Oak Street and William Street intersection
    7:00pm-7:30am
    o Reduced to one lane
Designs Continued (College Avenue)
Designs Continued (Water Street)
Designs Continued (Highway 7)
Designs Continued (Lift Station)
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How to ask questions

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