

Lift Station Fuel Tank Replacement Project

Construction Update: June 4, 2021

Issue 1

Construction began April 2021

Metropolitan Council Environmental Services (MCES) is replacing diesel fuel tanks at five lift stations in the metro area throughout the next few months. An existing underground fuel tank will be removed and replaced with a new above ground fuel tank. This improvement project is needed to meet MPCA regulations and supply emergency fuel to the lift stations.

The projects will be completed by late summer 2021. No major impacts are anticipated for the surrounding areas. Work will take place at five sites: Savage, Plymouth, Orono, Eagan, and Apple Valley. Project work is expected to occur **April 2021 through Fall 2021.**

Each of the five sites will consist of the following construction activities:

- Prepare construction site
- Remove existing underground tank
- Backfill hole from underground tank
- Lay concrete slab for new aboveground tank
- Install new tank
- Pipe and electric work
- Restore construction site

Completed work

Construction began on the L66 Savage site (6220 125th St) in late-April and is scheduled to be completed in late spring. Crews have started removals and will be preparing the site for the new aboveground tank.

Upcoming work

May 2021

- Continued construction at Lift Station 66 - Savage
- Lift Station 29 - Plymouth
 - *This site is located on 9900 Hwy 55. Work will begin in late spring through early summer.*
- Lift Station 44 - Orono
 - *This site is located on 3270 North Shore Drive. Work will begin early summer through mid-summer.*

June 2021

- Lift Station 57 – Eagan
 - *This site is located on 2861 Hwy 55. Work will begin Mid-summer through late summer.*
- Lift Station 15 – Apple Valley
 - *This site is located on 160th St W. Work will begin in late summer through early fall.*

What to expect

Residents and businesses near the construction sites will receive communication prior to the project's beginning. Major impacts are not anticipated at this time.

Stay informed

For more information, to sign up for project e-mail/text updates, or to view past project updates, [visit the project website](#).

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