Pipe cleaning continues between 26th and Hiawatha Avenues

Crews continue cleaning the pipe underneath 38th Street on the west side of Hiawatha Avenue to 26th Avenue. Here’s what to expect during pipe cleaning in this area for the next few months:

- Temporary, intermittent traffic control will be setup in the middle of the road.
- Two-way traffic will be maintained, with cars being diverted to the outside driving lanes.
- Parking will not be permitted in the work areas. Please expect the no parking signs to be in place on a frequent basis.

Once crews have cleaned the entire underground system, they will repeat the work again to make the necessary repairs on the underground pipe. Please expect intermittent traffic control to continue for the next few months in this area.

38th Street closure between 44th and 45th Avenues continues through early summer 2022

The current closure of 38th Street between 44th and 45th Avenues is now expected to remain closed through early summer 2022. The long-term closure is necessary for crews to continue to use the maintenance hole to access the underground pipe. Crews will also use the maintenance hole to bring in materials and equipment to make repairs on the pipe. Please be aware of a few other impacts:

- Non-local traffic will be detoured to use 42nd Avenue, 42nd Street and 46th Avenue.
- Metro Transit buses will be detoured to use 42nd Avenue, 39th Street and 46th Avenue.
  - Parking will not be permitted on 39th Street between 42nd and 46th Avenues.
- Alleyways, driveways, and north/south movements will remain open on 38th Street.

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