



# Project Newsletter

Public Works Agency



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## 2023 Water Main Improvements and Street Resurfacing Project

*February 13, 2024*

### **Crain Street from Ridge Avenue to Sherman Avenue**

#### **Description**

Over the next eight to ten weeks, water main improvements will be taking place on Crain Street from Ridge Avenue to Sherman Avenue. This work involves water main replacement, water service replacement, minor sewer improvements, concrete curb and sidewalk repairs, as needed, street resurfacing, and parkway restoration. The project will also include the replacement of all lead service lines into homes. To participate, property owners must sign a Right-of-Entry (ROE) form. If a property owner has declined to participate, the water service line will be replaced to the parkway and a waiver will be requested.

#### **Lead Service Line Replacement**

To obtain a copy of the ROE, please call 311 or (847) 448-4311, email [water@cityofevanston.org](mailto:water@cityofevanston.org), or obtain it directly from the website (noted below). Please review the FAQ for additional questions/reponses at <https://www.evanstonleadreplacement.org/>. Replacement of the lead service line into your home is free for those who participate and submit an ROE! Once your ROE is received, a representative of the Contractor will contact you to schedule a time to meet to check your service line material and discuss any specific questions that you may have.

## **Schedule**

Work is anticipated to begin within the next two weeks. The exact date construction activities are scheduled to begin will be noted on temporary construction zone no parking signs posted a minimum of 48 hours in advance of the work. Due to testing, inspection, and work sequencing requirements, construction does not operate continuously for the duration of the project. Site activity levels will vary from week to week.

If you have provided a signed ROE form and have a lead service line into your home, a representative of the Contractor will be contacting you while the water main improvements are taking place to schedule a time to enter your home to discuss the replacement of your lead service line.

Parking will be prohibited during daytime work hours (7:00 AM to 5:00 PM) while construction takes place. Street sweeping parking restrictions will be waived for a one block radius around the construction zone when temporary daytime no parking is in effect. Every effort will be made to complete the work in a timely manner to minimize any inconveniences caused by the construction.

## **Contractor**

The contractor for this project is Bolder Contractors, Inc. (316 Cary Point Drive, Cary, IL 60013).

## **City Contact**

This project will be monitored by the City's Capital Planning & Engineering Bureau. If you have any questions or concerns during construction, please do not hesitate to contact the Resident Engineer Angeleo Alonzo at (224) 723-7487. Questions about the project in general should be directed to Bridget Nash, Senior Project Manager at (847) 448-8102 or [bnash@cityofevanston.org](mailto:bnash@cityofevanston.org).