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Wastewater Improvements Coming Soon



Gum Branch Wastewater Pipe
Replacement Project



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WHAT: Sanders Utility Construction, under Charlotte Water's supervision, will start installing a new wastewater pipe along Gum Branch starting in May. The project is estimated to take a year. You are invited to attend a public meeting to learn more about the upcoming project.

WHEN: April 24th - Come talk to Charlotte Water staff at A Mighty Fortress Lutheran Church (8200 McClure Circle). Drop-by anytime between 5:30 and 7:00 p.m.

WHERE: Beside Gum Branch creek in construction easements (see map).

WHAT TO EXPECT

- Construction can be loud, dirty, and inconvenient. Crews will be using large excavators and storing materials on construction easements.

- **Clearing** – Trees, shrubs, bushes and other vegetation within the construction easement area will be removed. Debris will be transported off site.

- **Pipe delivery and storage** – Pipes and other equipment are delivered and stored within the construction easements.

- **Establishing a safe work zone** – Fencing will be put in place and pipe will be stabilized to prevent it from moving.

- **Trench digging.**

- **Placing pipe and backfilling.**

- **Underground rock blasting** to install the pipe. Residents may hear a warning horn just prior to the blast. The area will be monitored with seismographs to gauge earth vibration levels as required. Blasting is a standard construction procedure and all safety precautions will be taken.

- **Construction traffic** in the easements and road right-of-way. Once pipe is installed near your property, you may continue to see construction traffic along the easements until the pipe is tested, manholes are adjusted and restoration is complete.

SAFETY: Please be aware of your surroundings near the construction site and report any safety concerns to the project inspector as soon as possible.

QUESTIONS: Call Irene 'Tasha' Okioga at 704-336-1063, Irene.Okioga@charlottenc.gov or Cam Coley at 704-336-1018, ccoley@charlottenc.gov. Learn about your water at www.charlottewater.org.

