

RECONSTRUCTION NEWSLETTER

OFFICE OF COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND NOTIFICATION

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RECONSTRUCTION OF TRUNK WATER MAINS ALONG EAST 59TH STREET Project ID#: MED600

THE DDC CONTINUES WORK ON THE EAST 59TH STREET TRUNK WATER MAIN PROJECT

The New York City Department of Design and Construction (NYCDDC) is managing a capital construction project to reconstruct existing water mains and utility infrastructure in the vicinity of the Queensboro Bridge. A significant element of the project is the construction of new trunk water mains that will connect to a shaft distribution chamber of City Water Tunnel No. 3. Curbs and sidewalks will be replaced where necessary. The anticipated project completion date is Summer 2013.

PROJECT STATUS

Con Edison electric relocation and upgrade work continues throughout the project limits.

DDC's installation of the 48-inch trunk water main is currently taking place on E. 59th St. between 1st Ave. and 2nd Ave. and on 2nd Ave. between E. 58th St. and E. 60th St.

WORK COMPLETED AS OF AUGUST 2011

Installation of 8" and 20" gas main, two catch basins and basin connections

- Intersection of E. 59th St. and 1st Ave.

Installation of 16" high pressure gas main

- 1st Ave. between E. 59th St. and E. 60th St.

Installation of 20" gas main, and 12" distribution water main

- 2nd Ave. between E. 58th St. and E. 59th St.

Installation of 8" gas main

- E. 59th St. between 2nd Ave. and 3rd Ave.
- 3rd Ave. between E. 58th St. and E. 59th St.

Installation of 12" distribution water main

- E. 59th St. between 1st Ave. and 2nd Ave.

Installation of 20" distribution water main

- 3rd Ave. between E. 58th St. and E. 60th St.

Installation of 12" and 20" distribution water main

- 1st Ave. between E. 58th St. and E. 60th St.

WORK SCHEDULED: SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2011

Con Edison electric relocation and upgrade work will continue throughout the project limits.

DDC's installation of the 48-inch trunk water main will continue on E. 59th St. between 1st Ave. and 2nd Ave. and on 2nd Ave. between E. 58th St. and E. 60th St. The installation of the 48-inch trunk water main is expected to begin on 1st Ave. between E. 58th St. and E. 60th St.



Workers prepare to install a section of the 48-inch trunk water main on E. 59th St. between 1st Ave. and 2nd Ave.

COMMUNITY CONSTRUCTION LIAISON

The DDC has assigned a Community Construction Liaison (CCL), **Sarah Wilmoth**, to this project. Please contact **Ms. Wilmoth** for all project related inquiries/concerns or to be added to the e-mail distribution list.

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Project updates are also available through the NYCDDC website at www.nyc.gov/buildnyc.

NEWSLETTER DISTRIBUTION

Construction Newsletters will be distributed in the area under construction and at key locations including:

- ◆ Community Boards 6 & 8
- ◆ First Choice Locksmith (346 E. 59th St.)

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