

Great Road Water Main Improvement Project

The Bedford Selectmen recently awarded a contract to W. Walsh Company to clean and line the water mains on Great Road between Masardis Street and Fletcher Road. The cleaning and lining process scrapes off deposits within the water main and then applies a cement lining on the inside of the pipe to prohibit the future growth of rust. Work along Great Road will be done in sections, starting with the area between Shawsheen Road and the Stop&Shop plaza.

In order to perform this work, the existing water main will be taken out of service. Temporary service pipe will be installed and properties will be connected to the temporary pipe. Hydrant connections will be set to maintain emergency fire protection throughout the project.

The project will start the week of April 15th. Work hours will be Monday thru Friday, 7:00 am to 3:00 pm, weather dependent. The road will remain open at all times, although minor delays around the construction site should be expected. The work should be complete by Labor Day.

Bedford Water Division personnel will be overseeing this project. Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact the DPW at (781) 275-7605.