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Public Works News Release

Work on Hanby Starts Soon

Work is expected to start next Wednesday, 31 March on the project to construct new water line the full length of Hanby Avenue. The City of Bishop project will replace small and deteriorated water line with new larger pipe and construct new water line to fill in an important gap in the city's water system. The \$300,000 project includes new hydrants at intersections and new services to each property along Hanby. The project is funded from city water funds. The contractor is PE Pacific Engineering from Bakersfield, California.

The project extends from East Line Street to East Yaney Street along Hanby Avenue. The portion of the project from East Line Street to East Pine Street will be constructed first to have that section ready for the pavement reconstruction project planned to start in mid May. To construct the new and replacement pipes, trenching will be necessary the full length of Hanby and in intersections along the street. To minimize impacts, the water line pipe will be constructed in sections, probably a block at a time.

Parking will be restricted during the day Monday through Friday while work is underway and at other times when necessary. Construction materials, equipment, workers, and trenches in the street will require attention and will impact pedestrian and vehicle traffic. There will be ongoing lane and street closures and vehicle access to properties will be restricted at times. All efforts will be made to minimize the impacts and restrictions, but residents, drivers, and pedestrians should be cautious, take alternate routes when available, be alert for hidden hazards, and be patient with some inconvenience and with short delays. Short water shutoffs will be required during construction. Residents will be advised in advance of these shutoffs and their planning, cooperation, and patience will be greatly appreciated.

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