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Public Works News Release

Hanby Work Moving North

There is new water line in the ground most of the first block of Hanby Avenue between East Line Street and Willow Street. The water line is being installed as part of a City of Bishop project to construct new water line the full length of Hanby Avenue in Bishop. The \$300,000 city project will replace a leak-prone water line and construct new water line to fill in an important gap in the city's water system. The contractor is PE Pacific Engineering of Bakersfield.

Next week, the contractor plans to construct water line north to near May Street and further north after that. Once the new water line has been constructed as far as East Pine Street, the contractor plans to fill the water line with water, test it for leaks and bacteria, and then flush it well. The new water line will also be connected to the water lines at cross streets. New services will be constructed to each house. Connections at cross streets and to the new water services will require water shut offs. Residents will be advised in advance of these shutoffs and their planning, cooperation, and patience will be greatly appreciated.

Parking is restricted during the day Monday through Friday while work is underway and at other times when necessary. Vehicles not observing the parking restriction may be towed.

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.

Work on the project to replace the pavement on Hanby between Line and Pine is expected to start about the middle of May.

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