Project Neighbor
4677 Overland Ave.
San Diego, CA 92123

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Dear Project Neighbor,

You are receiving this letter because your property is within the Water Authority’s right of way and will experience some impacts during the upcoming Northern First Aqueduct Structures and Lining Rehabilitation Project.

Beginning in October 2018, the Water Authority will rehabilitate approximately 2.8 miles of Pipelines 1 and 2 in 9 separate segments along a 14-mile stretch of pipeline traversing the communities of Valley Center, Escondido and San Diego. Additionally, the project includes rehabilitating manways, blow offs, and air vents along the system. The project will extend the service life of the pipeline up to 75 years. Construction of the project is anticipated to occur in phases and be complete in Winter 2020. Construction impacts will vary by property. Below is more information about the project and what to expect.

Your Property & What to Expect

Construction crews will rehabilitate a structure used to access the pipeline on your property. The work includes installing a new structure top, updating the piping and valves, improving access, and implementing corrosion prevention measures.

This section of the Water Authority’s system was installed in the 1940’s and 50’s. These upgrades are needed to bring the facilities up to code and ensure system reliability.

To avoid night work and minimize the amount of time the pipeline is out of service, construction will occur from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Saturday.

What We Need from You
Your property has some challenges we’d like to discuss with you. Please reach out to us so we can coordinate with you:
Email: CIPinfo@sdcwa.org
Call: (877) 682-9283, ext. 7009

Project Schedule

- August 2018: Advertise Contract
- September 2018: Award Contract
- October 2018: Construction Begins
- Winter 2020: Construction Ends

Project Benefits

1. Extends pipeline’s service life
2. Ensures water system reliability
3. Less impactful to community and environment
4. Costs significantly less than other repair methods

Contact Us – We’d Like to Connect with You

We are available to answer any questions you have about the project, and if you prefer, we can schedule a time for you to meet with the project engineer at your property. For questions or to set up a meeting, please contact us at:

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Thank you for your cooperation,

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