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2020 South Interceptor and North Forestview Improvement Project Update

June 11, 2021

Construction of:

- South Interceptor Forcemain
- Lift Station
- Sanitary Sewer
- Watermain
- Storm Sewer
- Street Reconstruction

Construction Duration:

Start: April 27, 2020

Finish: July 16, 2021

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Dates

This past week sodding continued, and areas were prepped for seed, fertilizer, and reinforced fiber matrix.

On June 9, 2021 the City Council adopted watering restrictions. Details of the restrictions are listed on Page 2 of this project update.

Planned work for the week of June 14th to June 18th is:

- The sodding contractor will be on-site completing areas that were not seeded or sodded in 2020, placing new sod along the edge of streets where sod was recently removed, and repairing areas as needed.
 - With the hot and dry conditions mowing the new sod is not recommended. If you do mow, please mow as high as possible with a recommended height of 6".
 - As the strip along the street is resodded please do not mow this area to allow for the sod to take root.
- Seeding, fertilizing, and spraying reinforced fiber matrix in areas that are not sodded is planned Monday to Wednesday.
- Punchlist items and miscellaneous clean up throughout the project. If there is debris or items needing to be removed adjacent to your property, please notify project contacts.

Service Connections

- Sewer and water services will be constructed as close as possible to your property line as part of the city project. Homeowners will be responsible for hiring a contractor to abandon or remove the existing septic system and make the sewer and water connections between the property line and the house.
- Attached is the list of excavators certified with the City of Baxter.



Watering Restrictions

On June 9, 2021 the City Council adopted the following watering restrictions. Baxter has a daytime irrigation ban and an odd-even watering schedule to ensure adequate water supply and promote conservation.

WATERING SCHEDULE AND TIMES:

Odd - Even Schedule

- Homes or businesses with even-numbered addresses may water their lawns on even-numbered dates.
- Homes or businesses with odd-numbered addresses may water on odd-numbered dates.

Example: If you live at 13562 Memorywood Drive you could water the lawn on even numbered dates - July 18, 20, 22, and so on.

Lawn watering is not allowed between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6 p.m. on your scheduled days.

Exceptions: If you are watering from a private well on your property or using a water pump to move water from a lake or river you would be exempt from this watering restriction.

PROPERTIES WITH NEW SOD OR SEEDED AREAS:

An exception to the watering restrictions will be to allow proper watering of new sod or seeded areas. Daily watering of new sod and seed is recommended for the first 14 days to establish root growth. After two weeks, normal watering should be sufficient for establishing a new lawn. The planting of new sod or seed during very dry times of the year is discouraged.

FINES/VIOLATION SURCHARGES:

If compliance of the watering restrictions are not being adhered to the Baxter City Council will consider implementing fines.

Please contact the Public Works Department with any questions or concerns at (218) 454-5135.



Updates

If you have questions or concerns at any time, please contact Bryan or Alex at the phone number or email address listed.

Bolton & Menk is developing an e-mail distribution list for project updates. Please e-mail Bryan Drown at bryan.drown@bolton-menk.com with the e-mail address(es) you would like updates sent to.

Bolton & Menk has developed a project website where construction updates will be provided. Please check the website for updates. A link to the website is on the City of Baxter website.

The project website address is: <https://clients.bolton-menk.com/baxter2020improvements/>



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