June 26, 2018

Macaulay Point Pump Station: Temporary Sewer Bypass Pumping

There will be temporary sewer bypass pumping at the Macaulay Point Pump Station during the early morning of June 29, 2018 to accommodate video inspection of the influent pipe upstream of the pump station. This work is coordinated as part of the Macaulay Point Pump Station upgrades.

Construction of the new Macaulay Point Pump Station and Forcemain is being built as part of the Wastewater Treatment Project. The upgraded pump station and forcemain will convey wastewater directly to the McLoughlin Point Wastewater Treatment Plant for tertiary treatment and will continue to provide bypass pumping to the existing outfall during heavy storm events.

What to Expect
This work is taking place in the early morning when flows are lowest. The sewage flow must be isolated to accommodate flushing operations and the camera equipment for the inspection. Measures have been taken to dampen the noise coming from the bypass pumps.

Work Hours
- Bypass pumping will occur between 12:00 a.m. and 8:00 a.m.

Traffic Impacts
- Any traffic impacts are expected to be minor.

About the Wastewater Treatment Project

The Wastewater Treatment Project will provide tertiary treatment for wastewater from the core area municipalities of Victoria, Esquimalt, Saanich, Oak Bay, View Royal, Langford and Colwood, and the Esquimalt and Songhees Nations by the end of 2020.

For more information, please visit wastewaterproject.ca.