



August 14, 2018

Macaulay Point Pump Station: Temporary Power Transfer

Temporary utility and power relocations will be completed for the Macaulay Point Pump Station on August 16-17, 2018. This work is coordinated as part of the Macaulay Point Pump Station upgrades. These utilities will allow the ongoing operation of the existing facility while the new pump station is under construction. To facilitate this work, the existing pump station will need to be powered by an external generator.

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

- A temporary generator will be used to allow the existing facility to operate and permit uninterrupted sewage flow while the new utilities are being installed.
- This generator will continue to operate through the night on August 16, returning to utility power prior to the end of the working day on August 17.

Work Hours

- Construction is not expected to extend beyond the work hours of 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., however the generator will continue to operate through the night.

Traffic Impacts

- No traffic disruptions are anticipated as part of this work.

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 and is being built so we comply with federal regulations by the end of 2020.

For more information, please visit wastewaterproject.ca.