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Residual Solids Conveyance Line: Temporary Overnight Work

As part of construction for the Residual Solids Conveyance Line a pipe will be installed across the Colquitz River. The contractor, Knappett Projects Inc., will isolate and dewater a section of the Colquitz River to allow this work to take place. This will require a pump to run continuously until completion. This work will start tomorrow and is anticipated to take up to four days. Overnight noise is to be expected during this time.

After the dewatering is complete a trench will be dug, the pipe will be installed, and the trench will be backfilled. At this point the Colquitz River will be restored to its original condition. All construction work is regularly monitored by a Qualified Environmental Professional with appropriate environmental protections in place.

We appreciate your patience while this work is completed.

Background

Construction of the Residual Solids Conveyance Line includes two pipes and three small pump stations. The first pipe will convey residual solids from the McLoughlin Point Wastewater Treatment Plant to the Residuals Treatment Facility at Hartland Landfill for treatment. The second pipe will return the liquid removed from the residual solids during the treatment process to the Marigold Pump Station, from where it will be returned to the McLoughlin Point Wastewater Treatment Plant through the existing conveyance system.

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.

Any questions about the work, please contact the Project Team.

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