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OAKMONT TREATMENT PLANT SEWER TRUNK RELOCATION

Dear Residents:

The City of Santa Rosa is preparing construction plans to relocate the existing Oakmont Treatment Plant sewer bypass line to the northeastern part of the property. Additionally, the existing underground sewer bypass line will be abandoned and the steel ribbed bridge that supports the existing sewer line as it crosses Oakmont Creek will be removed. Finally, The City will install a new bypass trunk line that will greatly reduce maintenance costs and the risk of sanitary sewer overflows. The project is anticipated to take THREE MONTHS with an estimated start date in June, 2018 (see reverse for Project Limits).

Completion of this project is vital to the integrity of our community infrastructure. Some of the benefits this project will bring to your neighborhood include:

- Upgraded pipe materials to help improve the sewer and water system's performance.
- Reduces the risk of sanitary sewer overflows.
- New sewer lines to (1) reduce the potential for blockages due to tree root intrusion and significantly reduce the need for repairs, and (2) reduce groundwater infiltration into the sewer system, which helps maintain the effectiveness of our Wastewater Treatment Plant.
- Relocate the existing trunk line under Oakmont Creek, greatly diminishing the likelihood of a line break resulting in contamination of the creek and other downstream water bodies.

Though temporary impacts to your neighborhood are inevitable, our goal is to improve our community infrastructure without creating any more disturbance than necessary. The Contractor will be advised that daily and weekly activities such as mail delivery and garbage service must continue during the project. Please feel free to contact me at 707-543-3878 (or e-mail at jtilles@srcity.org) if you have any questions or concerns.

We will update you with another letter approximately two weeks prior to the start of construction. In addition to written communications like this, the City has a special website where you can track the progress of this project. Simply go to www.srcity.org/CIP, view the map, and click on the blue map pin that corresponds to this project. You can also view the list of all Capital Improvement Program projects and find this project under Project ID No: 01805.

Sincerely,

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