

Broward County Water & Wastewater Services

Construction Advisory

Now that construction has started in your neighborhood, Broward County Water & Wastewater Services would like to work with you to maintain safety, lessen inconveniences, and expedite the period of construction. Please observe the following advice.

SPEED LIMIT THROUGH CONSTRUCTION SITE IS 25 MPH

Although disruption of traffic is a normal part of construction, it is the County's goal to provide the least amount of disturbance to your neighborhood.

- ✓ The contractor has placed signs in construction areas to advise you of road closures and detours. Failure to comply with all posted signs could result in damage to your vehicle.

CONSTRUCTION SITES ARE NOT PLAYGROUNDS FOR CHILDREN

When school is in session and children are walking to and from school and when children are outdoors playing, please let them know about the seriousness of:

- ✓ Staying away from the construction site, equipment and parts
- ✓ Follow instructions from construction crewmen who will assist in directing traffic and pedestrians to provide safe passage through this area

WOODEN SURVEY STAKES INSERTED INTO THE GROUND ARE VERY IMPORTANT

- ✓ Please advise your children not to remove them as playthings. Removal of these stakes could lengthen the time it takes to restore roads and swales.

THE USE OF HEAVY MACHINERY IN CONSTRUCTION CAUSES DUST, NOISE AND VIBRATIONS

These inconveniences are inherent to the type of equipment used. Let's work together to lessen their effect on homeowners:

- ✓ Contractors are restricted to work only between the hours of 7AM and 7PM on weekdays, and if necessary on Saturdays to avoid machinery sounds in the evening and at night.
- ✓ During dry periods, roadway are sprayed with water twice a day to reduce dust

AFTER CONSTRUCTION STARTS

- ✓ No items should be left in the area where construction will occur
- ✓ The contractor will dispose of items located in, or extending into the public right-of-way

MAILBOXES LOCATED IN THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY

- ✓ Mailboxes located in the public right-of-way will be temporarily moved onto private property by the contractor and relocated in accordance with U.S. Postal requirements once the work has been completed.

EXISTING SPRINKLERS IN THE SWALE

- ✓ Existing sprinklers in the right-of-way will be removed and capped at the property line during construction by the contractor. Sprinklers on private property will still function and you will still be able to water your lawn. The contractor will reinstall all pre-existing sprinklers in the swale after new sod has been laid.

PRIVATE WATER SYSTEM PIPES

- ✓ Water system pipes located on private property connecting properties to the county's water system have been in place for years and are beginning to experience wear. Property owners may find it useful to replace private water system pipes (at their own expense) as the new system is constructed.

**If you have any questions or concerns, please contact:
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