

Olszewski, Rosemarie (DEQ)

From: Thelen, Mary Beth (DEQ)
Sent: Thursday, October 16, 2014 2:41 PM
To: Olszewski, Rosemarie (DEQ)
Subject: FW: Flint Main Break and Valve replacement
Attachments: Robert T main break and valve replacement notice.pdf; Utility Repairs_Dort Hwy Oct 18 2014.pdf

Please print – please keep confidential. Thanks.

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Sent: Wednesday, October 15, 2014 4:31 PM
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Cc: Prysby, Mike (DEQ); Benzie, Richard (DEQ)
Subject: FW: Flint Main Break and Valve replacement

FYI. The City of Flint is doing some major repair work this weekend as indicated in the attached information. Customers in the affected area are being notified by the City that they may temporarily lose service and that when service is restored should boil their water until the City can verify that the line was properly disinfected through bacteria monitoring results. This protocol follows normal construction repair standards.

To be clear this advisory is not based on any confirmed contamination, but a standard precautionary measure as part of normal construction and repair work.

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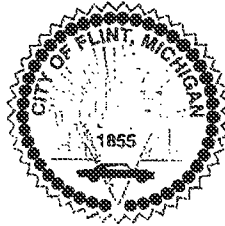
From: Daugherty Johnson [<mailto:djohnson@cityofflint.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, October 15, 2014 4:11 PM
To: Busch, Stephen (DEQ); Prysby, Mike (DEQ)
Cc: Brent Wright; Robert Bincsik
Subject: Re: Main Break and Valve replacement

I have attached the maps and press release we are sending out. The hand drawn is internal info. Please send comments as necessary.

Thanks
 Duffy

On Wed, Oct 15, 2014 at 3:06 PM, Daugherty Johnson <djohnson@cityofflint.com> wrote:
Hello Steve and Mike. The City is planning on repairing a break on a 16" line on Saturday. The shutdown area will also allow us to replace a 24" valve, 18" valve and two 12" valves. We are planning to issue a Boil Notice for the affected areas. Could you please get back with me so we can coordinate what we've got going with your office. You can call me at (810) 577-8906 to set up a conference call.

Thanks
Daugherty 'Duffy' Johnson
Utilities Administrator
City of Flint

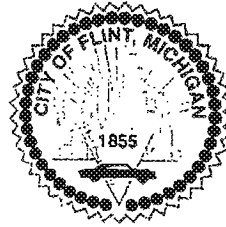


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In the unlikely event that any residents in the area should experience a loss of water or low pressure during the repairs Saturday, they should expect to boil water for 48 hours after service is restored based on testing. Low pressure and discoloration may occur for those affected. The City of Flint asks that residents watch their local news station for announcement of the completion of repairs.

The work being performed will result in improved operational control over our large transmission line down Dort Hwy. which will include improving chlorine residuals in the southern portion of Flint. All of the scheduled work taking place is part of an ongoing, broader plan to examine different sections of the water system citywide for needed repairs and upgrades. Upgrading critical infrastructure such as the water system is a key part of the City's Strategic Plan.

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For Immediate Release

**Major Water Line Repairs Will Take Place in Robert T. Longway Blvd &
Dort Hwy. Area, More Repairs to System Scheduled**

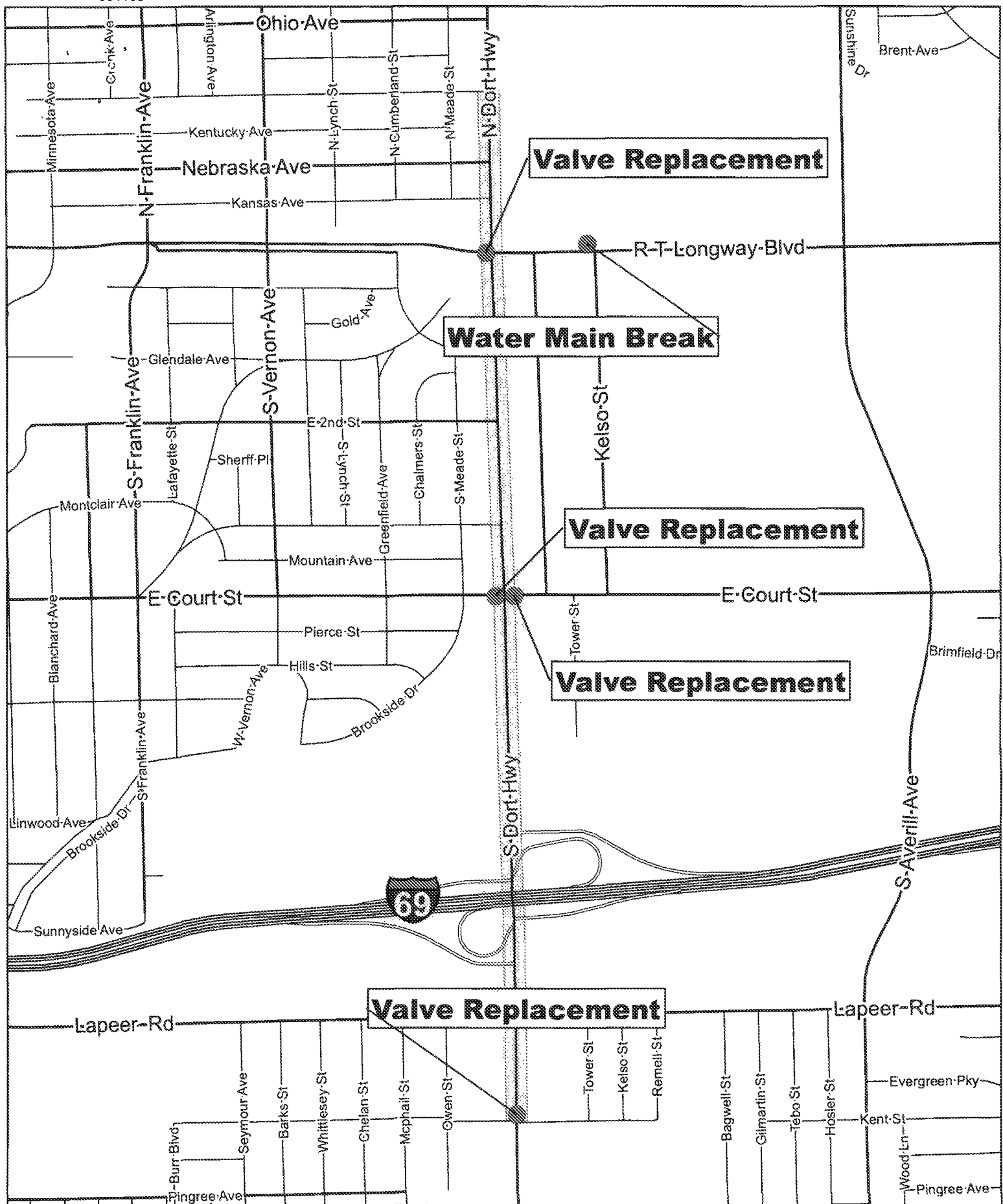
Flint, Michigan – October 15, 2014 – The City of Flint's Department of Public Works has today announced that work on a water main break in the area of Dort and Longway is taking place and will be followed by more scheduled repairs to the system in that area. A break in the sixteen inch water main was discovered a week ago and crews have been examining the surrounding system. As a result, a number of valves in the area have been identified for repairs which will begin on Saturday, October 18, 2014.

This work will be on a part of the City's water transmission system, to which no residential customers are connected. However, there will be a reduction of pressure to the system, which may cause low water pressure in the surrounding area. In accordance with DEQ regulations we will be issuing a Boil Water Notice for the highlighted area (see attached map). Only residents who have low pressure during this 12 hour period are affected. Once again, this is merely a precaution and no one in the affected area should be directly connected to the portion of the system being repaired.

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