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MSD Lick Run Project Update:
Construction to Start Along Queen City Avenue

CINCINNATI – The Metropolitan Sewer District of Greater Cincinnati (MSD) will begin installing new storm sewers along Queen City Avenue in early January 2018. Construction will be completed by the end of 2018, with final restoration in spring 2019.

The work will occur between Sunset Avenue and the Vantage Pointe West apartment complex in Westwood. See attached project map. The storm sewers will collect rainwater from Queen City Avenue and ultimately convey it to the Lick Run Greenway in South Fairmount.

This effort, part of the Lick Run Project (www.projectgroundwork.org/lickrun), will keep stormwater out of MSD’s combined sewer system and help reduce combined sewer overflows (CSOs) into the Mill Creek.

MSD’s construction contractor is MAC Construction & Excavating Company. Construction will occur primarily Monday through Thursday during daylight hours, depending on weather and the contractor’s schedule. Work on Friday or weekends may be necessary at times.

About 7,600 linear feet of new storm sewers will be installed along the north side of Queen City Avenue. The work will begin just west of Sunset Avenue and proceed west.

Traffic will be down to one lane in each direction in the construction zone. Access to homes and businesses will be maintained at all times, but delays may occur.

For additional information about the project, please contact MSD Engineering Customer Service at (513) 557-3594 or MSD.Communications@cincinnati-oh.gov or visit www.projectgroundwork.org/lickrun.

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