

On Monday, September 16, 2019, Biagio Delvillano <bdelvillano@delawareengineering.com> wrote:

Good morning Ellen,

We would like to provide an update to the folks in McKownville for the work associated with McKown Road and also its scheduled reopening dates. If you will be kind enough to pass this on through the McKownville Improvement Association email it will be greatly appreciated. We spoke with NYSDOT this morning and we now have their blessing to complete the storm piping work at the intersection of McKown Road and NYS RT20. This work was held up due to an interference with National Grid gas piping that was in a location that did not allow for a new storm manhole to be installed at its originally designed location. No one knew the accurate location of this gas piping until it was remarked at the time of new storm piping installation.

This change in piping and manhole alignments required revised manhole pieces along with resubmitting revised plans and shop drawings to the New York State Department Of Transportation for approvals for which we now have approvals. We have made the necessary NYSDOT road closure notifications which will put us at a Wednesday, 9-18-2019 start on McKown Road. This pipe work should be completed by Thursday, September 19TH.

The restoration work for the rest of McKown Road has been ongoing with paving scheduled for next week, September 26th, 2019. So, McKown Rd. should be reopened the day the paving is completed which is scheduled as September 26th, 2019. Please keep in mind that the paving at the intersection of McKown Rd. and NYS RT20 will be temporary pavement put in place to allow the reopening of this road (NYSDOT Requirement) while the new concrete manhole section is being prepared.

Once the contractor takes delivery of the new manhole section we will need to close this road for an additional 2 to 3 days to complete the installation and get the road paved. We're hoping the required manhole piece for this work will be onsite within the next 2 weeks.

So to recap:

Last portions of storm piping on McKown Rd. scheduled to be completed 9-19-2019.

Paving on McKown Rd. scheduled to be in place 9-26-2019.

Reopening of McKown Rd. scheduled for 9-26-2019.

When the revised manhole section arrives in approximately two weeks, McKown Rd. will then be shut down for 2 to 3 days to install the casting and to also complete NYSDOT final paving. All of the above is of course weather dependent so there may be some movement in schedule should inclement weather arrive. We would like to thank everyone affected by these delays for their patience and understanding with this difficult portion of the Storm Sewer Improvement project.

Regards, Biagio.

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