Welcome to

The Bay Park Conveyance Project

Public Information Session

April 6, 2021













Virtual Meeting Format





Members of the public join via URL, Zoom Meeting ID, or Phone





Project Presentation





Live Question & Answer Session

To Ask a Question

- Use the raise hand feature to indicate you have a question OR enter your question using the chat function at the bottom of the screen.
- When called upon during the live Q&A, a member of the Project Team will unmute your audio. You will then have to unmute yourself.
- State your name and affiliation prior to asking your question.







Agenda

- 1 Bay Park Conveyance Project
- **2** Construction Overview
- 3 Construction Look Ahead
- 4 Public & Stakeholder Outreach
- **5** Question & Answer Session



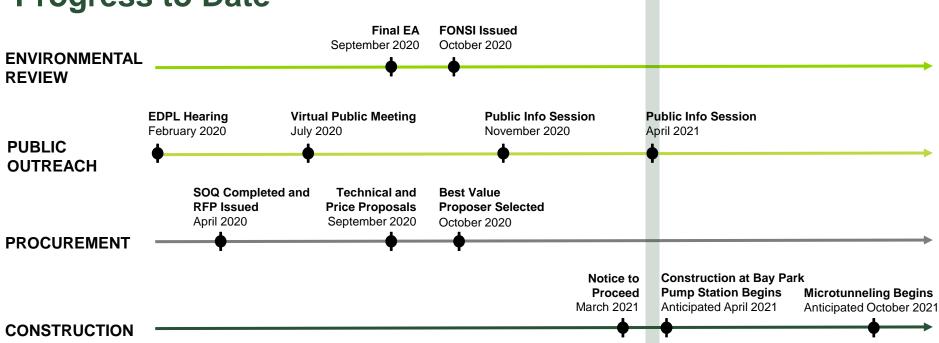




We Are Here



Progress to Date



Construction Completion: November 2023







The Western Bays The Problem



Nitrogen fuels excessive sea lettuce and algae growth. Excess algae growth blocks sunlight.

Insufficient dissolved oxygen levels for aquatic life (hypoxia).

High levels of nitrogen reduce depth of marshland roots, eroding marshlands and degrading storm resiliency.

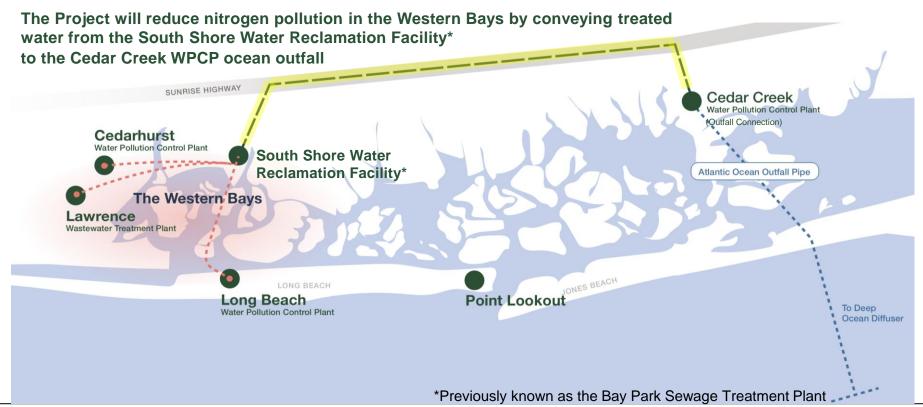
4 Decaying animal and plant life.







The Solution: The Bay Park Conveyance Project









Project Benefits



Storm Protection

Spur the rapid ecological recovery of the Western Bays marshlands which will protect coastal communities from storm surge and sea level rise



Quality of Life Factors

Maximize quality of life by providing residents a place to work and play



Economic Benefits

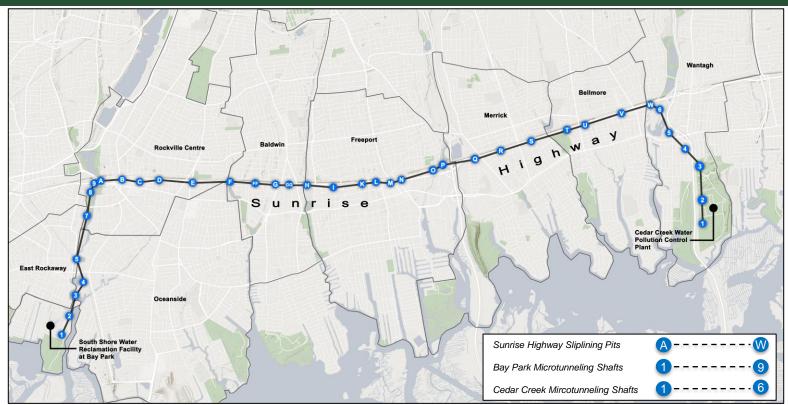
The ecological recovery of the Western Bays and improved water quality will enhance and expand water-based recreational and commercial opportunities







Project Elements









Project Elements

Force Main Features

- Bay Park Microtunneling 2-mile force main from Bay Park to Sunrise Highway
- Existing Sunrise Highway Aqueduct Repurposing 7.3-miles using sliplining
- Cedar Creek Microtunneling 1.6-mile force main from Sunrise Highway to Cedar Creek

Pump Station and Outfall Work

- New Pump Station at the South Shore Water Reclamation Facility at Bay Park
- Cedar Creek Water Pollution Control Plant (WPCP)
 - Replace 5 existing outfall pumps
 - Connect new pipe (wet tapping) into existing outfall conduit
 - Construct new receiving tank
- Existing Cedar Creek WPCP Ocean Outfall
 - Treated water travels 7mi from Cedar Creek WPCP to existing ocean outfall (~3mi offshore)
 - Treated discharge disperses quickly into the surrounding ocean water







By the Numbers

- 8 Bay Park Microtunneling Shafts
 - 6 feet diameter pipe
- 24 Work Pits along Sunrise Highway Aqueduct
 - 7.2 Miles of Existing Aqueduct
 - 5 feet diameter pipe
- 6 Cedar Creek Microtunneling Shafts
 - 6 feet diameter pipe
- 57,024 Total Linear Feet of Pipe
- 42 Months of Construction









Microtunneling Technique

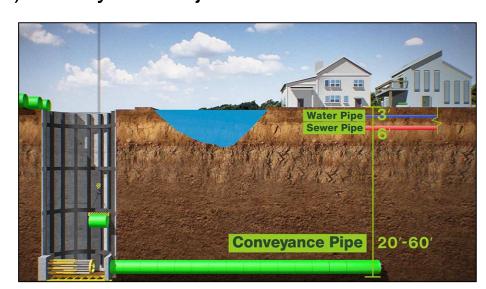
Excavate deep into the ground to avoid water table and existing facilities

Microtunnel Boring Machine (MTBM) and hydraulic jacks are used to

push new pipe into place

No trenching necessary

- Work is confined to shaft site
- No activity in roadway









Microtunneling Technique

- Microtunneling shaft depth:
 - 39 62 feet deep along Bay Park alignment
 - 26 40 feet deep along Cedar Creek alignment
- Shafts will be approximately 24-26 feet in diameter
- Size of each work site around the shaft will vary based on location



Illustrative Graphic of Bay Park Shaft 3



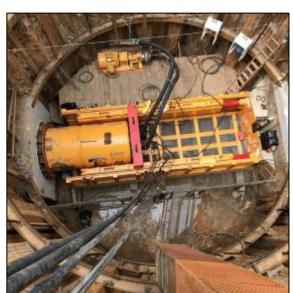




Microtunneling Technique



Microtunnel Boring Machine



Microtunneling shaft



Microtunnel Boring Machine

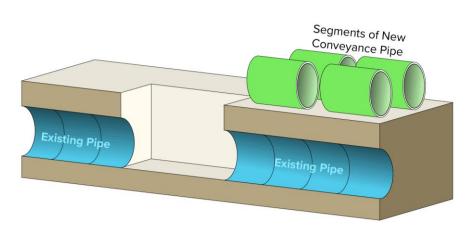






Sliplining Technique

- Excavate to the existing aqueduct level (approximately 15-18 feet deep)
- Place hydraulic jacking machine at base of pit
- Slide new conveyance pipe into existing aqueduct using hydraulic jacks
 - No open trenching necessary
 - Work is confined to pit site



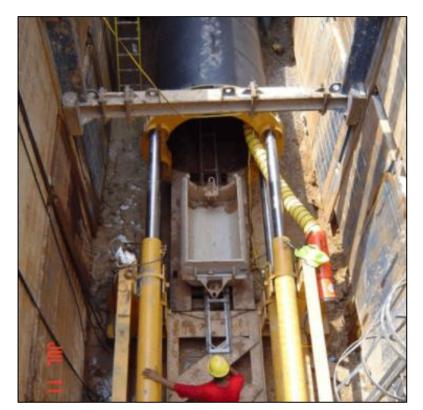






Sliplining Technique

- Pits needed along Sunrise Highway to access the existing aqueduct
- Sunrise Highway Aqueduct pits will be approximately
 - 22-51feet L x 13 feet W x 15-18 feet D
- Size of each work site around the pit will vary based on location and can extend up to 200 feet in length
- Repurposing abandoned infrastructure avoids the need for more invasive construction



Sliplining Pipe and Pit







Project Design

- Design-Build approach allows for:
 - Reduced community impacts
 - Shorter construction duration
 - Ability to reprioritize project activities
- Engineering for a 100-year design life
- Temporary inconveniences to facilitate a greater goal







Western Bays Constructors (WBC)

WBC, the design-build contractor, has assembled a team with an unparalleled track record in complex projects featuring companies with world class experience in microtunneling, mechanical systems, sewage treatment, and a broad range of other capabilities.

















Project Timeline









Upcoming Construction Activities at a Glance

Construction Activity	Municipality	Anticipated Start Date
Early Activities	Across the alignment	Spring 2021
Bay Park Shaft 1	Hamlet of Bay Park	April 2021
Bay Park Effluent Pump Station	Hamlet of Bay Park	April 2021
Bay Park Shaft 2	Hamlet of Bay Park	May 2021
Bay Park Shaft 3	Hamlet of Oceanside	June 2021
Bay Park Shaft 7	Village of Rockville Centre	July 2021
Cedar Creek Shaft 2	Hamlet of Wantagh	July 2021







Upcoming Construction Activities at a Glance

Construction Activity	Municipality	Anticipated Start Date
Cedar Creek Shaft 3	Hamlet of Wantagh	August 2021
Sunrise Highway Pit O	Village of Freeport	August 2021
Bay Park Shaft 5	Village of East Rockaway	August 2021
Bay Park Shaft 4	Hamlet of Oceanside	August 2021
Bay Park Shaft 8	Village of Rockville Centre	September 2021
Bay Park Shaft 9	Village of Rockville Centre	September 2021
Sunrise Highway Pit P	Village of Freeport	September 2021
Sunrise Highway Pit Q	Hamlet of Merrick	September 2021







Early Work Activities

Prior to microtunneling and sliplining activities, early work activities will occur at each work site along the Project alignment in Spring 2021

These activities will have limited impact to the public and depending on the activity, will occur during the day or overnight:

- 1. Preconstruction Surveying
- 2. Environmental Testing
- 3. Utility Test Pits







Preconstruction Survey

Preconstruction surveying is conducted to determine existing conditions of the area surrounding a work site.

On Sunrise Highway, crews will examine the existing aqueduct to determine condition

- Involves entering the aqueduct via manholes along Sunrise Highway
- Occurs overnight and will require lane closures

Surrounding each microtunneling shaft location, crews will take photographs and measurements

No traffic impacts or lane closures are expected

Properties within close proximity of the work zone will be offered an opportunity to have their home or business surveyed prior to the start of construction.







Environmental Testing

Environmental testing to determine soil classification

- Takes place during the day along the alignment
- Occurs along the shoulder or median of the roadway
- No traffic impacts are expected to occur during this activity



Environmental Drilling & Sampling
*Source: Cascade Environmental



Geotechnical Drilling
*Source: Cascade Environmental







Utility Test Pits

Utility test pits are used to determine where underground utilities exist

- Approximately 4 feet L x 4 feet W x 5 feet D
- Requires an excavator and hand tools
- Occurs overnight and requires lane closures to facilitate



Test Pits







Upcoming Construction Activities 2Q2021 & 3Q2021



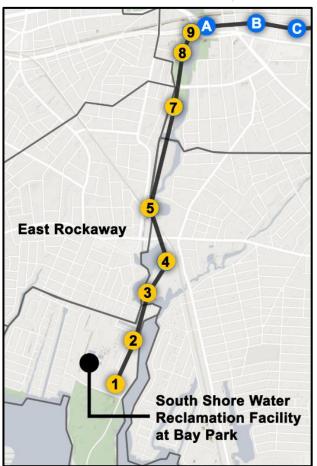






Bay Park Microtunneling

- Shafts 1, 2, 3: Spring 2021
- Shafts 4, 5, 7: Summer 2021
- Shafts 8 & 9: Fall 2021
- Sites will be fenced and secured
- Trucks will transport materials to and from shaft sites











Illustrative Graphic of Bay Park Shaft 1









Illustrative Graphic of Bay Park Shaft 2









Illustrative Graphic of Bay Park Shaft 3







Bay Park Effluent Pump Station

- Construction is expected to begin April 2021
- Work will occur within the footprint of the South Shore Water Reclamation Facility
- Work may occur during the day or overnight
- No impact to public use of Bay Park is expected







Sunrise Highway Sliplining

- Pit O Summer 2021
- Pits P & Q Fall 2021
- Pit Q construction to occur overnight
 - Will require Maintenance and Protection of Traffic (MPT) & Work Zone Traffic Control (WZTC)
- Sites will be fenced and secured
- Trucks will transport materials to and from the pit sites











Illustrative Graphic of Sunrise Highway Pit O







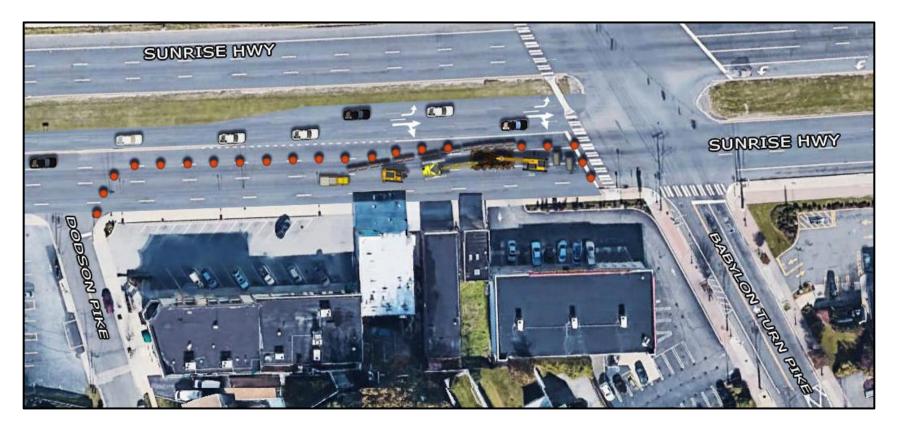


Illustrative Graphic of Sunrise Highway Pit P









Illustrative Graphic of Sunrise Highway Pit Q







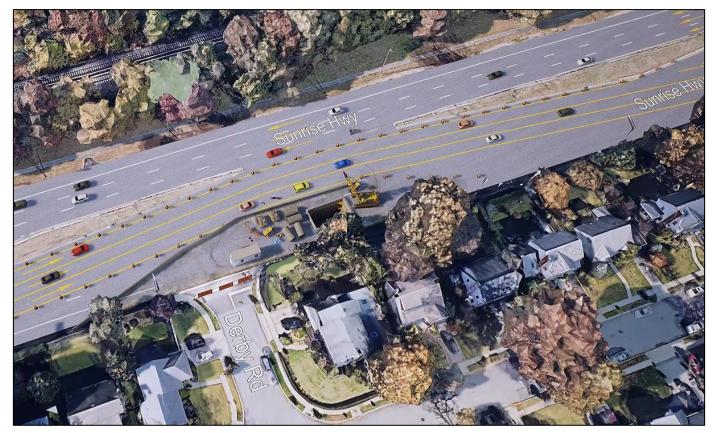
Addressing Sunrise Highway Construction Impacts

- Work along Sunrise Highway is anticipated to occur overnight
- Three active work sites on Sunrise Highway at one time
- WZTC will assist motorists and pedestrians around lane closures
- Advance signage will be in place
- Lane closures may be necessary to facilitate early work activities









Illustrative Graphic of WZTC along Sunrise Highway

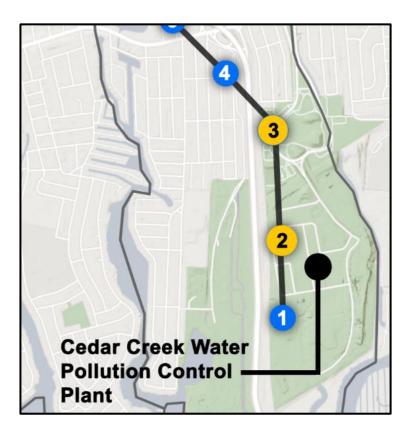






Cedar Creek Microtunneling

- Shaft 2 & 3: Summer 2021
- Sites will be fenced and secured
- Trucks will transport materials to and from the shaft sites
- Construction of shafts 1, 4, 5, 6 to follow











Illustrative Graphic of Cedar Creek Shaft 2









Illustrative Graphic of Cedar Creek Shaft 3







Spotlight on Safety & Construction Site Tidiness

- All work pits and shafts will be enclosed and protected with fencing, inaccessible to the public
- Following all OSHA guidelines
- Community Air Monitoring Program (CAMP) active during construction
 - Monitoring for air quality, dust and vibrations
- Quality control team will be present during each operation









Community Outreach

The WBC Community Outreach Team will:

- Serve as stakeholder's direct point of contact for project information
- Deliver accurate information in a timely fashion
- Conduct door-to-door canvassing with leave-behind notices describing specific project activity
- Respond to 24/7 hotline and email inquiries
- Identify specific community concerns about construction



Travis Brennan
Project Information Officer



Ginger Conforti Outreach Manager



Margo Cargill Community Ambassador



Gary Lewi Senior Consultant







Addressing Construction Impacts

Using innovative outreach methods, the WBC Outreach Team will:

- Provide regular construction updates (e.g. monthly construction lookaheads and e-blasts)
- Provide regular meetings with project stakeholders
- Provide advance notification of any disruptive work or road closures
- Maintain a 24/7 hotline for the community to communicate with the WBC
- Monitor conformance to Work Zone Traffic Control Plans
- Maintain access to existing businesses
- Monitor compliance of a dust management plan, and a community noise and vibration monitoring program







Outreach Materials

Monthly Construction Updates

- Quarterly Newsletters
- E-Newsletters
- Social Media
- Dedicated Project Website
- Factsheets
- Canvassing Notifications









Contact Us



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State and spell your name and affiliation (e.g. resident, press, etc.) prior to providing your comment. Please limit your comments to three minutes.

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