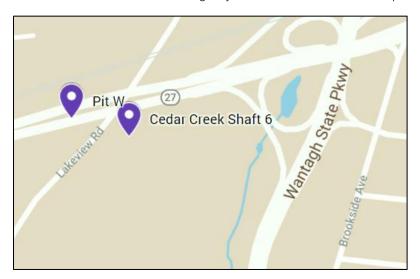




## Dear Neighbor:

We are writing to update you on the construction of the Bay Park Conveyance Project. The Bay Park Conveyance Project is a partnership between the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) and the Nassau County Department of Public Works (NCDPW). Western Bays Constructors (WBC) is the design-builder for this innovative Project.

The Project will convey treated water from the South Shore Water Reclamation Facility at Bay Park (formerly known as the Bay Park Sewage Treatment Plant) to the existing Cedar Creek Water Pollution Control Plant's ocean outfall pipe, which discharges and diffuses treated water three miles offshore in the Atlantic Ocean. Construction involves underground microtunneling within your community. Microtunneling is a safe, effective way to install piping deep into the ground, avoiding long trenches and surface disturbance. As construction continues, we want to give you as much information as possible.



Cedar Creek Shaft 6 (CC6) is located just off Lakeview Road, south of Sunrise Highway in Wantagh. Work Zone Traffic Control signage has been placed near the shaft site to assist the traveling public in navigating around the area. The shaft site has been secured with fencing and crews will continue to mobilize construction equipment. In advance of microtunneling activities, crews will excavate a deep shaft into the ground (approximately 18 feet by 30 feet). Below is a sequence of events that will take place at this location.

1. Support of Excavation (SOE) Machine Mobilization
Following site preparation throughout February and March
2022, trucks, cranes, and other machinery will be brought
to the site of CC6 to support construction activities and
excavation. These machines can extend up to 100 feet
high and will be noticeable from a distance.



Entrance at Cedar Creek Shaft 6





## 2. SOE Installation

SOE installation, anticipated to begin in March 2022, will be installed to protect the earth during excavation. This specific SOE, sheet piles, will provide the necessary support for excavation. SOE installation requires machinery and may cause periods of noise and vibration in areas directly adjacent to the work site. In adherence to our community commitment, WBC will continue to monitor noise as well as any potential vibrations and settlement from construction activities. These activities will take place Monday through Friday from approximately 6am – 7pm.

## 3. Excavation

After SOE installation is complete, construction at CC6 will involve excavation approximately 30-40 feet below the surface. Excavators and cranes will be used to perform this activity, and dump trucks will be used to move the excavated material off site.

Following excavation, microtunneling equipment will be brought to the site. The WBC Community Outreach Team will continue to update you as the Project progresses.



Sheet Pile Installation at Pit R on Sunrise Highway

Through a dedicated Community Outreach Program, WBC is committed to a robust engagement process and to maintaining an open line of communication throughout construction. We are also committed to minimizing disruption to neighborhoods near construction. WBC's Community Outreach Team will be available to answer questions and act as a project liaison throughout the duration of construction.

For more information on this activity, we encourage you to visit our website <a href="http://www.BayParkConveyance.org">http://www.BayParkConveyance.org</a> and Facebook page <a href="mailto:@BayParkConveyance">@BayParkConveyance</a> and register for email updates. Our Community Information Center is located at 265 Sunrise Highway in Rockville Centre and open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays: 8am – 3pm, Tuesdays and Thursdays: 12pm – 7pm, and every other Saturday beginning 1/8/2022: 9am – 12pm. You may contact us via the Project's 24/7 hotline at (516) 252-6121 or email us at BayParkConveyance@gmail.com with any questions.

Respectfully,

Margo K. Cargill Community Ambassador

