**SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM | Grey. Green. Clean.**

**Folsom Area Stormwater Improvement Project**

**Our Sewer System Upgrades are Underway**

The San Francisco Public Utilities Commission (SFPUC) operates a combined sewer system that collects and treats San Francisco’s wastewater (sewage and stormwater). Our Sewer System Improvement Program (SSIP) is upgrading and modernizing our system to ensure we can continue to protect public health and the environment now and into the future.

The low-lying Inner Mission neighborhood surrounding 17th, 18th and Folsom Streets has been historically subject to flooding during moderate to heavy storms. The Folsom Area Stormwater Improvement Project will increase collection system capacity and reduce the risk of flooding by constructing and upsizing sewer pipes and boxes, as well as constructing a new stormwater tunnel. The project consists of two separate components:

The **upstream components** of the project consist of constructing and upsizing approximately 8,000 linear feet of sewer pipes and sewer boxes in various locations in the neighborhood.

The **tunnel component** of the project consists of constructing a new 4,000 linear foot stormwater tunnel from approximately the intersection of Alameda Street and Florida Street to the intersection of 7th Street and Berry Street.

**Estimated Construction Schedule**

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**PROJECT BENEFITS:**

- Reduce the risk of flooding during moderate to heavy storms in the low-lying Inner Mission neighborhood
- Protect the health and safety of the community

**Project Location**

For more information, visit [sfpuc.org/folsomstorm](http://sfpuc.org/folsomstorm)
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About the Sewer System Improvement Program

The Sewer System Improvement Program (SSIP) is a citywide investment to upgrade our aging combined sewer system to ensure a reliable, sustainable, and seismically safe sewer system now and for generations to come. For more information on SSIP and to stay up to date, please visit sfpuc.org/ssip.

Contact Information

- Project questions and SFPUC General Hotline: (415) 554-3289 or ssip@sfwater.org
- For more information: sfpuc.org/folsomstorm

What to Expect

- **NOISE:** Noise, vibration, and dust in the work zone.
- **TRAFFIC:** Partial and/or full street closures may be necessary to ensure the safety of workers and the public. Advance notice and detour signage will be provided, as needed.
- **PARKING:** Street parking may be impacted near construction zones. “No-parking” signs will be posted 72 hours in advance.
- **MUNI:** Bus stops and schedules may be impacted during construction. Notice will be provided to riders in advance regarding any possible stop or schedule changes.
- **ACCESS:** Access to driveways and entrances may be impacted during construction. Notification to residents and businesses will be provided in advance.

**NOTE:** Even after this work is complete, this low-lying area will still be at risk of flooding during heavy rains. Additional resources are available at sfpuc.org/rainreadysf.

The Folsom Area Stormwater Improvement Project will be constructed in phases. This first phase, SFPUC Contract WW-719A, will upsize and upgrade sewers upstream from the 17th and Folsom area, followed by upgrades to other facilities in the area and tunnel construction.