

A-12 to A-12A-2 Replacement Overview

The A-12 to A-12A-2 Replacement is a conventional pipeline excavation project that will replace an 8 inch diameter pipe installed in 1956 which is currently on an inconsistent grade, with a 12 inch diameter pipe on a consistent grade. Increasing the size of the pipe and installing it on a consistent grade will improve the flow characteristics and increase the capacity of the pipe.

The project consists of about 750 feet of excavation that will run from First Street to Aspen Street in the alley right-of-way between Hyman Avenue and Hopkins Avenue. Partial or full alley closures are expected during the project, as needed, as well as temporary closures of Garmisch and Aspen Streets as the construction progresses across those streets.

Local Contractor, Stutsman Gerbaz Earthmoving (SGE) has been awarded the contract for the replacement. Stutsman Gerbaz Earthmoving has continuously operated in the Roaring Fork Valley since 1960 and their staff of pipeline specialists have over 30 years of experience in this type of conventional pipeline excavation work and 20 years partnering with the Aspen Consolidated Sanitation District.

Work is anticipated to commence around April 1, 2020 with initial efforts focused on installing a temporary by-pass pumping system that will remain in place for the duration of the project and will be removed once the new pipeline is in operation.

Updates on the project may be found here on our website. For specific correspondence and updates for affected residents you may email Hamilton Tharp, Collection System Superintendent, at: a12replacement@gmail.com.

