



Main Street Rehabilitation Project

UPDATE – August 7, 2015

Hi everyone!!!

The City of Placerville is distributing updates to the community regarding the Main Street Rehabilitation project. These updates are being issued via email to interested parties, and are being posted on the City of Placerville and Placerville Downtown Association websites.

Updates

- As you know, the sewer lining work over the last 2 days has resulted in a much-stronger than expected residual odor from the curing process, and impacts when construction lasted into the morning. ***We apologize for the inconvenience and appreciate the patience and cooperation of all involved!!!***
- ***The smell is not harmful*** and generally dissipated in under 24 hours.
- Any remaining odors within a building are likely coming from drains connected to the sewer system, and not from the outside air.
- In you are experiencing any lingering odor, the best ways to dissipate the smell...
 - ✓ Run water down all drains, including floor drains.
 - ✓ Open doors and/or windows to ventilate the building. Cross ventilating will accelerate the dispersing of the odor.
- Although the contractor distributed flyers to merchants along the affected section of Main Street last week, it appears some businesses did not receive this information. ***We are looking into the details to ensure future hand-delivered information reaches all affected parties.***
- The contractor has very minor work to complete early Monday morning between the hours of 4 a.m. and 8 a.m. This work is not expected to create any odors or other impacts.
- Without minimizing the significance of the inconvenience and disruptions this week... the project – overall -- has been a significant success. By using the cured-in-place pipe liner the City saved significant taxpayer dollars, and avoided a more-significant impact to Main Street from a traditional sewer line replacement project.

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If you have any additional questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact City staff or our consultant team!

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Thanks for your patience!