

CONSTRUCTION AND NIGHT WORK NOTIFICATION

Washington Gas Project: Valve Replacement in Montgomery County on River Road (MD 190), Potomac, MD 20850 Project reference number: S15V12-2022-REP
- As of September 6, 2022 -

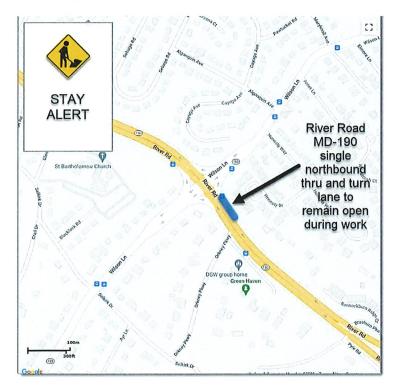
Dear Neighbor,

At Washington Gas, safety is our highest priority as we continue reliably meeting the energy needs of our customers. Today, natural gas is the fuel of choice for more than nine out of ten new homebuyers in the Washington, D.C., metropolitan area, and Washington Gas serves more than 1.2 million customers throughout the region. As the region continues to grow, rehabilitation of our existing infrastructure is critical to maintaining a safe and reliable natural gas system.

Washington Gas will soon be performing work in your area. This project will enhance safety and reliability along with upgrading the infrastructure to allow for improved routine integrity inspection using in-line robotic techniques. This important project is just one of many infrastructure improvements being made across the region.

Project Overview

Washington Gas will replace and upgrade an existing valve located on northbound lanes of River Road (MD 190), south of Wilson Lane, in Bethesda, MD. The entire scope of this project is within public right-of-way permitted by Maryland State Highway Association. This work will not affect the natural gas service to homes or businesses. A map of the approximate location of construction is below:



Schedule

Construction is currently planned to start on or near the week of September 12, 2022 and is estimated to be complete within 4-6 weeks. Work hours are 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. Monday through Saturday or as approved by permitting authorities. Construction schedules may be affected by weather and other unforeseen circumstances.



Night Work Notice

Near the end of the project, crews may need to work 24 hours a day for a period of 1-3 days to safely and efficiently reconnect the system.

How Might This Affect My Commute?

During construction, two-way traffic and access to bus stops will be maintained on River Road. Single northbound thru and right turn lane onto Wilson Lane to remain open during work. Bus stop access will be maintained. Follow traffic control signage, barricades, and possible flagger direction for traffic information. Traffic controls are in accordance with plans approved by Maryland State Highway Association or as authorized by inspectors.

What Can I Expect During Construction?

You may feel and hear construction activity and you can expect to see Washington Gas and contractor vehicles and equipment and a well illuminated work area. For your safety and the safety of construction personnel, do not cross construction barriers, enter construction areas, or approach vehicles or equipment. Be cautious of slow-moving construction vehicles entering and exiting work areas.

Restoration Plans

Restoration crews will make temporary restorations immediately following completion of the construction. Permanent restorations will be made in compliance with applicable local regulations and typically will occur within 45 days after all work is completed, weather permitting. Washington Gas will work to restore the area close to the as-found condition or to a condition specified by permitting authorities.

We strive to make every reasonable effort to minimize disturbance in your community. If you have questions or need additional information about this project, please contact:

THE PROJECT TEAM 703-750-5222, community@washgas.com with project reference number: S15V12-2022-REP

Thank you for your patience as our construction crews perform this important work in your community.

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Have a question unrelated to this project? Contact Customer Service and Billing: 844-WASHGAS.

To report a potential natural gas leak, reach our emergency leak line at 844-WASHGAS 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

Washington Gas responds around the clock to investigate all reported gas leaks. For more information about natural gas safety, visit www.washingtongas.com/safety