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Peirce Island Road Bridge Repairs Resumed

PORTSMOUTH, NH –Work related to the rehabilitation of one of the sewer force main pipes on the Peirce Island Road Bridge will resume on February 21, 2017 and is expected to continue through March 15, 2017. This work is a continuation of the sewer force main work that began in the fall of 2016 and is unrelated to the work at the Peirce Island Wastewater Treatment Facility.

Single lane closures will be necessary during the work and vehicular traffic will be limited to a single 10'-0" wide lane of alternating one-way traffic across the bridge. The lane closure will typically be effective between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. Flaggers will be used to control traffic, and vehicles traveling on the bridge when the lane closure is effective should expect minor delays. Pedestrian access will be maintained across the bridge at all times during construction.

This work will extend the useful lifespan of the sewer force main piping on the bridge. For more information, please contact Donald Song, Project Manager, at 610-7305 or dsong@cityofportsmouth.com.