

Capital Projects in National City and Temporary Test Well at Stein Farm

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Pipeline Replacement – Salot Street

Tolas Ct to E 8th Street 8-inch diameter PVC

- Mobilization planned Mid-June
- Work planned to be complete by October



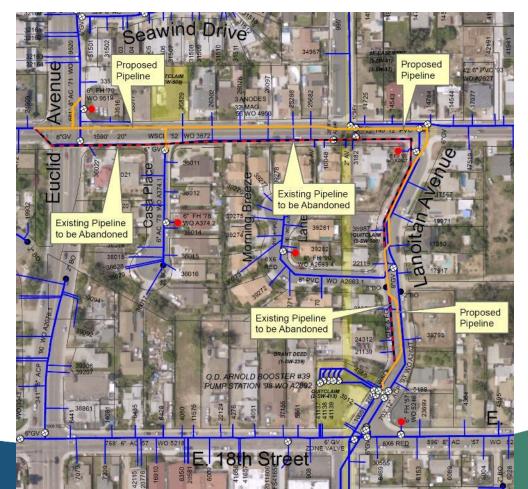


Pipeline Replacement – E 16th Street, Lanoitan

Avenue

Euclid Av. to E 18th St. 20-inch diameter PVC

- Mobilization planned Mid-July
- Work planned to be complete by October





National City Wells Iron & Manganese Removal System

- 1. 10/2023 Advertised for bids
- 1/2024 Rejected bids due to insufficient budget (Low Bid \$9.3M)
- 3. 4/2024 Federal Grant for \$959,752
- 4. Design modifications are in progress
- 5. Re-advertisement planned late Summer 2024





Well Siting Study in National City

- Sweetwater Authority operates 14 regionally-unique groundwater production wells in National City and Northwest Chula Vista
- Additional brackish groundwater well would support operational reliability
- Obtained an approximately \$800,000 grant from CA Department of Water Resources for the study
- Well siting study identified candidate sites for a ~6-week test well to determine quality and quantity of water produced at a site



Seawater

~35,000

Drinking Brackish
Water Water
SALTINESS (TDS)
0~50-500 ~3,000



Well Siting Study

- Stein Farm one of top-ranked sites considered
- Authority has had an easement at Stein
 Farm for an existing monitoring well since
 1993
- Test well would include noise abatement barriers, notifications to neighbors
- Surface restored after test
- Minimized impact to facility operations



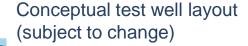
Facility



Next Steps

- Test well planned to start June 17
- If results show the site is suitable for production, Authority will request to amend existing easement to allow for a possible production well at Stein Farm and permitting for transmission pipe
- A new production well would be a valuable asset to National City to reduce dependence on costly imported water supply







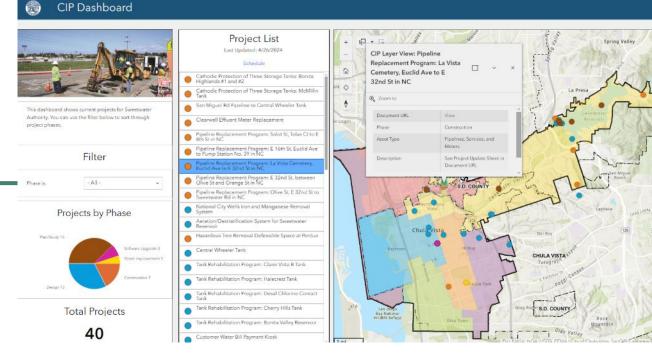
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