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Gervais Street Cleaning and Lining Project
(CIPWM4182 Water Main Rehabilitation)

The City of Columbia has engaged a private contractor, Carolina Tap and Bore, Inc. of West Columbia, to rehabilitate the water lines along Gervais Street from the Congaree River to Trenholm Road.

The work is currently underway along Gladden Street between Trenholm Road and Webster Street. In order to continue, it is necessary to install several water valves at the water storage tank on Gladden Street. This work will require an interruption of service to some of our customers. The areas to be affected will be the 1200-1400 blocks of Hagood Avenue. Every effort will be made to keep the disruption to a minimum.

The work is scheduled to begin on Monday, May 9, 2011 between the hours of 8:00am and 12noon. Please call 803.545.3400 to contact Owen Livingston or Jeremy Yates at the City of Columbia's Utilities & Engineering Department with any questions/concerns regarding the Cleaning and Lining Project. After hours numbers are the City of Columbia's Water Department's Emergency number, 803.545.3900 and Kenny Richardson (Carolina Tap and Bore) 803.600.5070.

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