

## **NOTICE OF GRU WORK IN YOUR AREA**

From July 8 – July 19, GRU will be improving the wastewater system in your area. These maintenance activities will result in the closure of sections of NW 55<sup>th</sup> Street. The work has been phased so as not to isolate any properties from accessing NW 55<sup>th</sup> Street. However, depending on the location of your property, you may need to access NW 55<sup>th</sup> Street from either NW 23<sup>rd</sup> Avenue or W Newberry Road. Please note, the location of the road closure differs the week of July 8<sup>th</sup> from the week of July 15<sup>th</sup>.

**A traffic routing map is enclosed to show the detour for each phase.**

If you have any questions, please contact the Water/Wastewater Construction Department at (352) 334-2711. We apologize for any inconvenience, but look forward to completing these projects to better serve you.

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## Frequently Asked Questions:

### 1. What is GRU doing?

Maintenance activities along NW 55<sup>th</sup> Street will include replacement of a section of gravity main pipe, installation of a new sanitary sewer lateral, manhole rim and chimney repairs, sanitary sewer cleanout maintenance, and lining of the wastewater gravity main pipes. As a part of these improvements, you may see GRU workers adjusting the cleanout that serves your property.

### 2. Why is this work being performed?

Old sewer mains contain cracks, breaks, and openings where groundwater can enter the sanitary sewer system. Excess rainwater and groundwater entering the system increases operational costs and can potentially cause sanitary sewer backups.

### 3. Will anyone else be working with GRU?

Yes, during these two weeks, there will be vehicles in addition to GRU along NW 55<sup>th</sup> Street or in the nearby area with the following logos to perform this work:



### 4. What should I do if I notice sewer odors?

Fill your P-traps with water to prevent sewer odors from backing up in to your home. Fill drains with approximately 1 gallon of water by running the faucet for 60 seconds.

