

Village of Payne

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To the Residents of West Townline Street, Payne, OH

Subject: Upcoming Waterline Replacement Project – Foraker to Gibson Street

Dear Residents,

The Village of Payne would like to inform you about an upcoming waterline improvement project on **West Townline Street**. This project will replace the portion of the waterline between **Foraker Street and Gibson Street** to help ensure a reliable water supply for our community.

Construction is **scheduled to begin shortly after Labor Day** and is expected to take approximately **6–8 weeks** to complete. During the project, there may be times when West Townline Street will be reduced to a **single lane**. The construction crew will work closely with residents in the affected area and will provide advance notice whenever possible to help minimize disruptions.

During the project there will be a few occasions that will require us to temporarily shut off water to Townline and possibly surrounding areas to allow for main connections to be completed. We will make every effort to keep these interruptions as brief as possible and will provide advance notice through IRIS.

The project will be completed by **Fenson**, the contractor awarded the bid. The total projected cost is **\$329,000**, with **\$195,305** covered through a grant from the **Ohio Public Works Commission**. The remaining balance will be financed through a loan for which the Village will be responsible.

We appreciate your patience and cooperation as we make these important improvements to our water system.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact:

- **Mayor Lora Lyons** – Phone: 419-263-2514 | Email: mayor@villageofpayne.com
- **Water Superintendent, Brant Heck**– Email: waterdept@villageofpayne.com
- **Board of Public Affairs/ Water Board**- email: bpa@villageofpayne.com

Thank you for your understanding and support during this project.

Sincerely,

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