

Sud-Ouest and Ville-Marie

DRINKING WATER CONDUIT TESTING

Little Burgundy and Griffintown sectors, north of the Lachine Canal

From October 8 to November 11, 2020

The city will conduct tests on drinking water conduits in the Little Burgundy and Griffintown sectors, north of the Lachine Canal, from October 8, 2020, to November 11, 2020.

Nature of the work

This work is part of the project to optimize the drinking water supply system in the greater Montréal area. The purpose of analyzing the current capacity of the water supply system is to improve its management and operation. The work consists of carrying out pressure and flow measurements by manipulating valves and opening hydrants.

What impact will this work have on your daily routine?

From October 13 to 23, some of these operations could cause a drop in water pressure at your tap and/or the appearance of yellowish or reddish water. If coloured water occurs, it will be short-lived and is easily remedied.

What to do in case of coloured water?

If your water is coloured, unscrew the nozzle on your faucet to remove the aerator. Then turn on your main cold water faucet (usually the kitchen sink or bathtub faucet) to its maximum capacity. Let the water run for about 30 minutes until it becomes clear. This is enough to remove the coloured water from your pipes.

To avoid staining clothes, make sure the water is clear and colourless before doing your laundry. Also check the colour of the water before using any other water-powered appliance.

Work schedule

Monday to Friday, from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Impacts of the work





- **Traffic:** Partial traffic obstructions will occur during construction during off-peak hours. Signallers will ensure the smooth and safe flow of traffic.
- **Pedestrians:** Pedestrians will be able to walk safely on the sidewalks.
- **Public transit:** Public transit will be maintained. Schedules, routes and bus stop locations may change. Please contact the STM-INFO service (514-786-4636 or WWW.STM.INFO/EN).
- **Noise:** The work could generate noise and vibration.
- **Garbage and recycling collection:** Collection schedules will be maintained during the work. Label your bins and trash cans so that they can be returned to the front of your building.

The city is aware of the inconveniences that this work will cause and thanks you for your cooperation.

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Information

-  514-872-3777, Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 8:30 p.m., Saturday and Sunday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
-  To report a situation requiring rapid and urgent assistance at any other time, call 311.
-  info-travaux@ville.montreal.qc.ca
-  ville.montreal.qc.ca/chantiers [in French]

COVID-19

The resumption of construction work is part of the Québec government's plan to reopen various economic sectors and is being deployed in line with the prevention conditions recommended by Québec's public health authorities.

Testing perimeter

