



City of Phoenix

# LAFAYETTE INTERCEPTOR & OUTLET PROJECT CONSTRUCTION NEWSLETTER November 2012, Issue No. 2



## CONSTRUCTION OVERVIEW

The Flood Control District of Maricopa County awarded a contract to Pierson Construction Corporation to construct approximately 11,270 linear feet of storm drain, a storm drain collection system, waterline and sewer line relocations, and large concrete structures at the intersection of Arcadia Drive and Lafayette, in Lafayette east of 44<sup>th</sup> Street, in Arcadia Drive north of the Arizona Canal, and in the Arcadia Estates Basin north of the Arizona Canal. Additionally, major storm drain construction will occur along the west loop of North Village Drive and through "The Park" office complex located north of the Lafayette Boulevard limits. Principal construction features for the project include: constructing a reinforced concrete pipe storm drain trunk line; lateral storm drains up Dromedary, Launfal, 46<sup>th</sup> Street and 45<sup>th</sup> Street; catch basins; connector pipes; roll curb along the south side of Lafayette Boulevard; removal and replacement of existing asphalt within the affected roadways; replacement of existing landscaping and striping; waterline relocations; and sanitary sewer relocations.

## PROJECT UPDATE

**Arcadia Dr. and Lafayette Blvd.** — Construction will continue for approximately 6-8 weeks on Arcadia Dr. between Lafayette Blvd. and the Arizona Canal and north on Arcadia Dr. The intersection of Arcadia Dr. and Lafayette Blvd. will continue to be closed to traffic until the work on Arcadia Dr. is completed.

A part-time police officer will be in place at the Arcadia-Lafayette intersection after regular construction hours on weekdays and at certain times on the weekend. The officer has been hired to maintain the street closure and issue citations to persons who break the law by not following the street closure signs.

Construction will proceed on Lafayette Blvd. section by section starting at Arcadia Dr. and working west. Sections are to be determined by traffic control requirements. No traffic will be allowed through the work zones except for residents living in the work zone and emergency vehicles. At times, the contractor will need to block driveways. However, each residence will have access to at least one driveway.

**Camelback Rd. and N. Village Dr.** — Construction is continuing north across Camelback Road east of 44th St. Construction of storm drain pipe will begin within the next 4 weeks on N. Village Dr. In addition, a lateral storm drain with four catch basins will be constructed in Camelback Rd. in the vicinity of N. Village Dr. As a result, Camelback Rd. in this area will be restricted to two lanes of traffic until the construction of the lateral along the north side of Camelback and flood water catch basins is complete.

Construction updates are found on the "Lafayette Interceptor Drain & Outlet" project page on the Flood Control District website: <http://www.fcd.maricopa.gov/Projects/PPM/projStructDetails.aspx?ProjectID=308>

## CONSTRUCTION HOURS

Construction hours will be Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 5 p.m., until April 30, 2013. These hours will change on May 1, 2013 for the summer season to 6 a.m. to 4 p.m. Night work and weekend work may occur as needed in non-residential areas.

## WHEN TRAVELING THROUGH THE AREA

Throughout the duration of this construction project, lane restrictions and delays or temporary road closures are anticipated. Please obey the traffic signs and flagmen when driving through the area and allow extra time in your travel schedule to accommodate traffic delays. Safety is of utmost importance to us. Please ensure that you and your children keep a safe distance from the construction zone.

During construction, if you have questions, please call the 24-hour hotline at: **1-877-349-1433**.

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