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PRESS RELEASE

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EMERGENCY SEWER REPAIRS – HICKEY BLVD

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (Pacifica, CA) – On September 28, 2019, Public Works Wastewater Division received a call regarding a possible sanitary sewer overflow on Hickey Boulevard near Gateway Drive. City Staff immediately mobilized and investigated the public safety threat. It was determined that the sewer line on Hickey Boulevard from Skyline Boulevard to Firecrest Avenue was damaged at several locations and large cavities were forming from the erosion caused by the broken sewer main. Upon further investigation, it was determined that the damaged sewer main was caused by outside contractors constructing underground communication conduits.

These erosion conditions and the creation of large cavities under the street pavement present potential sinkhole danger and threaten the safety of persons and property. Taking immediate action, the City has engaged Pacific Trenchless, Inc. to repair these sewer lines, which consist of open trenching 175 linear feet of sewer line and replacing the pipe with an 8-inch PVC pipe. Repairs began today and will continue until October 18th.

The City appreciates everyone's patience and cooperation for any inconveniences caused by construction activities as we strive to improve human health and the environment in Pacifica. Please contact the Public Works Department at (650) 738-4660 if you have any questions or comments.

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