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# COMMUNITY ADVISORY NOTICE

## INSTALLATION OF TRUNK WATER MAINS ON GRAND STREET PROJECT # MED 609(606)

Borough: Manhattan

July 19, 2012

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# TEST PIT EXCAVATION

ALONG BROADWAY and BOWERY

**Beginning the week of July 23, 2012**

Beginning the week of July 23, 2012, and continuing for approximately 3 weeks, the NYC Department of Design and Construction (DDC) will be excavating test pits along Broadway between Howard and Broome Streets. The permitted work hours are 7AM to 10PM Monday to Friday; 8AM to 10PM Saturday and Sunday.

A week after July 23, 2012, and continuing for approximately 3 weeks, DDC will be excavating test pits along Bowery between Hester and Broome Streets at night. The Permitted work hours are 9PM to 5AM.

### **WHY IS THIS WORK BEING DONE?**

This work is being performed in advance of the Grand Street Trunk Water Main Project and will allow DDC to identify the location of existing sub-surface infrastructure and utility hardware. The information gathered from the test pits will be used to determine the location of the new trunk water main. Please note: All test pit excavations will be temporarily restored upon completion.

### **COMMUNITY IMPACTS DURING TEST PIT EXCAVATIONS**

The following are temporary impacts while the work is being performed:

- Parking will be restricted in certain locations
- Pedestrian access to buildings will be maintained at all times.
- Pedestrian crosswalks may be affected during work operations.
  - Signs will be posted for directing pedestrians.
- During work hours, vehicular traffic will be maintained as follows:
  - On Broadway, 1 lane for vehicular traffic will be maintained.
  - On Bowery, 1 lane for vehicular traffic will be maintained in each direction.

Thank you for your cooperation as we rebuild NYC's infrastructure.

For more information, please contact Nikita Sin, the Community Construction Liaison at [grandstccl@gmail.com](mailto:grandstccl@gmail.com). Outside of work hours call 311 or visit the NYCCDC web site at [www.nyc.gov/buildnyc](http://www.nyc.gov/buildnyc).