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## **MSD Lick Run Project Update: New Storm Sewers to be Installed in West Price Hill**

*Sunset Avenue/Rapid Run Pike, Sunset Lane and Guerley Road Sewer Separation*

CINCINNATI – The Metropolitan Sewer District of Greater Cincinnati (MSD) will be installing new storm sewers along Sunset Avenue/Rapid Run Pike, Sunset Lane and Guerley Road in West Price Hill over the next year as part of the ongoing Lick Run Project.

About 10,000 linear feet of stormwater pipe will be constructed in the public right-of-way from the bioswale at Rapid Run Park to Queen City Avenue, along Sunset Lane, and along Guerley Road from the stormwater detention dam to Sunset Avenue.

The project is expected to take place from fall 2015 to fall 2016.

“The stormwater collected by these pipes will be ultimately funneled directly to the Mill Creek through the new Lick Run Greenway system in South Fairmount,” said Julie Schroeder, the MSD Project Manager. “This effort, part of MSD’s Lick Run Project, will significantly reduce combined sewer overflows (CSOs) into the Mill Creek.”

Construction will occur primarily Monday through Thursday during daylight hours, depending on weather and the contractor’s schedule. Work on Fridays or weekends may be necessary at times. MSD’s construction contractor is Rack and Ballauer Excavating Company.

Temporary lane closures will occur on Sunset Avenue/Rapid Run Pike, Sunset Lane and Guerley Road for the duration of the project. Traffic on Sunset Lane, which is a one-way street, may also be re-routed as two-way at times. Access to homes and businesses will be maintained but could be temporarily delayed.

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***About the Lick Run Project***

The Lick Run Project is part of Project Groundwork, MSD's multi-year plan to reduce sewer overflows into streams and rivers in Hamilton County. Project Groundwork will improve the quality of our lives through cleaner streams, improved protection of public health, and enhancement of the communities where we live, work, and play.

For additional information about the project, please contact MSD Engineering Customer Service at (513) 557-3594 or [MSD.Communications@cincinnati-oh.gov](mailto:MSD.Communications@cincinnati-oh.gov) or visit [www.projectgroundwork.org/lickrun](http://www.projectgroundwork.org/lickrun).

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