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MSD Notice of Construction Completion

MT. WASHINGTON PUMP STATION UPGRADE

In Mt. Washington, City of Cincinnati, Ohio

City of Cincinnati, November 17, 2008 - The Board of County Commissioners recently approved funding for the Mt. Washington Pump Station Upgrade. Managed by the Metropolitan Sewer District of Greater Cincinnati (MSD), construction is scheduled to begin December 1, 2008 and be completed May 1, 2009.

This project, located at 6008 Virbet Drive in the Mt. Washington neighborhood of the City of Cincinnati, consists of replacing an existing pump station and installing approximately 88 lineal feet of 6" force main to be connected to the existing force main. The project also consists of relocating approximately 157 lineal feet of 6" water main and appurtenances, including hydrants and service connections.

The proposed improvements include construction of a duplex submersible pump station, valve chamber, below-ground standby power generator and a pump control panel that will incorporate an upgrade to the telemetry system. Site improvements include driveway and other pavement of disturbed area on Virbet Drive. The construction contract was awarded to Trend Construction for the lowest and best bid of \$534,067.00.

This project is part of MSD's ongoing Capital Improvement Program (CIP), which is focused on continually updating and improving the operation of MSD's wastewater collection and treatment systems.

Every day, the Metropolitan Sewer District of Greater Cincinnati (MSD) manages the effective collection and treatment of more than 200 million gallons of wastewater and actively maintains 3,000 miles of sanitary and combined sewers that run through the 49 municipalities and townships of Hamilton County. Owned by Hamilton County and operated by the City of Cincinnati, MSD is committed to continually maintaining and improving its wastewater collection and treatment systems for the betterment of both public and environmental health.

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