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Subject: EMWD Construction Near Your Residence

Dear Neighbor:

Eastern Municipal Water District (EMWD) is committed to being a good neighbor and keeping you informed about ongoing activity and construction in your area. For this reason, we want to make you aware of a project that will take place in your neighborhood.

In the coming weeks, EMWD will begin construction on two groundwater wells and a centralized treatment facility <u>along Perris Boulevard, between Cottonwood Avenue and Bay Avenue</u>. This project is an important part of our Perris North Groundwater Program, which will help provide long-term water quality and supply benefits to the region.

EMWD will install temporary water storage tanks and temporary 24-foot-high sound walls around the well drilling sections of the site. These temporary structures, along with sound and vibration monitors, are designed to limit noise and light coming from the work site.

In July 2021, the well drilling process will begin on one of the groundwater wells. This requires **24-hour per day operations** to ensure the structural integrity of the well. The well drilling process will be completed in intervals, each lasting up to several weeks. The noise emitted from well drilling is similar in decibels to that of a running shower or low-level industrial hum.

Following the completion of drilling activities, EMWD will bid a second project to construct the structure, piping, and motors needed to operate the well. That activity will be limited to daytime only work.

Traffic control will be in place when the contractor is performing work within the public right-of-way. EMWD asks that motorists please follow all traffic control measures in place to ensure the safety of our crews and the community.

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Construction working hours are currently set at Monday – Friday 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and are subject to change. While not anticipated, there may be times when Saturday work is required from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. EMWD is working closely with the City of Moreno Valley to keep community impacts to a minimum.

The anticipated completion date for this work is Winter 2021.

We appreciate your patience and understanding as we work to complete this important project. As part of our commitment to our customers, EMWD will keep you updated on the status of this work.

If you have any questions regarding the project, please contact me at 951-928-3777, ext. 4370, or by email at ramireal@emwd.org. You may also visit www.emwd.org/perrisnorth to sign-up for project updates and to learn more.

Sincerely,

Alma Ramirez

Public Affairs Officer

Si desea recibir comunicaciones sobre este proyecto en español, favor de comunicarse conmigo – gracias por su atención.