

DETOUR NOTICE

New Castle Water Transmission Main Improvements



As construction continues from Oliver Street to River Road, a detour will be in place off Portsmouth Ave. (Route 1B) via River Road and Oliver Street. The detour will begin Monday June 29, 2020 and the Contractor estimates the detour will be in place for approximately 4 weeks. Please note that there will be no on street parking allowed on River Rd. and Oliver St. while the detour is in place between the hours of 7:00 AM and 6:00 PM Monday through Friday. Flaggers or Officers will help you pass through or around the work zone. Thank you for your patience during the construction.

Detour Details

- Eastbound traffic (towards New Castle) will proceed along Route 1B and westbound traffic (towards Portsmouth) will proceed around the construction via River Road and Oliver Street. Westbound travel along route 1B will be closed to thru traffic from River Road to Oliver Street except for large trucks and emergency vehicles.
- Flaggers will be stationed at both ends of the construction zone and with the construction crew and will help you pass either through the detour or along Route 1B. If you are heading westbound from Town to your home within the construction zone on Route 1B, you must follow the River Rd. / Oliver St. detour to Route 1B, make a left on Route 1B, and continue eastbound to your home. For reasons of safety for the traveling public (including pedestrians, cyclists and runners) and the construction crews, you will not be allowed to travel west bound on Route 1B through the construction Zone.
- If you are heading eastbound from Portsmouth to your home on Oliver St. or River Rd., you must continue on Route 1B and take the detour to your home. Travel along Oliver St. and River Rd. in the opposite direction of the one-way detour will not be allowed.
- Two-lane traffic patterns on Route 1B will resume at night.



Construction Hotline: 603-689-4938 (for general inquiries, questions and complaints)