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NOTICE TO RESIDENTS AND BUSINESSES OF THE TOWN OF COLONIE

The Latham Water District has awarded a contract to ANJO Construction for the installation of 3,800 feet of 12-inch high-density polyethylene (HDPE) water main along NYS Route 9 (Loudon Road) from 640 Loudon Road to the intersection of Maxwell Road. This new water main will replace an existing 10" cast iron main that has shown an increase in breaks recently. Once the project is completed, water service to residents and commercial properties will be improved by increasing system reliability, pressure and available fire flows.

Construction is expected to begin on Monday April 15th, 2019 and be completed by the end of July 2019. Although Latham Water has selected a method of construction that minimizes disruptions to traffic and businesses, there will be times that water service and traffic will be interrupted. We are going to ask the traveling public to seek alternate routes. We will provide businesses at least 48 hours notice before interruption of water service.

The new water main on NYS Route 9 (Loudon Road) will be installed using a trenchless technology called horizontal directional drilling. One of the advantages of this installation method is that the new water main can be installed in parallel with the existing water main, thereby eliminating the need for temporary water services and reduce the number of water service interruptions to customers during construction. Horizontal directional drilling will help to minimize the impacts to businesses as there will be less excavation required on the project. The contractor will generally only excavate entry points and exit points for the drilling process, as well as, at each water service connection once the new water main is placed in service.

Latham Water would like to thank you in advance, for your cooperation during this water main replacement project. If you have any questions concerning the project you can call the Latham Water District at 518-783-2750.