TOWN OF MANCHESTER WATER AND SEWER DEPARTMENT

PRESS RELEASE

CLEANING OF WATER MAINS: Monday, June 10 through Friday, June 14, 2024

From: 7:15 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

The Water Department will be flushing water mains in areas of the distribution system. Please see the attached list of streets for this week of flushing.

Fire flow tests and hydraulic capacity tests of the system will also be done during this week in an effort to decrease the disturbances to our customers. There may be discoloration of water on occasion and reduced pressure during the flushing process.

If water appears discolored, the homeowner should try to avoid using it until it clears. This will prevent rust and sediment from being brought into your plumbing system.

If sediment does get into a home's hot water tank, the homeowner should wait until the water clears and then open the faucet at the bottom of the tank to drain the collected material, which will settle at the bottom.

Also, if a load of wash is done during the period of discolored water, the load should be kept wet and re-washed again after the water clears. Four ounces of cream of tartar should be added to help clean any discoloration of the clothing.

It normally takes a few hours for the water to clear in a home. If water appears discolored for an extended period, the homeowner should call the Water Department at 860-647-3201.

Copies to:

Steve Stephanou, Town Manager
Keith Volkert, Field Services Superintendent
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Scott Simard, Water Treatment Superintendent
Dan Carrigan, Wastewater Treatment Superintendent
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Billing

Date: Thursday, June 6, 2024

STREET LIST FLUSHING SCHEDULE – WEEK 10 June 10, 2024 – June 14, 2024

Adams Street
Bilyeu Street
Brentwood Drive
Buckland Street

Burnham Street Extension

Carolyn Drive Chapel Street Clearview Terrace

Croft Drive
Depot Street
Drexel Drive
Fleming Road
Griffin Road
John Drive
Loomis Street
Marble Street
Mary Drive
New State Road
Oak Forest Drive

Red Stone Road

Stock Place Union Street (west side)

Windsor Street

Batson Drive Botticello Drive Broad Street Burnham Street Canterbury Street Chapel Road **Cherry Circle** Commerce Road **Cumberland Street** Dogwood Lane **Electric Street** Gear Drive Hilliard Street Kathleen Way Main Street Margaret Road McCabe Street

Pleasant Valley Road Regent Street Tolland Turnpike Westerly Street Woodland Street

North Main Street