



Village of Villa Park

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**RE: East Park Boulevard Improvement Project Planning
Private Building Sewer Service Line Televising**

Dear Resident:

The Village has begun planning and design of potential roadway improvements on East Park Boulevard from Villa Avenue to the east end, east of Monterey Avenue. The Village has hired engineering consultant Robinson Engineering, Ltd., of South Holland, Illinois, to complete engineering design and to assist the Village with the planning of this project. The planning and design process is expected to extend over the next several months, with completion of design tentatively anticipated in spring of 2014. A construction start date has not yet been established, and would be dependent on both the results of the design process and also preparation and approval of a budget for the Village fiscal year which begins in May 2014.

During the planning and design process you may notice some preliminary activities taking place in the project area, including surveying, locating of underground utilities, and geotechnical testing. The Village will also be inspecting existing infrastructure in the project area to assess the need for repairs or other improvements. In order to ensure a thorough assessment, it would be beneficial to inspect the private building sewer service line which connects your home to the public sewer main. This inspection is typically accomplished by inserting a camera into your home's plumbing system, and extending the camera out of your home and through your private sewer service line to the public sewer main in the right-of-way. Per the Village of Villa Park Municipal Code, these private building sewer service lines belong to and are the responsibility of property owners, from the home up to and including the connection with the public sewer main. However, in order to facilitate these inspections and move forward with project planning, the Village is offering televising of these private building sewer service lines at no cost to residents.

If you would like to have this free televising performed, please contact the Village's sewer televising contractor, Russ's Plumbing & Sewer, Inc., of Addison, Illinois, at (630) 543-5250, to schedule an appointment. You are not required to have this televising performed, nor are you required to use the Village's contractor. It is highly recommended though, as it will allow for assessment of the condition of the sewer service line, and will help to determine whether any sewer service improvements may be necessary. Depending on the condition shown by the televising, replacement of the portion of the sewer service in the public right-of-way may also be required. The completion of any such improvements to your sewer service could reduce the likelihood that more costly repairs would be needed in the future.

Following completion of the televising inspection and the Village's review, the Village will provide you with a copy of the televising results, make a recommendation, and review your options with you. Please do not hesitate to contact the Village of Villa Park Engineering Division at (630) 834-8505 if you have any questions or would like additional information.