

CONSTRUCTION UPDATE:

Construction Progressing on Genesee Avenue between Governor Drive and Decoro Street

May 23, 2025

Construction of major pipelines continues to progress on Genesee Avenue between Governor Drive and Decoro Street as part of the City of San Diego Morena Northern Pipelines and Tunnels Projects in University City. The pipelines have been installed in this segment, and crews are preparing to reduce the work zone area and open portions of the lanes on Genesee Avenue between Governor Drive and Centurion Square.

Traffic lights at Decoro Street and Genesee Avenue have returned to normal operation and through May, traffic control and construction equipment will be cleared on Genesee Avenue from Governor Drive to Centurion Square. In preparation for the University City High School graduation on Wednesday, May 28, southbound and northbound lanes on Genesee Avenue will be open between Governor Drive and Centurion Square. One northbound lane will open to traffic north of Centurion Square to Decoro Street.

Based on the current phasing and progress, the contractor will continue construction on Genesee Avenue from Centurion Square to just south of Nobel Drive through June 2025. Traffic control and signage will be in place with one lane northbound and southbound open on Genesee Avenue between Centurion Square and Decoro Street through June 2025. For your safety, please follow all posted signage and plan extra time when traveling in the area to accommodate for traffic delays. On-street parking will be restricted throughout this work. Access for emergency vehicles will be maintained at all times.

Please plan extra time when traveling on Genesee Avenue. The City and project team are committed to completing construction as efficiently as possible with safety as our highest priority, and the community's patience and coordination are appreciated.

Why: Pure Water San Diego is the City of San Diego's phased, multi-year program that will provide nearly half of San Diego's water supply locally. The Pure Water San Diego Program will use proven water purification technology to clean recycled water to produce safe, high-quality drinking water. The Program offers a cost-effective investment for San Diego's water needs and will provide a reliable, sustainable water supply. The Morena Northern Pipelines and Tunnels project is one of several major water infrastructure projects in Phase 1 of Pure Water San Diego.

The City is committed to clear communication and providing up-to-date information about construction activities. Properties along the construction area will receive printed notices before work begins near their address, and construction notices will be regularly posted on utc.purewatersd.org. Please contact purewatersd@sandiego.gov or **833-UTC-PWSD (833-882-7973)** with questions about the City's Pure Water Program and the Morena Northern Pipelines and Tunnels project, and a team member will get back to you within one business day.

Morena Northern Pipelines and Tunnels Work Zone Map: Genesee Avenue between Governor Drive and Decoro Street

