

# Pure Water San Diego Morena Northern Pipelines & Tunnels Project Update

**University City Community Association**

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*September 16, 2025*



- Three tunnels at SR-52, Rose Canyon (Genesee Avenue), and I-805 –2,205 linear feet of tunnel complete
- Pipeline installation – 40,074 linear feet of pipeline installed
- Recently completed and ongoing work:
  - *Completed pipe installation along Genesee Avenue between Governor Drive and Decoro Street*
  - *Ongoing work along Nobel Drive*
  - *Continued tunneling at I-805*
  - *Continued work at Genesee Avenue and SR-52*



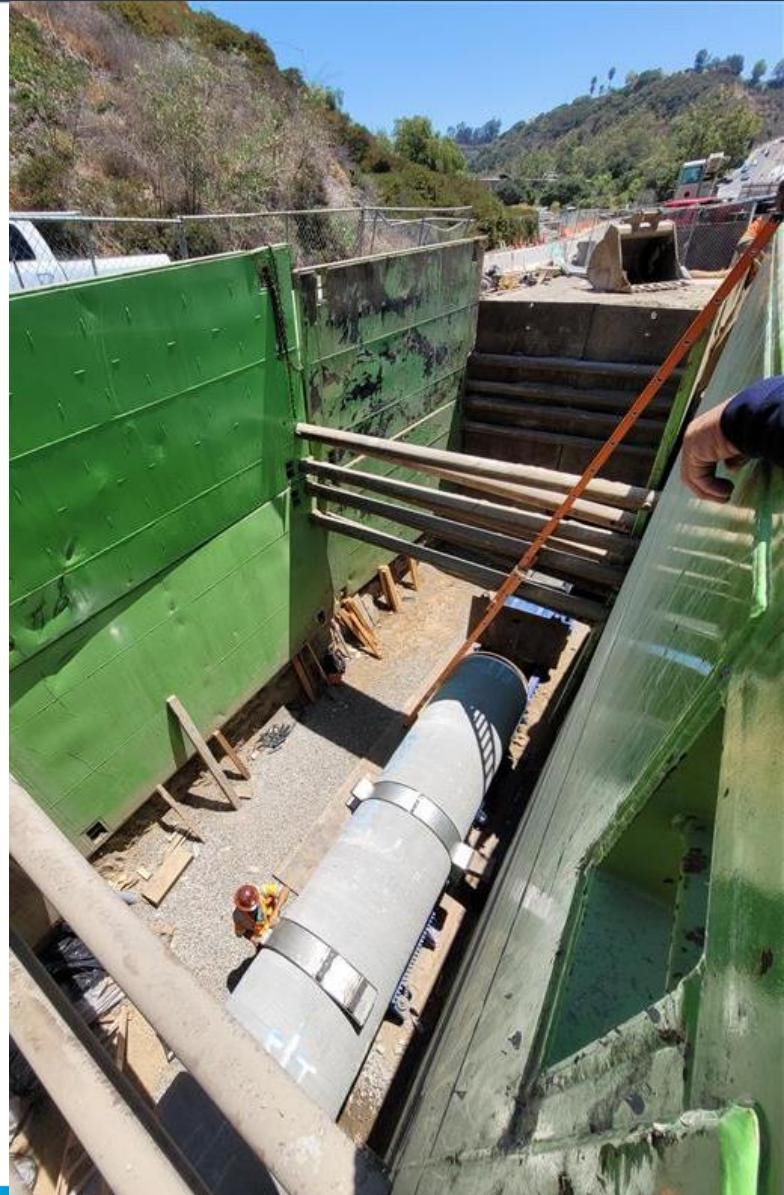
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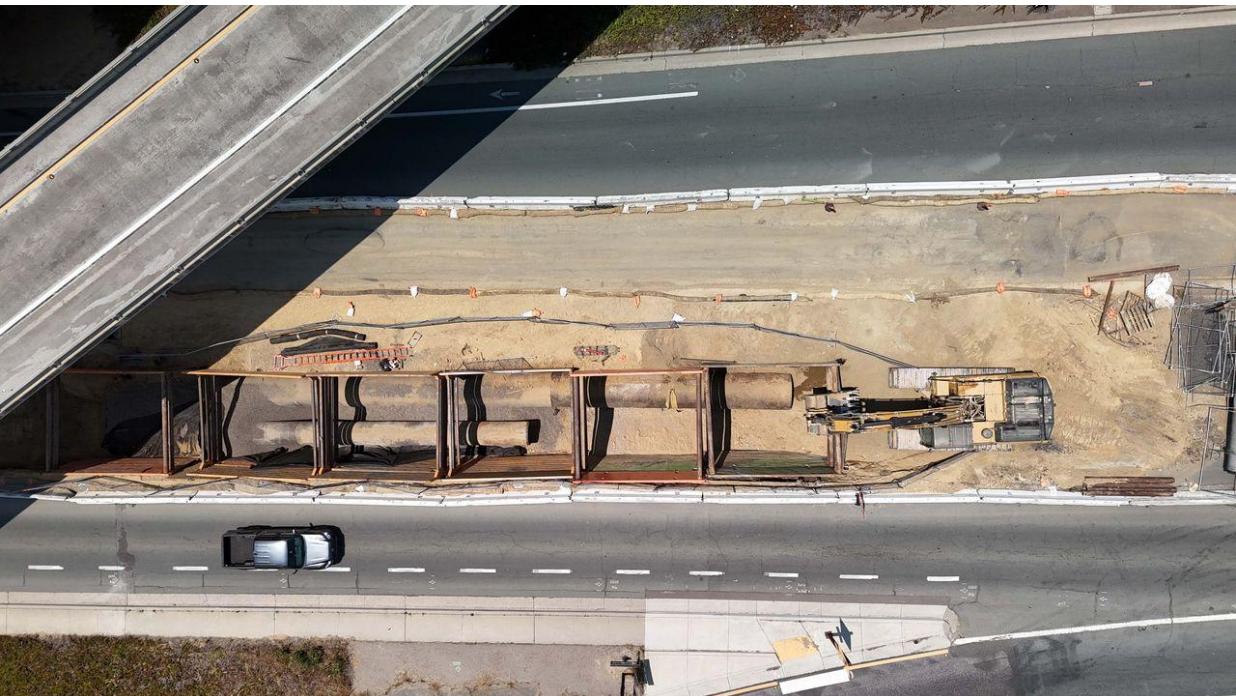


## Current Work Sites

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- **Contractor finished install of open cut-casing!**
- **Pushing pipes through the casing is complete**
- **Pipeline installation is expected to be complete in Fall 2025**
  - **Includes Marian Bear Park**
- **Roadways will be cleared once all work is finished**

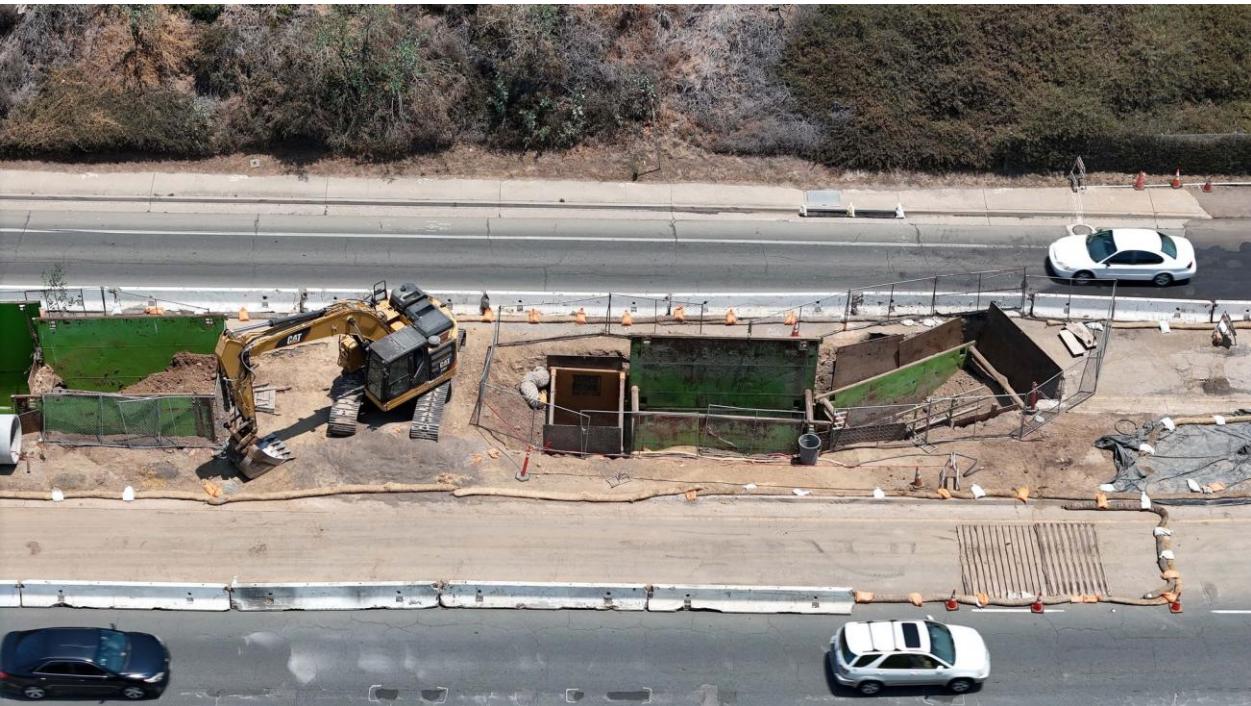




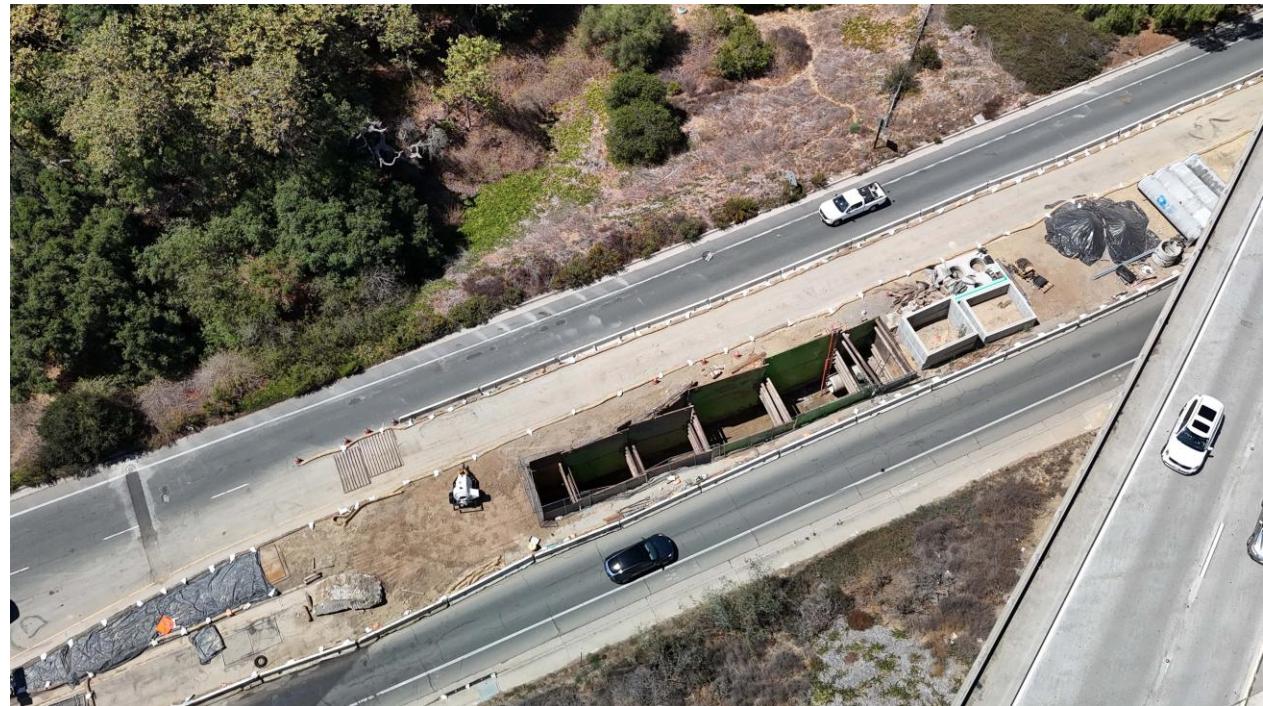
**July 2025**



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- **Work hours: 7 a.m. to 5 p.m.**
- **24-hour traffic control set-up**
- **Eastbound Nobel closed to traffic**
- **Traffic signal at Nobel Drive and Genesee Avenue on normal operations**
- **Traffic will be detoured to travel north on Genesee Avenue, east on La Jolla Village Drive and south on Towne Center Drive to continue eastbound along Nobel Drive.**





# Nobel Drive



**September 2025**



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## Upcoming Work

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# Genesee Avenue and Nobel Drive Intersection

- **Work on the Genesee Avenue and Nobel Drive intersection is expected to begin in September 2025**
- **Work is expected to occur from 6:00 a.m. to 10:30 p.m. through November 2025**
- **Traffic impacts will be communicated as work progresses**
- **Approach**
  - **Intersection work will be separated into three sections – drill beams, install pipe and cover before moving onto next section**
- **Please anticipate traffic delays and construction noise**
- **Message boards will be placed in advance of the work**
- **For safety reasons, please follow all posted signs including detours for traffic on Nobel Drive and Genesee Avenue**

- **Work hours: 6: 00 a.m. through 10:30 p.m.**
- **Single lanes open to traffic on northbound Genesee Avenue and Eastbound Nobel Drive between Genesee Avenue and Lombard Place**
- **No left turn from Nobel Drive to southbound Genesee Avenue**
- **Eastbound traffic not impacted**





# Nobel/Genesee Section 2

- **Work hours: 6:00 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.**
- **24-hr traffic control set up**
- **Pedestrians and cyclists will be directed to cross Genesee Avenue at Nobel Drive opposite the work zone**
- **Left turn pocket open from northbound Genesee onto westbound Nobel**
- **Single lane open to traffic on northbound Genesee Avenue**
- **Eastbound traffic impacted; detour to cross Nobel Drive at La Jolla Village Drive**





# Nobel/Genesee Section 3

- **Work hours: 6:00 a.m. to 10:30 p.m.**
- **24-hr traffic control set up**
- **Pedestrians and cyclists will be directed to cross Genesee Avenue at Nobel Drive opposite the work zone**
- **No left turn from northbound Genesee Avenue to westbound Nobel Drive**
- **Detour at La Jolla Village Drive**
- **Eastbound traffic not impacted**





# Notification Methods

- Construction notice with maps
- Webpage/GIS map content
- Community group presentations
- Community news article content
- E-blast content
- Social media calendar and boosted posts
- Online/app map coordination
- Printed materials



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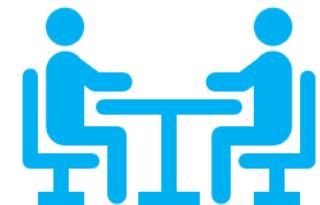
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E-blasts



Meetings



# Questions? Contact Us

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**Questions?**

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# Weekend Closure – Marian Bear Park Crossing



**April 2025**