

CONSTRUCTION NOTICE Miramar Reservoir Reopened to Aquatic Recreation

Dec. 27, 2022

Miramar Reservoir has been reopened to aquatic recreation, and the start of in-water construction of the City of San Diego Subaqueous Pipeline project within the Miramar Reservoir has been delayed.

What To Expect: In-water construction originally scheduled for fall 2022 and early 2023 is postponed and will be re-scheduled to occur later in 2023. The Subaqueous Pipeline is a one-mile, branched pipeline at Miramar Reservoir that will include construction with pipeline assembly on barges on the surface of the reservoir before being sunk and permanently installed on the floor of the lakebed. During future in-water construction at Miramar Reservoir, the reservoir will be closed to aquatic recreation (boats, kayaks, canoes and float tubes), but all shore activities (picnic areas, paths and fishing) will remain open. The project team will work to minimize inconveniences associated with traffic, construction noise and large construction equipment. When: Miramar Reservoir has been reopened to aquatic recreation in December 2022, and a revised construction schedule as well as phasing information will be provided to the community when it is available. Construction would now occur beginning later in 2023. 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 by 2035. The Pure Water 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 City is committed to providing up-to-date information about construction activities. Notices will be regularly posted on **scrippsranch.purewatersd.org**. Please contact **purewatersd@sandiego.gov** or **833-MIR-PWSD (833-647-7973)** with questions about the City's Pure Water Program and the Subaqueous Pipeline project, and a team member will get back to you within one business day.