

Customer CONNECTION



PRODUCED MONTHLY BY MEMPHIS LIGHT, GAS AND WATER DIVISION

Natural Gas Pipeline Modernization Project

We are beginning a \$30 million modernization project to improve the pipeline distribution of natural gas in South Memphis. Construction starts in April; the new pipeline will be in service by October.



The new 24" high-pressure distribution line will replace two 18" extra high pressure gas transmission lines that have been in operation since 1929 and 1940 respectively. The 5.4-mile project will begin on Gill Road in Barton Heights, where the 18" pipe valves are located, and then follow the MLGW right-of-way south to the Weaver Gate Station on Weaver Road.

Cont. on next panel

LED Upgrades for Small Business Owners

Upgrade the lights at your small business to energy-efficient LEDs and get up to 70% of the costs covered! MLGW has partnered with TVA EnergyRight to bring energy-efficient LED lighting upgrades to small businesses in our community. These upgrades can help you save money and provide benefits beyond energy savings, so you can focus on what matters most. It is an investment that will pay off year-after-year. Contact MLGW's Economic Development team for details. They can be reached by email econdev@mlgw.org or phone 528-4469.

Cont. from front

The project will impact several streets and be in close proximity to a number of neighborhoods; however, it will not disrupt gas service to those homes or businesses. MLGW will keep residents apprised of the project process. Community meetings are being planned to discuss the traffic and other concerns in those areas.

Additionally, impacted customers will receive a direct mail piece to their homes before construction begins. We will share more information on official MLGW platforms as this project develops.

Orange Mound Infrastructure Inspections

We are working with the Tennessee Valley Authority (TVA) to complete inspections of utility poles and utility pole equipment in the Orange Mound neighborhood. Inspections are expected to last through the summer.



Inspectors will use drones to fly over utility poles and check for maintenance issues not visible from the ground. Issues they will look for include damaged poles, fuses, transformers and other equipment. They will also report any vegetation overgrowth that could interfere with electric infrastructure.

Inspectors from TVA will inspect roughly 9,000 poles in the Orange Mound area. Data collected will be used to prioritize maintenance and assign work orders.

Drone inspections will take place Monday through Friday during business hours.

Interact with MLGW via: Instagram, Twitter, Facebook, Blogspot and YouTube



Just visit mlgw.com and click on the logos.



Customer Reference Number: 2/25

