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New Jersey American Water Investing \$633,000 in Maplewood

CAMDEN, N.J. (March 7, 2019) – [New Jersey American Water](#) is replacing approximately 2,200 feet of aging water main in its Maplewood service area. The company is replacing water main that was installed in the 1910s with new ductile iron main along: **Maplewood Avenue**, from Jefferson Ave to Beach Pl.; **Beach Place**, from Woodland Rd to Maplewood Ave; **Maplewood Avenue**, from Wintrop Pl to Mountain Ave and **Mountain Avenue**, from Maplewood Ave to Ridgewood Rd. The project also includes replacing two fire hydrants and 29 utility-owned service lines along the pipeline route

This \$633,000 investment will continue to improve water service reliability and increase water flows for household consumption and fire protection in this community. This improvement is part of New Jersey American Water's multimillion dollar program to accelerate the [renewal of water infrastructure](#) that is reaching the end of its useful life in more than 100 communities across the state.

New Jersey American Water's local qualified contractor, CRJ Contracting, will begin work next week and be completed in approximately one month. Work hours will be from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Work outside of these hours is not expected unless required to maintain project schedule. Final street restorations will be completed in the summer of 2019.

For the public's and workers' safety, traffic restrictions and/or alternating traffic patterns are likely to occur during work hours. All emergency vehicles and local traffic will be allowed access during construction. New Jersey American Water values the safety of its workers and advises drivers and pedestrians to take caution in the vicinity of work sites.

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