



**City of Missoula, Montana
City Council Committee Agenda Item**

Committee: Public Works and Mobility

Item: Noise Ordinance Variance for night work on Beckwith Ave

Date: September 14, 2022

Sponsor(s): Adam Marsh

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Ward(s) Affected:

<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 1	<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 4
<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 5
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ward 3	<input type="checkbox"/> Ward 6
<input type="checkbox"/> All Wards	<input type="checkbox"/> N/A

Action Required:

Approve an exception to MMC Chapter 9.30, Noise Control, during the installation of the Beckwith Avenue Water Main Replacement Project across Stephens Ave to allow for night work.

Recommended Motion(s):

I move the City Council: Approve an exemption to MMC Chapter 9.30 entitled "Noise Control," to permit relief in accordance with MMC Chapter 9.30.070, entitled "Permit for relief from noise level," from specified levels during the installation of a water main across Stephens Avenue.

Timeline:

Committee discussion:	September 14, 2022
Council action (or sets hearing):	September 19, 2022
Public Hearing (if required):	N/A
Final Consideration	N/A
Deadline:	N/A

Background and Alternatives Explored:

3 Rivers Landworks is installing the water main for the Beckwith Avenue Water Main Replacement Project. This project requires the water main to be installed across Stephens Ave in Beckwith and to connect to an existing main the runs North and South in Stephens Ave. In order to minimize traffic interruptions and satisfy the MDT Permit, this work must occur at night. The plan is to connect the new watermain to the existing watermain over the course of two nights and pave back the road during a third night.

The work will occur during three consecutive nights. The target start date is September 21st with an end date of September 23rd. However, the actual start date will depend on asphalt availability. At this time, the exact date of asphalt availability is unknown but night work will be conducted sometime between September 20th and September 30th. Message boards announcing the night work road closures will be posted 5-days in advance.

Financial Implications: N/A

Links to external websites: [MMC Chapter 9.30- Noise Control](#)