

Highlands - Lake Conroe - Woodlands - GRP - Flood Management



SJRA: Water line break Research Forest and Technology Forest

The Woodlands, Texas - SJRA, its contractors, and Montgomery County Precinct 3 (Precinct 3) continue to inspect and repair the area. We realize this is a slow process and an immense inconvenience for everyone who drives in the area. Repairing a water line and a major thoroughfare is a large-scale project that requires a detailed process to ensure the work is done PROPERLY and SAFELY. Thank you [Precinct 3](#) engineers for your assistance and cooperation. Many thanks to [Montgomery County Sheriff Rand Henderson](#) and [Montgomery County Constable Ryan Gable](#) for traffic control.

Process:

- Uncover affected area after Tropical Storm Imelda (**COMPLETED**);
- Dewater the area (**COMPLETED**);
- Remove bank sand from around the pipe (**COMPLETED**);
- Install a new section of pipe (**COMPLETED**);
- Hydrotest the new pipe (**COMPLETED**);
- Backfill the affected area (**in process**);
- Remove remaining pavement (**to begin October 4**);
- Re-pave the affected area; and
- Coordination with [Precinct 3](#) to reopen the eastbound side.

*****Precinct 3** operates and maintains the roads in The Woodlands. SJRA is working closely with [Precinct 3](#) to repair the affected area. Concrete can take approximately 6-7 days of dry weather to cure before being opened safely to traffic. Drivers will see traffic control and reduced activity during this time.

We will continue to post updates on social media (Facebook [@SanJacintoRiverAuthority](#) or Twitter [@SJRA 1937](#)).

Thank you again, for working with us to ensure the safety of the community.

