

TOWNSHIP OF OCEAN SEWERAGE AUTHORITY

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PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTIFICATION OF SEWER INVESTIGATION WORK

Beginning the week of December 1st and continuing for the next few months, representatives from the Township of Ocean Sewerage Authority (TOSA) will be working in the Township to evaluate the condition of the sanitary sewer system and sewer service laterals. Crews will be conducting smoke testing, which is a standard method used to identify defects, leaks, and/or cross-connections within the sewer system.

Smoke testing involves pressurizing the sewer mains with non-toxic, non-flammable liquid smoke to identify areas where repairs may be needed. Residents may see smoke venting from manholes or sewer vents. This is normal and not a cause for concern. The smoke used in testing is harmless to human, pets, and property.

Property owners will receive a letter from TOSA two or three days prior to testing. This work may require crews to access manholes located in the public Right-of-Way and within utility easements, including some on private property with easement areas. There will be no disruption of sewer service during this process.

All TOSA representatives will be in authority uniforms and carry official identification badges. For additional information, please contact TOSA at (732) 531-2213 EXT 118 to reach Collection Supervisor Vin D'Esposito

Thank you,

TOSA