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## NEWS RELEASE

# City Fire Hydrant Flushing Procedures, Effects

**FREDERICK, MD – April 12, 2019:** The annual hydrant flushing will occur in May, and may affect the appearance, but not the safety, of the water supply.

Once a year, the City of Frederick's Department of Public Works clears the sediment from the City's water mains by opening the fire hydrants and discharging water. During the flushing procedure, water may appear cloudy or slightly discolored for a short period of time. Lines will be flushed according to the following schedule:

### May 13, 14, 15: 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- Seventh Street northward, including Fredericktown Village, Monocacy Village, Spring Valley, Amber Meadows.
- Route 40, including Hillcrest and Lake Coventry areas.

### May 16: 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.

- Seventh Street southward, including New Design, Ballenger, Solarex and Bowman Farm Road to East Street.

### May 17: midnight to 7 a.m.

Completion of the above areas, and downtown.

#### May 13-15, 7 a.m.-3 p.m. Subdivision/Area

Seventh Street northward  
Fredericktown Village  
Monocacy Village  
Spring Valley  
Amber Meadows  
Route 40  
Hillcrest  
Lake Coventry

#### May 17: Midnight to 7 a.m.

Completion of the above area, and downtown

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Seventh Street southward  
New Design  
Ballenger  
Solarex  
Bowman Farm Road to East Street

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**May 13 - 17: 7 a.m. -3 p.m**

- Clover Ridge, Dearbought, Main Farm, North Crossing, Walnut Ridge, Willowbrook, Worman’s Mill subdivisions
- Tuscarora and Whittier areas
- Frederick Community College.

Questions or concerns may be directed to the City’s Water Department at 301-600-1681.

| May 13-17, 7 a.m.- 3 p.m.<br>Subdivision/Area   |
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| Clover Ridge<br>Dearbought<br>Frederick Community College<br>Main Farm<br>North Crossing<br>Tuscarora<br>Walnut Ridge<br>Whittier<br>Willowbrook<br>Worman's Mill |



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