## Dear Resident:

The LIRR Expansion Project, one of the region's most significant transportation infrastructure projects, is well underway throughout communities along a nearly ten-mile stretch of mainline track from Floral Park to Hicksville. The project will improve mass transit, reduce traffic congestion, protect the environment, and enhance quality-of-life for communities along the Main Line.

Utility work associated with the elimination of the at-grade crossing at New Hyde Park Road has begun. Work related to relocating sewer, water, and natural gas service is taking place at various locations in the area of the LIRR right-of-way at New Hyde Park Road, both north and south of the tracks.

This utility work will make it possible for future excavation that will allow New Hyde Park Road to run under the LIRR tracks, improving safety and eliminating the bottle-neck that exists at that location. Work on construction of the underpass is scheduled to begin in October 2019 and continue through July 2020.

Utility work will result in single or multiple lane closures or full road closures. Detailed Maintenance and Protection of Traffic Plans (MPTs) have been developed that include flaggers, signage, and traffic control devices, to warn and direct drivers and pedestrians.

During the next month, scheduled utility work in this area of Garden City, Garden City Park, and New Hyde Park includes:

- Sanitary Sewer Installation @ New Hyde Park Rd North of LIRR Tracks Multiple lanes closed
- Water Main Installation @ Clinch Ave and Greenridge Ave Full road closure at north end of Clinch
- Gas Main Installation @ $2^{\text {nd }}$ Avenue North of LIRR Tracks Single lane closed
- Water main Installation @ New Hyde Park Rd South of LIRR Tracks Multiple lanes closed
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Respectfully,

## Your New Hyde Park and Garden City/Garden City Park Community Ambassadors

 For New Hyde Park

For more information, please contact the Information Hotline at 516-203-4955 or by email CommunityOutreach@lirrexpansion.com. You may also visit our website, www.lirrexpansion.com, for up-to-date project details.

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