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Dear Resident,

The City of Apple Valley is preparing to begin work on the installation of a water quality improvement project in Sunset Park near your property. This letter is being sent to make you aware of upcoming construction work near the pond in the Park beginning the week of July 8th, 2019.

The finished project will direct water from the pond through an iron enhanced sand filter, a sand depression with a small volume of iron filings mixed in it. Phosphorus in runoff binds to the iron filings, trapping it before it enters Alimagnet Lake. Alimagnet Lake is an impaired water; high amounts of phosphorus in runoff is causing excessive algal blooms in the summer. This project will help reduce a significant source of phosphorus to the Lake. The City is coordinating with the Vermillion River Watershed Joint Powers Organization on the project.

The City will post progress notices on its website during construction. You can learn more about water resources in Apple Valley by visiting www.CityofAppleValley.org/231/Water-Resources. Feel free to contact me with any questions. I can be reached at 952-953-2401 or eacosta@cityofapplevalley.org.

Sincerely,

CITY OF APPLE VALLEY

Evan Acosta Engineering Technician

Enclosures: Map showing approximate location of potential project

Location of Proposed Iron Enhanced Sand Filter



Property Information