

# COACHELLA VALLEY WATER DISTRICT E-NEWSLETTER



## Upcoming street closure on Brandywine Avenue

For your safety, please be aware of street closures and traffic control efforts in the construction zone.

The contractor for the project has posted caution signs and stationed flagmen to limit pedestrian and golf cart traffic in the areas where crews are working and where heavy equipment is being used.

Please comply with these temporary road restrictions, which will be set up along Brandywine Avenue for the next several weeks.

For the week of **March 9-13**, Brandywine Avenue will be closed between Mimosa Drive and Goham Lane and detours will be posted.



## Water system repairs and improvements underway

At Coachella Valley Water District, we value our customers and appreciate your patience while we work to improve system reliability in Sun City Palm Desert.

You may have noticed some discoloration in your tap water after a main break on March 2 at Nectarine Drive and Peach Blossom Circle. We want to assure you that despite its appearance, the water is safe to drink and use.

It is not unusual after a main break for water to be discolored by the movement of sediment, minerals and deposits in the pipe, which can be cleared by running the tap for a few minutes. After a main is repaired, CVD cleans, disinfects and flushes the pipe before reconnecting it to the system. We also protect your health and safety by conducting regular water quality testing and reporting the findings in our annual water quality report, which can be found on our website.

The main break was not caused by construction for the new pipeline, but it does illustrate why the District is undertaking the reconstruction project in your neighborhood. The soil in the area is corroding the existing ductile iron pipes, making them more susceptible to breakage. As we replace the pipes with ones that are coated to prevent corrosion, main breaks will be less common.

We will continue to keep you updated and informed about the project. If you have any concerns or questions, please contact us: email [DCarmony@cvwd.org](mailto:DCarmony@cvwd.org), project hotline at 760-398-2661, website [cvwd.org/suncity](http://cvwd.org/suncity).



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