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# Sewer Trunkline Repairs and Stream Stabilization

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### Objectives

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Project Background
Design Components
Sewer Investigation
Sewer Rehabilitation

- Stream Realignment
- Dam Breach

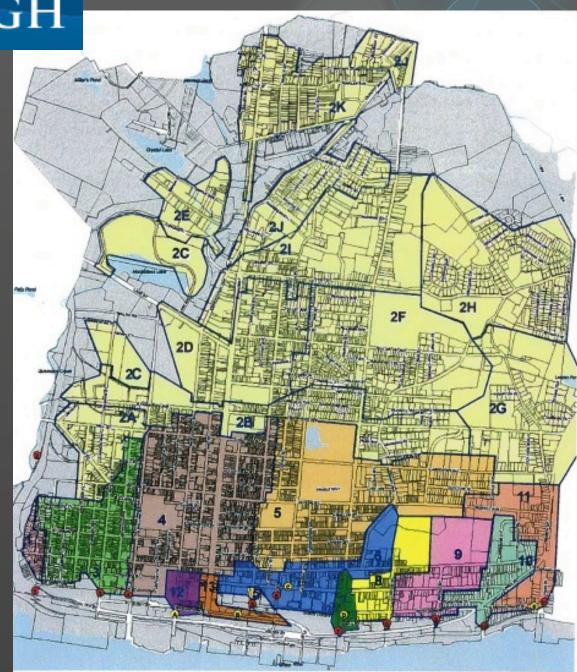
Next Steps





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- Sections date back to the 1800's.
- 55 miles of collector sewers
- Combined Sewage
   System
- Two main interceptors (North and South)
- 11 Regulators
- 4 Diversion Manholes



### Why is West Trunk Sewer Important?

6,000 acre contributory drainage area
Conveys 65-75% of City flows to the WPCP (WRRF)

Constructed in 1880s of hand laid brick

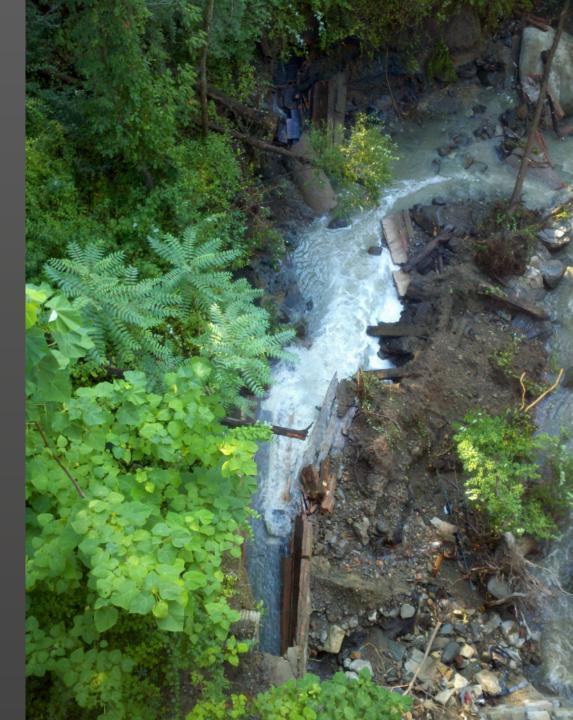
**Estimated Flows through the West Trunk Sewer to WPCP** 

	Total Flow		70% of Total Flow			
12 Month Rolling Average	6.3	MGD	4.41	MGD	3,063	GPM
SPDES Permitted Flow	9.0	MGD	6.3	MGD	4,375	GPM
Max Day Flow	13.5	MGD	9.45	MGD	6,563	GPM
Daily Average Flow	4.3	MGD	3.01	MGD	2,090	GPM
Peak Flow	21	MGD	14.7	MGD	10,208	GPM

#### History

#### July 16, 2012

Received a call at 6:30 AM Monday Morning from the WWTP Operator that there was significantly reduced flow at the WWTP which is not typical for a Treatment Plant within a Combined Sewer System during a 1.18" rain event.







- Contractor Mobilized by 9:30 AM that Morning and after 32 Hours, the Spill was Contained (3:30 AM)
- Contractor has installed five 8' x 8' manholes for access and bypass pumping
- Lined Approximately 1,250 ft of 54-inch sewer
- Contractor continued inspections, and lining operations, as well as restoration of the disturbed area throughout August & September.

## October 5, 2012

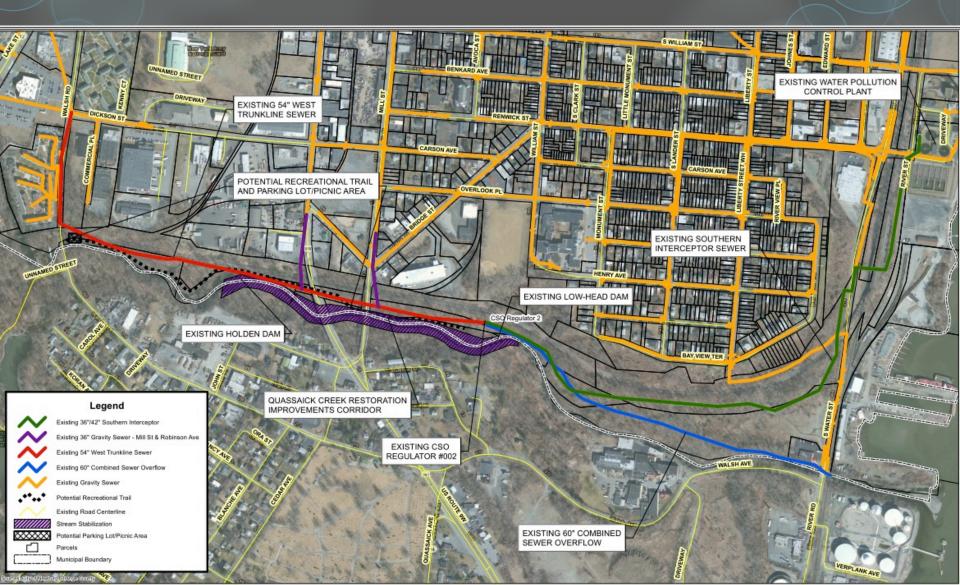
#### Immediate Repair

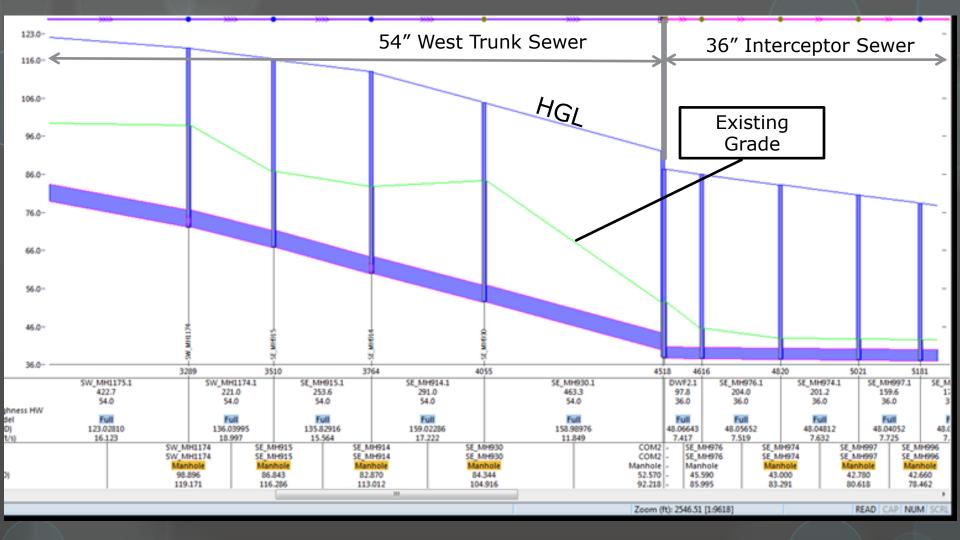
- Just Spent \$0.85 million
- 2.5 months conducting repairs
- Exhausted City Sewer Fund Reserve - programmed for other Capital Improvements
- Newburgh Fiscal Recovery Act – August 2010
- City Bond Rating Ba1
   Bonds 4.3%+/- interest

- Over 1,000 ft of 12-inch
   Bypass Piping was in place at
   9:30 PM
  - Bypass Piping Pipe had to come from Albany
  - Clean out downstream piping and regulator
- Repair was completed by 5:00 AM

City Manager Declares State of Emergency to Facilitate Continued Repairs to West Trunk Sewer Line

### **Project Overview**





Calculated Manning Capacity of the 54" West Trunkline Sewer165 MGDCalculate Manning Capacity of the 36" Interceptor Sewer19.2 MGDTwelve Month Permitted Average Flow at the WRRF9 MGD

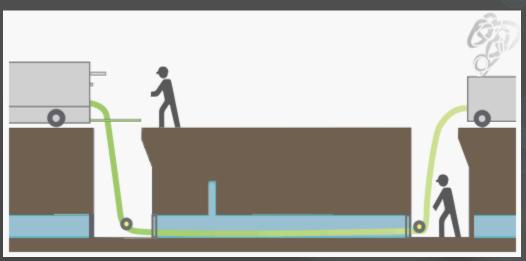
### **Sanitary Sewer Investigation**

- \$9.1 Million dollars obtained through NYSEFC from Clean Water Funds
  - 50% zero interest 50% subsidized interest
- CCTV Completed as a Subcontract to Engineer July 2015
- Contractor was able to uncover 8 manholes for access
- Contractor removed nearly 100 yards of material from sewers. (West Trunk Sewer from MH5 to Reg #002 was lined in 2012)
- Manhole Locating and Sewer Locating through Summer/Fall 2015

### Sewer Pipe Rehabilitation – Contract 1

- Cured-in-place pipe (CIPP) 54-inch Walsh Rd to MH 5
- CIPP 36-inch Robinson Ave
- CIPP 18/24-inch Mill St
- Manhole rehabilitation (MH's 5, 4, 3, 2, 1)





#### Sewer Pipe Rehabilitation – Contract 2

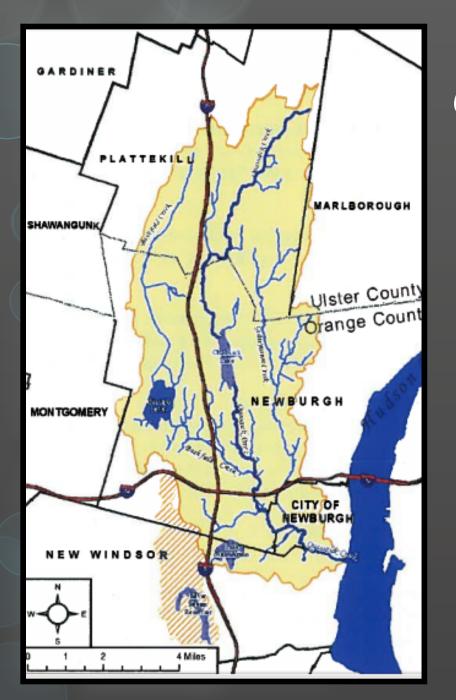
Spot repairs along overflow and interceptor
 Centrifugally Cast Concrete Pipe overflow





#### How to prevent this from occurring again?





### **Quassaick Creek**

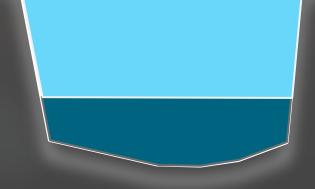
- $\circ$  50 Sq. Mile Drainage Area
- $\circ~$  Five Municipalities, Two Counties



#### **Unconfined Channel**

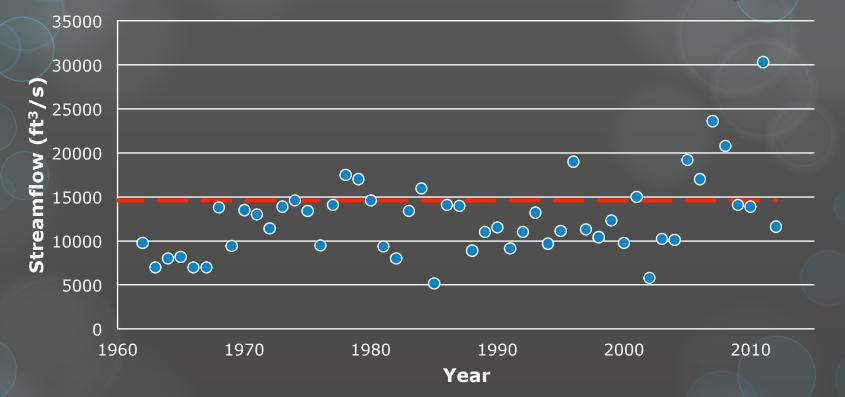
- Reduced depth and velocity
- Reduced shear stress
- Lower erosion potential

#### Laterally Confined (Entrenched) Channel



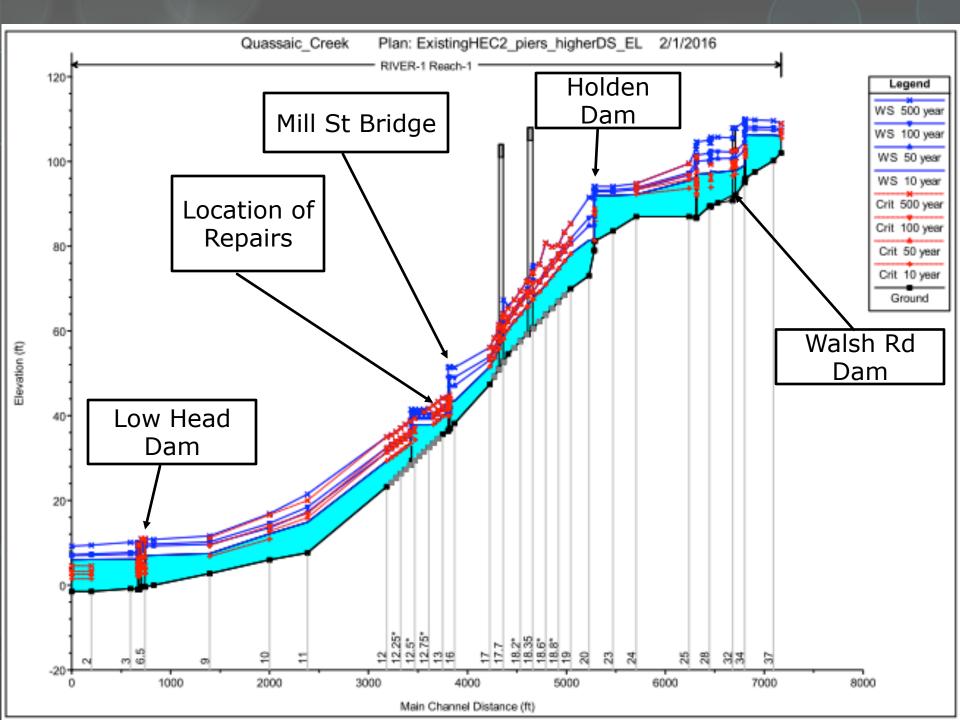
- Increased depth and velocity
- Higher shear stress
- Greater erosion potential

# Peak Annual Streamflow Wallkill River - Gardiner, NY



• 1960 – 2000 (40 years)  $\rightarrow$  4 floods exceed 80<sup>th</sup> percentile

• 2000 – 2010 (10 years)  $\rightarrow$  6 floods exceed 80<sup>th</sup> percentile



Partial breach of dam and abutments

Tie into

existing channel

Filling and grading of existing channel and overbank to create floodplain

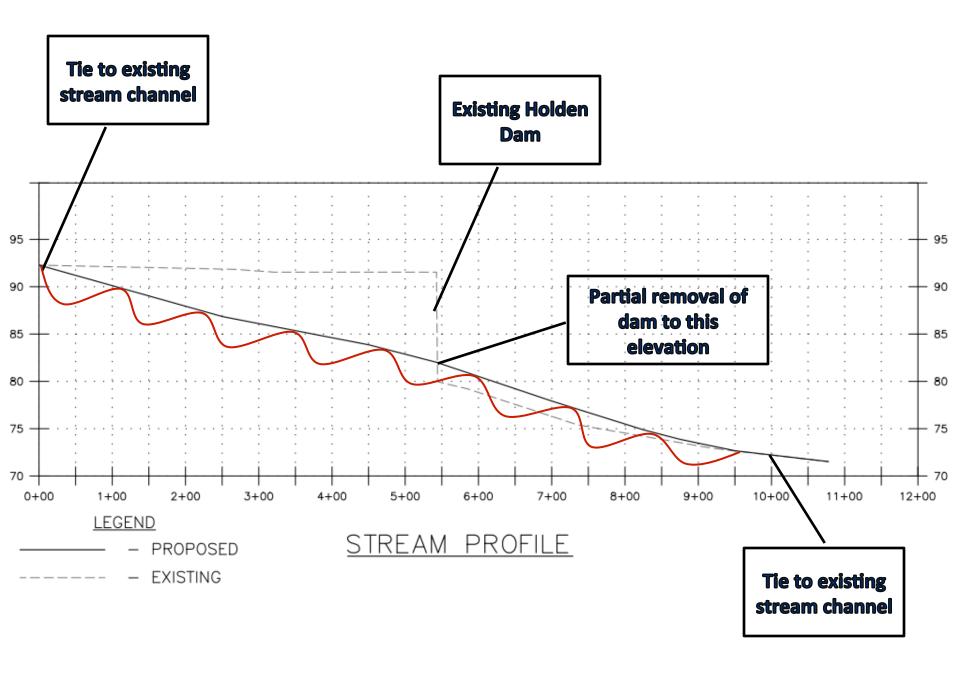
Relocation of stable channel away from sewer ROW

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Tie into existing channel

S Robinson Ave

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# Why Breach the Dam and Relocate the Stream?

Relocate active channel away from sewer ROW Eliminate risk of stream encroachment Construct stable channel to reduce bank erosion • Eliminate recurring risk of bank failure • Create wide floodplain buffer to protect sewer ROW Provide additional structural stability to sewer line Eliminate concrete channel Remove risk to longevity of sewer line

#### Next Steps...

Design of Sewer Lining is nearly complete - Summer 2016

- CIPP Polyester Felt 54" West Trunkline Sewer Contract 1
- Cementitious Lining 60" Overflow Pipe Contract 2
- Bid Late Summer 2016; Contracts Complete Spring 2017
- Contaminated Materials Testing Summer 2016
- Final Design & Permitting of Stream Fall 2016
- Stream Stabilization and Dam Breach Bid Winter 2017
- Construction Completion February 2018



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