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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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**CONTACT INFORMATION:**

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**Public Works Water Division**

**October 13, 2011**

**Phone: 815.987.5570**

### **HYDRANT FLUSHING PROJECT UPDATE:**

*Week of October 16, 2011*

ROCKFORD – The following is an update of the current City of Rockford Unidirectional Flushing Program for the 2011 flushing season.

#### **UNIDIRECTIONAL FLUSHING PROGRAM:**

**Water Superintendent: Tim Holdeman**

**815-987-5738**

**Assistant Superintendent: Greg Cassaro**

**815-987-5729**

#### **Unidirectional Flushing Boundaries:**

North – Guilford Road

South – Harrison Avenue

East – Mulford Road

West – Alpine Road

#### **Project Update:**

The Public Works Department releases the following information on the flushing operation from 10/09/2011 to 10/15/2011.

#### **RESIDENTIAL STREETS FLUSHED:**

Council Crest Drive

Geneva Avenue

Kersten Court

Phelps Avenue

Esmond Avenue

El Paso Court

Newburg Road

Beverly Lane

Wichita Drive

Gordon Avenue

Elaine Drive

Classic Court

Post Drive

Meadowlark Drive

Sebastian Court

Woodbine Drive

Meadowlark Court

**Projected Flushing Locations:**

During the week of 10/16/2011 to 10/22/2011, the following streets are scheduled to be flushed:

Tamery Lane  
Elena Drive

Mariposa Drive  
Arnold Avenue

Dierks Drive  
Wentworth Avenue

**FIRE FLOW TESTING PROGRAM:**

**Assistant Superintendent: Greg Cassaro**

**815-987-5729**

**Fire Flow Testing Boundaries:**

Effective September 25, 2011 to October 29, 2011

**Station#10**

North – Morsay Drive  
South – Newburg Road  
East – Mulford Road  
West – Hawthorne Avenue

**WATER QUALITY CONTACTS:**

**Water Quality Supervisor: Nadine Miller**

**815-987-5713**

**Water Quality Technician: Larry Pierce**

**815-987-5736**

**Water Quality Technician: Jill Giacomazzo**

**815-987-5701**

If discolored water occurs, it is not a health hazard. However, during any flushing procedures, iron (red water) and manganese (black water) may become stirred up within the water main, which can create staining on the porcelain and laundry. For this reason it is vital that the public be aware of the time and area that will be affected. If there are any Water Quality questions, please contact water quality at the numbers listed.

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