

WOULD YOU BELIEVE ANOTHER CHANGE in PG&E Miranda/Foothill Project schedule?

In what feels like a Candid Camera sketch, there has been yet another turnaround in PG&E's plans for pipeline replacement construction work on this project. I waited until today to pass it along in case things changed yet again from last Friday, but it indeed appears that this plan is the one that will be in effect through October. The following info is also on our website (www.cityofpaloalto.org/utilityprojects PG&E link) which I keep that updated with the latest news at all times:

ANOTHER CHANGE BACK TO DAY WORK NEAR STANFORD! Effective 9/21, PG&E contractors WILL BE working during the day after all on the Foothill Expressway/Junipero Serra between Page Mill Road and East Campus Drive. (PG&E has been trying to accommodate Stanford's changing needs.) There will likely be traffic delays to Palo Alto commuters headed northbound on the Foothill Expressway. Meanwhile, night work (9pm-5am) will be conducted from East Campus Drive west to Alpine Road.

Pipeline construction on the Palo Alto portion of this segment is expected to start at the end of September. The current plan is to conduct night work just west of Hillview Ave at 3351 Miranda Ave., which is to the entrance of the Foothills Tennis and Swimming Club, and proceed westward. Daytime work is expected to start during the same period again at 3351 Miranda Ave., which is to the entrance of the Foothills Tennis and Swimming Club, and proceed eastward in the opposite direction across Hillview Ave. and ending just passed the VA hospital property.

- <u>Click here</u> for a flyer detailing the project including lane closures, work hours and contact information.
- Click here for a map showing areas of day time vs. night time work. (provided by PG&E)

As a reminder, this second segment of PG&E's Gas Transmission Line #109 to be replaced runs through Palo Alto, Stanford and Menlo Park. The portion in Palo Alto runs next to the Foothill Expressway (Miranda Avenue) in front of the Veterans Administration Hospital and the University and Foothill Clubs and merges onto the Foothill Expressway, continuing up to Page Mill Road.

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