Portion of East Liberty Street remains closed due to cave-in

Closure between Campbell and Wenzel streets

LOUISVILLE, KY– Crews continue to make progress repairing a sewer line that runs under the pavement on East Liberty Street. While repairs on the main pipe are complete, work continues on connecting pipes. The roadway remains closed while repairs are ongoing.

MSD workers inserted a new pipe into the area where the original brick pipe installed in 1871 had collapsed.

Traffic detour signs are in place to guide motorists through the area. The northside sidewalk remains open. However, the southside sidewalk will close. MSD crews will continue work throughout the weekend. The repair will be complete and the roadway open by Friday, May 21.

There is no loss of sewer service during the repair.

About MSD: The Louisville/Jefferson County Metropolitan Sewer District (MSD) works to achieve and maintain clean, environmentally safe waterways for a healthy and vibrant community. The organization’s more than 670 employees provide wastewater management, drainage and flood protection services across the 376 square miles of Louisville Metro, and wastewater service in portions of Oldham County. In addition to operating and maintaining Louisville Metro’s sewer system, floodwall system, water quality treatment centers and flood pumping stations, MSD invests in hundreds of infrastructure improvement projects each year, plants more than 1,000 trees and other vegetation annually to enhance water filtration and reduce runoff, and provides numerous outreach programs to inform and educate the community about protecting our waterways.