NOTICE

FOG AND DYE TESTING

PORTSMOUTH SEWERSHED INFLOW & INFILTRATION REDUCTION PROGRAM





Civica Infrastructure is conducting fog and dye testing in your area. Work crews will be in your area within the next couple weeks. A "Fog Test" survey assists our inspection crews in locating breaks, defects and potentially inappropriate connections in the local sewer system. The fog that you see coming from the vent stacks on houses or holes in the ground is NON-TOXIC, NON-STAINING, ODOURLESS, WHITE TO GREY IN COLOUR, and will not cause any FIRE HAZARD.

We request the home owner, prior to the crew commencing fog testing, open the water taps for 15-20 minutes and pour 2-3 cups of water into all drains (don't forget your basement floor drains). During the fog test, fog should not be able to enter into your home unless there is defective plumbing or dried up drain traps. If fog gets into the house, then open windows and turn on exhaust fans and note the location of the fog. The fog will dissipate in a few minutes. **Contact the Civica Project Field Manager Seth Monczka at: (905) 417-9792 ext. 306** or speak with one of the crew persons conducting the test about the location of the fog.

If the fog test is inconclusive to identify any breaks or leaks, then the inspection crew is required to perform a dye test and will request for permission to come onto your property to conduct a dye test outside the building. A dye test requires pouring dyed water into an outlet and monitoring the sanitary sewer on the street. Our inspection crews will not need to enter your house to conduct the dye test.

IMPORTANT! If there is any individual in your home or business who has respiratory problems or is a person with a disability, please notify the Project Field Manager prior to testing.





