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## Sewerage and Water Board to Perform Test Closure in New Orleans East, Encourages Residents to Report Changes in Water Pressure

NEW ORLEANS – Sewerage and Water Board (S&WB) personnel will perform a test closure in New Orleans East on Tuesday, November 21, 2017, from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. The purpose of this **test** closure is in preparation of a repair to a section of a 30" water main located before the Michoud Boulevard exit on the eastbound side of 1-10. S&WB will be constantly monitoring the impact of the test closure in the surrounding neighborhoods along Michoud Boulevard, from Chef Menteur Highway to Expedition Drive.

The test will be a controlled closure and pressures monitored. The test will be aborted as necessary to avoid critical impact. S&WB encourages customers to report any pressure related issues during the test closure to 52-WATER.

The following areas MAY experience low pressure:

• Surrounding Neighborhoods on Michoud Boulevard from Chef Menteur Highway to Expedition Drive.

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