



March 17, 2017

NOTIFICATION OF FLOW ISOLATION TESTING

Dear Valued Residents:

Ben Avon Borough has contracted with The Gateway Engineers, Inc. for testing in public sanitary sewers that may be near your home or even on your property. This testing will help to determine if groundwater and/or rainwater is entering the sanitary sewer system. In order to make this determination, trained professionals from Gateway Engineers will perform night time flow isolation testing in sanitary sewer manholes between the hours of **12:00AM and 5:00AM**.

This testing does not require you to be home but it may require that our personnel to come onto or through your property in order to reach a pre-determined testing sanitary manhole. Each person contracted with Ben Avon Borough will be wearing high visibility clothing and will have identification on them at all times. This work does not require any effort on your part or access into your home and therefore no requests should be made to enter your home at any time. Testing time at each sanitary sewer manhole can range from a few minutes up to thirty (30) minutes.

Testing in our community is scheduled to occur during March and April.

This testing is being conducted to satisfy requirements to a Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection (PaDEP) consent order.

Thank you very much for your cooperation while we complete this required testing.