

Board of Water and Sewer Commissioners

TOWN OF FOXBOROUGH

## 70 ELM STREET

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**Notice**

The Foxborough DPW is in the design phase of a new potable water tank on the existing Dudley Hill water tank site. The Town has identified the necessity for an additional tank through our master plan. After the analysis of multiple sites across Foxborough, adding a tank next to the existing tank is the most advantageous for the system.

The Water Department has capital funding to move this project forward in the 2021 construction season. The new tank is being designed as a 1.2 million gallon tank that will working in conjunction with the existing 3 million gallon tank.

Benefits of an additional tank include increased capacity in the system, along with adding redundancy that will allow us to drain the existing tank to perform proper maintenance. While the new tank is not designed to increase pressure in the system, we are simultaneously analyzing the addition of a booster pump system that would feed a portion of the Dudley Estates neighborhood. This would improve pressures in that area for the houses, along with an increase for fire safety.

More information can be found on the town website on the [Water Department page](https://www.foxboroughma.gov/departments/water_sewer_department). Additional information includes the [Tank Assessment](https://www.foxboroughma.gov/UserFiles/Servers/Server_15207780/File/Water%20Storage%20Tank%20Assessment_FINAL.pdf) performed by Environmental Partners, utilizing our hydraulic model, along with a [Preliminary Design.](https://www.foxboroughma.gov/UserFiles/Servers/Server_15207780/File/Hill%20Street%20Water%20Storage%20Tank_Preliminary%20Design%20Drawings_2020.12.10.pdf)

A site walk has been requested by some of the residents in Dudley Estates. A representative from the Water Department will be on site Sunday January 17th at 11:00 am.

If you have any questions please call 508-543-1209 or email Bob Worthley [bworthley@foxboroughma.gov](mailto:bworthley@foxboroughma.gov), or Chris Gallagher [cgallagher@foxboroughma.gov](mailto:cgallagher@foxboroughma.gov)