



NOTICE OF SMOKE TESTING FOR CITY OF ARCOLA

THE SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM IN YOUR AREA WILL BE SMOKE TESTED WITHIN THE NEXT FEW DAYS. THIS TESTING WILL GIVE THE CITY ENGINEER DATA AS TO THE CURRENT CONDITION OF THE WASTEWATER SEWERS INFRASTRUCTURE. THIS TESTING IS BEING PERFORMED BY AUTHORIZATION OF YOUR WATER BOARD, AND THE CITY ENGINEER.

THE SMOKE FOR THE TESTING IS HARMLESS AND IS APPROVED FOR USE IN PUBLIC SEWER SYSTEMS. IF THE SMOKE SHOULD ENTER YOUR HOME, ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS VENTILATE THE AREA BY OPENING A WINDOW OR TURNING ON A FAN. **LEAVE THE AREA UNTIL THE SMOKE DISSIPATES. PLEASE NOTIFY ONE OF THE SMOKE CREW PERSONNEL AT THE NUMBER LISTED BELOW.** SMOKE SHOULD EXIT THROUGH THE VENT STACK ON THE ROOF OF YOUR HOME.

IF SMOKE SHOULD ENTER YOUR HOME, THIS WILL INDICATE A BREAK, OR PROBLEM, WITH YOUR PLUMBING. A LICENSED PLUMBER SHOULD BE CONTACTED. ALL YOUR SINKS, AND TOILETS, HAVE AN "S" CONFIGURATION OF PIPING ALSO KNOWN AS A P TRAP; TO BLOCK POTENTIALLY HARMFUL SEWER GASES, AND ODORS FROM ENTERING YOUR HOME. THE SMOKE WE UTILIZE FOR OUR TESTING IS ALSO BLOCKED BY THESE DEVICES. **PLEASE RUN WATER THROUGH ALL OF YOUR SINKS, BATHTUBS, AND SHOWERS.**

OUR CREWS DO NOT NEED TO ENTER YOUR HOME. ALL TESTING OF THE SEWER MAINS WILL BE CONDUCTED FROM THE STREET ACCESSIBLE MANHOLES. IF A MANHOLE SHOULD BE LOCATED IN YOUR BACKYARD, OUR CREWS WILL NEED TO ACCESS IT VIA A SIDE GATE. **PLEASE BE SURE THAT YOUR PETS ARE KEPT SAFE FROM PERSONNEL ENTERING YOUR BACKYARD.**

IF YOU SHOULD REQUIRE ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, OR REQUIRE SPECIAL ASSISTANCE, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO CALL.

SINCERELY,

MAGNA FLOW ENVIRONMENTAL: **Corey Bostick 281-802-1945 Catarino Renteria 281-901-7820**

SMOKE TESTING TO BE PERFORMED ON

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