



City Contractor to Assist with Neighbourhood Beautification

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For Immediate Release

VICTORIA, BC – Insituform Technologies Limited, the contractor working on the City of Victoria's Steel Water Main Project on Hillside Avenue, and their sub contractor, Brunnell Construction, are assisting in a neighbourhood beautification project. When the Fifth Street Bar and Grill approached the contractor about renting the site's construction equipment to remove old shrubs and gravel from the nearby Salvation Army Family Services & Counselling Centre, Insituform and Brunnell offered to contribute labour and equipment to this community effort free of charge.

MEDIA OPPORTUNITY:

Media are invited to the ground breaking of this "good neighbour" project and are asked to meet at the Hillside Avenue entrance of the Salvation Army Family Services & Counselling Centre. Parking is available on-street or at the Fairway Market off Quadra Street.

What: Ground Breaking for Neighbourhood Beautification Project
When: Thursday, September 16, 2010, from 12:45 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.
Where: Salvation Army Family Services & Counselling Centre, 2695 Quadra Street

Insituform is rehabilitating Victoria's aging large-diameter water mains on Hillside Avenue. This work will increase the life expectancy of Victoria's water mains by 50 years or more, ensuring water is safely delivered to residents and businesses in the future.

Work began in July 2010 and is expected to be completed next March. The estimated cost of this phase of the project is \$5 million, with the Federal Government contributing \$3.35 million through the Building Canada Fund.

For more information on the Steel Water Main Project, visit: www.victoria.ca/cityhall/eng_utfcl_wtrops_steel.shtml

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