

# Public Works Department

City of Ojai

408 S. Signal Street Ojai, CA 93023

## Notice to Resident/Business

### TOPA TOPA STORM DRAIN REHABILITATION PROJECT

The City of Ojai will soon begin construction on the upcoming Topa Topa Drive Storm Drain Rehabilitation Project. This project will take place on the existing storm drain pipeline between Ojai Avenue and W. Topa Topa Drive.

GRBCON, Inc. will perform the construction, which is expected to last about two weeks. The project involves installing a pipe liner to restore a damaged storm drain pipe with no excavation required. The liner is inserted into the existing pipe, inflated, and cured to fit tightly within the existing structure. This installation and curing process will take one day, while the remaining time will be used for preparation.

During liner installation, a plastic-like odor may be noticeable depending on wind and weather conditions, which could be unpleasant for sensitive residents. We recommend that residents and businesses keep windows closed on installation day to help block the odor. The curing process also generates steam that may resemble a smoke cloud; however, this is not a fire. The Ventura County Fire Department will be informed of the construction and the potential appearance of "smoke."

The City is committed to minimizing disruption to residents and businesses during this project. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to Jon Turner at the contact information below.

Thank you for your cooperation as we work to improve the streets of Ojai!

**If you have any questions or concerns regarding  
the project, please contact:**

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**Jon Turner, Construction Manager, Phoenix Civil Engineering, Inc.:** (805) 518-2992



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