



City of South Haven

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DEMOLITION OF OLD WATER FILTRATION PLANT

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE – (South Haven, Michigan) Demolition of the City of South Haven's old Water Filtration Plant is expected to begin the week of September 6, 2011, and be completed by the week of December 19, 2011. During this time, periods of increased traffic along the established truck haul route can be expected. The truck haul route was been established for the Water Filtration Plant construction project; and runs along Michigan Avenue from Broadway Street to St. Joseph Street, St. Joseph Street to Erie Street, and Erie Street to the plant entrance. Trucks will be limited to a speed of 20 miles per hour along the haul route.

This is the final phase of the new Water Filtration Plant project. The new plant is fully operational; and was dedicated at a ribbon cutting ceremony held on June 23, 2011. The plant is capable of treating up 7 million gallons of raw Lake Michigan water per day and converting it into clean, high quality drinking water for use by our customers in the City of South Haven, Casco Township, South Haven Charter Township, and Covert Township.

Any questions may be directed to the Department of Public Works at 269-637-0737.

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