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**Edwardsville**  
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**Department of Public Works**

Eric D. Williams, P.E., Director

## **PRESS RELEASE**

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From: Julie Martin  
Superintendent of Operations

Date: September 9, 2021

RE: Fire Hydrant Flushing Program

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The City of Edwardsville Water Division is conducting the annual hydrant flushing program.

As part of our regular maintenance program, the City of Edwardsville Water Division will be flushing water mains/hydrants. This program will continue on Monday, September 13, 2021, with Routes 14 and 15.

The tentative weekly schedule will be provided on ECTV or you may call the Public Works department at 692-7535. You may also view current hydrant flushing schedules on the City's website at [www.cityofedwardsville.com](http://www.cityofedwardsville.com).

Periodically, during this work, you may experience cloudy or discolored water, lower than usual water pressure, and the possibility of air in your water lines.

This annual maintenance program is very important. It helps to ensure continued delivery of high quality water to homes and businesses. We also check fire hydrants operation to help maintain public safety.

Attachment – Routes 14 and 15