



# East Water Storage Tank and Pump Station Construction Update

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In June 2021, contractors for the City of Fort Myers started construction on the East Water Storage Tank and Pump Station. The project is expected to be completed in November 2022.

Construction activities in July 2021 will include:

- Installation of pollution control silt fence.
- Installation of perimeter security fence.
- Installation of temporary utilities.
- Completion of the access road & stone installation.
- Completion of the layout and staking of the sheet piling.
- Installation of the dewatering & sheeting systems.

Sheet piling will be used because a portion of the tank construction will be fifteen feet (15') below the surface. The sheet piling will be installed surrounding the area to be excavated and will create temporary walls used to stabilize the area and will allow crews to safely excavate and construct the tank foundation and walls.

The City of Fort Myers requested the contractor use hydraulic equipment for the sheet piling installation over the more conventional pile-driving equipment to minimize impacts to the residential community.

For project information contact the City's public information consultant, Cella Molnar & Associates, Inc. at 239-337-1071, visit the "**Contact Us**" page on the project website to sign up for email updates and construction information at [www.FortMyersUtilities.com](http://www.FortMyersUtilities.com), or email [info@FortMyersUtilities.com](mailto:info@FortMyersUtilities.com).