



## W-9 Upper Leon Creek

To reduce sanitary sewer overflows in northwest San Antonio SAWS is starting construction on the Upper Leon Creek project, also known as W-9, in March of 2024. The project will address undersized sewer mains, abandon poor condition pipeline segments, and relocate the alignment as part of the work required under the EPA Consent Decree. Located along Leon Creek from 1 mile north of Bandera Road to the confluence at Culebra Creek south of Grissom Road; the proposed improvements are aligned along Leon Creek stream banks and the City of San Antonio (COSA) Leon Creek Greenway Park hike and bike trails.

In coordination with the City of San Antonio (COSA) Parks, SAWS has performed extensive evaluation of the project alignment to minimize impact to COSA Park Trails, Heritage trees and existing creeks. As a result, approximately 48% of the project length will be tunneled to minimize the clearing and the remaining length will be open cut. Additionally, the new alignment places the sewer system away from the creek bed as much as possible to prevent future damage to the new system.

### When Will Work Occur?

Construction is planned to commence in July 2024. Estimated construction duration is approximately 2 years.

### Construction Elements:

- Replacement of approximately 21,600 feet of 42- and 48-inch diameter pipe
- Replacement of approximately 1,700 feet of 8-, 12- and 27-inch diameter pipe
- Fiber Reinforced Sewer manholes and related structures

### For more information:

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