BOSTON WATER & SEWER COMMISSION
EAST BOSTON SEWER SEPARATION PROJECT
Contract No. 21-309-002
CWSRF NO. 16690
Report for September 1 through September 30, 2026

OVERALL PROJECT UPDATE

The Boston Water and Sewer Commission's (the Commission) East Boston Sewer Separation Project involves separating the combined sewer system by installing new sewer and drain pipes. This will improve water quality in Boston Harbor by reducing the number and volume of Combined Sewer Overflows (CSOs). The separation project is being undertaken by the Commission in association with the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (MWRA).

The Project encompasses an area roughly delineated by White Street and Condor Street to the north; by William F. McClellan Highway (Route 1A) and Bremen Street to the east; by Maverick Street and Sumner Street to the south and by Meridian Street to the west. Land use in the project area is characterized by high-density residential neighborhoods, commercial and light industrial buildings, municipal and recreational areas and transportation related sites.

30-Inch Butterfly Valve and water main installation in Chelsea Street

CONTRACT 1 UPDATE THROUGH SEPTEMBER 30, 2026

During the month of September, the contractor installed water mainline in Chelsea Street as well as drain mainline in East Eagle Street. The contractor also began operations in support of permanent work zone set up in Chelsea Street for sewer and drain mainline installation.

Storm drain installation in East Eagle Street

ONGOING AND UPCOMING WORK

This October, expect a permanent work zone at East Eagle Street, progressing toward Day Square as work continues through the fall. Phase 1 of the permanent work zone will extend from East Eagle Street to Saratoga and Bremen Streets. Traffic will be maintained in both directions on either side of the work zone.

The contractor, P. Gioioso & Sons, **will work 2 continuous shifts per day (approximately 16 hours per day, Mon-Fri)**, to shorten the duration of the work. The first shift will be during standard working hours from **7am to 3pm**. A second shift will last from **3pm to 11pm**. By adding a second shift, the overall timeline of the work is anticipated to be reduced substantially.

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INSTALLATION OF NEW STORM DRAINS, SANITARY SEWERS, AND WATER MAINS IN EAST BOSTON – CONTRACT 1

Contractor: P. Gioioso & Sons, Inc., Hyde Park, Massachusetts
Status as of September 30, 2026

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MAJOR PROGRESS ITEMS – LINEAR FEET (LF) AND % INSTALLED TO DATE

4" – 30" Water Main	4120 LF	26.28%
10" – 24" Sewer	1710 LF	56.99%
12" – 48" Drain	1140 LF	15.38%
CIPP Lining	4400 LF	56.48%

SCHEDULING SUMMARY

Notice to Proceed:	09/09/2025
Work Commenced:	09/24/2025
Anticipated Completion Date:	09/14/2027

SCHEDULE ASSESSMENT

The contractor has completed 194 of the contracted 500 working days and has 61.2% of time remaining.

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