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AQUARION TO IMPROVE WATER MAINS IN BRIDGEPORT
Customers in Bridgeport and Stratford May Notice Discolored Water

BRIDGEPORT, CT: April 18, 2007 – Aquarion Water Company of Connecticut will begin work to improve water main infrastructure near the intersection of North and Clinton Avenues in Bridgeport on Monday, April 21st, 2008. The \$250,000.00 project is expected to last approximately two weeks.

Initially, there is the potential for water discoloration to residents of Bridgeport and Stratford. The work may cause a temporary disturbance of flow patterns resulting in slightly discolored water due to the disturbance of naturally occurring minerals (iron and manganese) that have settled in the water mains over time.

While these minerals *are not a health concern*, for aesthetic reasons, Aquarion advises its customers to store cold tap water in the refrigerator for drinking and cooking. Also, please check the condition of the water before washing clothes, and if discolored, delay laundry until the water is clear. For any questions, please call our Customer Service number at (203) 445-7310.

Aquarion Company's principal business is public water supply. Through its Aquarion Water Company subsidiaries, it is one of the 10 largest investor-owned water utilities in the U.S., serving some 207,000 homes and businesses, or approximately 700,000 people, in 44 Connecticut, Massachusetts and New Hampshire communities. Aquarion Water Company of Connecticut provides high-quality water to 179,000 customers, or some 600,000 people, in 36 cities and towns. Please visit www.aquarionwater.com for more information.

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