

# Outfall 061 & 062 Relief Sewer

## Project Fact Sheet



March 2017

### Project Goals

1. Significantly reduce the number of times per year that combined sewer outfalls release sewage to the Baldwin Drain by constructing a sewer that will transport more combined sewage to the Water Pollution Control Plant for treatment;
2. Reduce pollution in the Baldwin Drain and reduce pollutants going to the Maumee River;
3. Meet compliance deadlines set by the federal government.

### Project Description

This project is part of Fort Wayne's 2008 agreement with the federal government to reduce the release of combined sewage from the combined sewer system. The project involves the installation of a relief sewer that will collect and transport more combined sewage to the Water Pollution Control Plant during wet weather so that it can be treated. The relief sewer will pick up combined flows that currently discharge to the Baldwin Ditch that connects to the Maumee River.

The project involves installation of approximately 6,687 linear feet of 48 inch diameter sewer pipe. The relief sewer will begin at City Utilities' Wet Weather Pond Facility on Lake Avenue and head north along White Oak Drive to Lake Avenue. It will continue east along Lake Ave. to the Baldwin Ditch just west of Laverne Avenue, where it will turn north to State Boulevard. The line will then run east along State Blvd. almost to Coliseum Boulevard. As part of the project, 1,780 feet of existing water main is being replaced along Laverne Avenue and the Baldwin Drain (ditch) will be improved.

The new sewer will carry sewage to the Wet Weather Pond Facility where combined sewage can be stored during wet weather and sent to the treatment plant for treatment when capacity become available.

### Project Time Line

March 2017 – Construction begins

December 2018 – Final completion

### Project Cost

Design and construction            \$7,964,000

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