

Rehabilitation of Creekbed Sewers:

- Glover Archbold Park
- Normanstone Park
- Dumbarton Oaks Park

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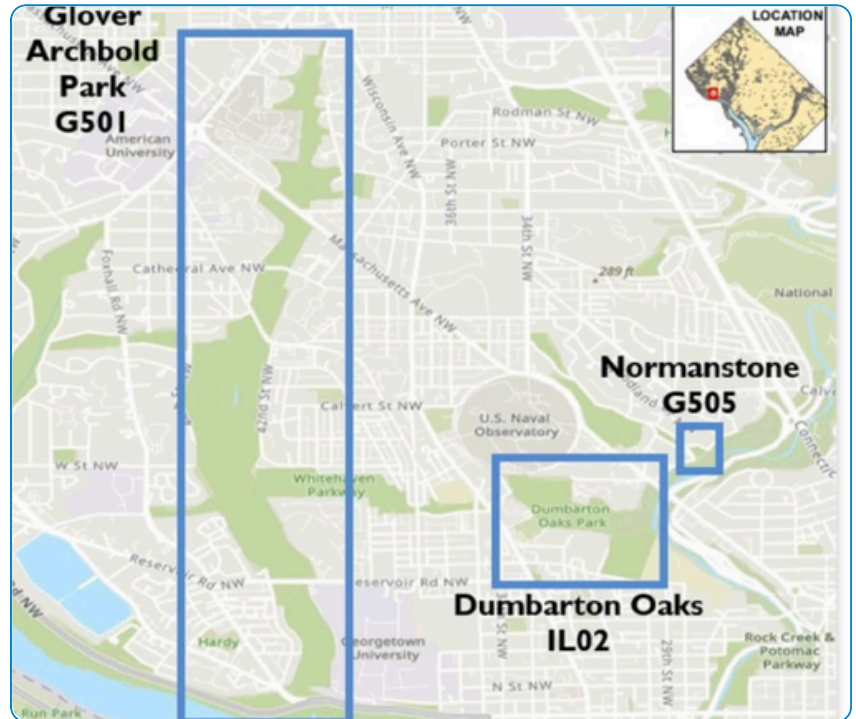
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Contractor Selected February 2026

DC Water selected Halmar International in February 2026, to work alongside the Design Engineer, Brown and Caldwell, to advance design and deliver construction for the project.



Photo: Members of the Creekbed Sewer Rehab Project Team



Greetings Neighbors!

This Community Update provides the latest progress on the Rehabilitation of Creekbed Sewers in Glover Archbold, Normanstone, and Dumbarton Oaks Parks since our initial community briefing.

The crews have been conducting closed-circuit television (CCTV) pipe and manhole inspections, natural resource field investigations including tree surveys and wetland delineations, terrain mapping, and other field investigations.

This work is an important step in understanding and assessing current conditions of aging infrastructure within these Parks, and natural resources that will need to be considered as part of the rehabilitation project. Because a significant portion of this work occurs within or adjacent to parklands, continuous coordination and ongoing collaboration with the National Park Service (NPS) is a top priority.



Map: Approximate work activity zone for soil sampling in Normanstone project area.

Upcoming Work Activity

Residents may notice crews working in the Normanstone project area for about 2-5 days total in Summer 2026, pending weather. Crews will drill small diameter holes in the ground to collect soil and rock samples. This information helps engineers understand ground conditions to inform the rehabilitation design to ensure that the infrastructure and park are safe and long lasting.

Work will occur near the intersection of Rock Creek Drive NW and Normanstone Drive NW, as well as within Normanstone Park. The road and associated trails will remain open to traffic during work. DC Water is coordinating this work with the NPS, District Department of Transportation, and Department of Energy and Environment for required permits.

Crews will also continue conducting site visits, natural resource field investigations, and surveys of the land's shape and elevation within the project areas to continue the preliminary design development.

Snapshot: Project Area Progress

Glover Archbold: Crews conducted pipe and manhole inspections, flow monitoring, and various site visits including natural resource field investigations and surveys of the land's shape and elevation.

Normanstone: Site visits and studies including natural resource field investigations and surveys of the land's shape and elevation to help support the preliminary design.

Dumbarton Oaks: Site visits and studies including natural resource field investigations and surveys of the land's shape and elevation to help support the preliminary design.



Photo: Park path and project work sign