

Planning for Our Future Tomahawk Creek Wastewater Treatment Facility

What are the goals of this project?

Johnson County Wastewater has identified improvements that are needed at the Tomahawk Creek Wastewater Treatment Facility.

The goals of the project are to:

1. Provide the most cost-effective, long-term solutions for customers
2. Improve water quality using the latest, proven technologies
3. Preserve the high quality of life enjoyed by Johnson County residents

What is driving this change?

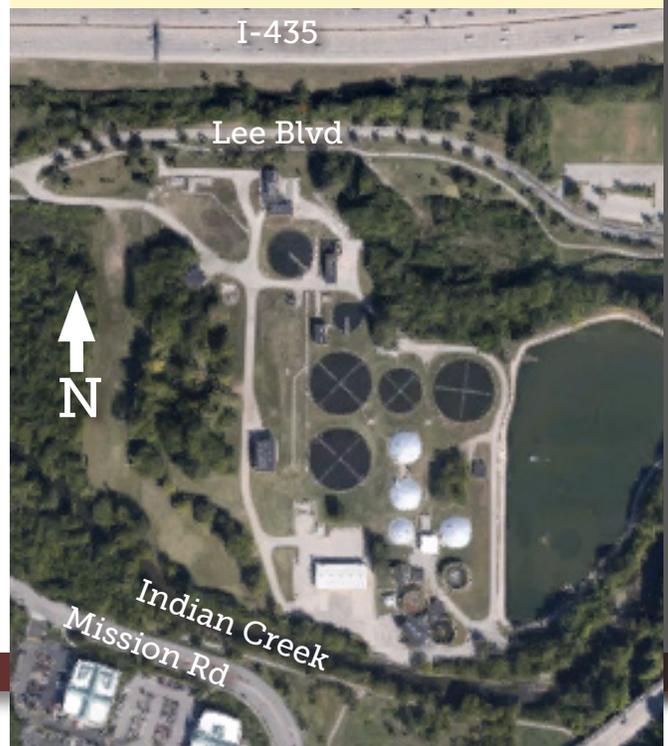
Expansion is the most cost-effective way to meet future regulations and provide a long-term treatment solution to our customers.

1. New water quality regulations require upgrades to the existing Tomahawk Creek facility to improve water quality in Indian Creek and downstream waters
2. Johnson County Wastewater is in need of a solution to control costs over time

Tomahawk Creek Wastewater Treatment Facility

10701 Lee Boulevard, Leawood, Kansas

- The facility was originally built in 1955.
- The facility currently treats approximately 7 million gallons of wastewater each day.
- 40 percent of the wastewater from parts of Leawood, Olathe, Overland Park, and Prairie Village is treated at the current facility.
- 60 percent of the wastewater is currently sent to Kansas City, Missouri for treatment.
- Treated water flows into Indian Creek between Lee Boulevard and College Boulevard.



When will construction begin?

- Construction is expected to begin in late 2017 or early 2018.
- Work at the treatment facility is expected to be completed by the end of 2021.

What if I have questions?

Your input will be important as decisions are made. Please check the JCW website listed below and contact us if you would like to be on our mailing list.



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