

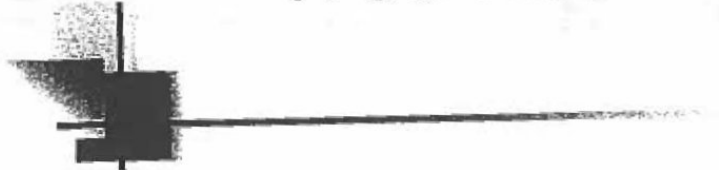


Sewer Laterals and Tree Roots

Public Works Department



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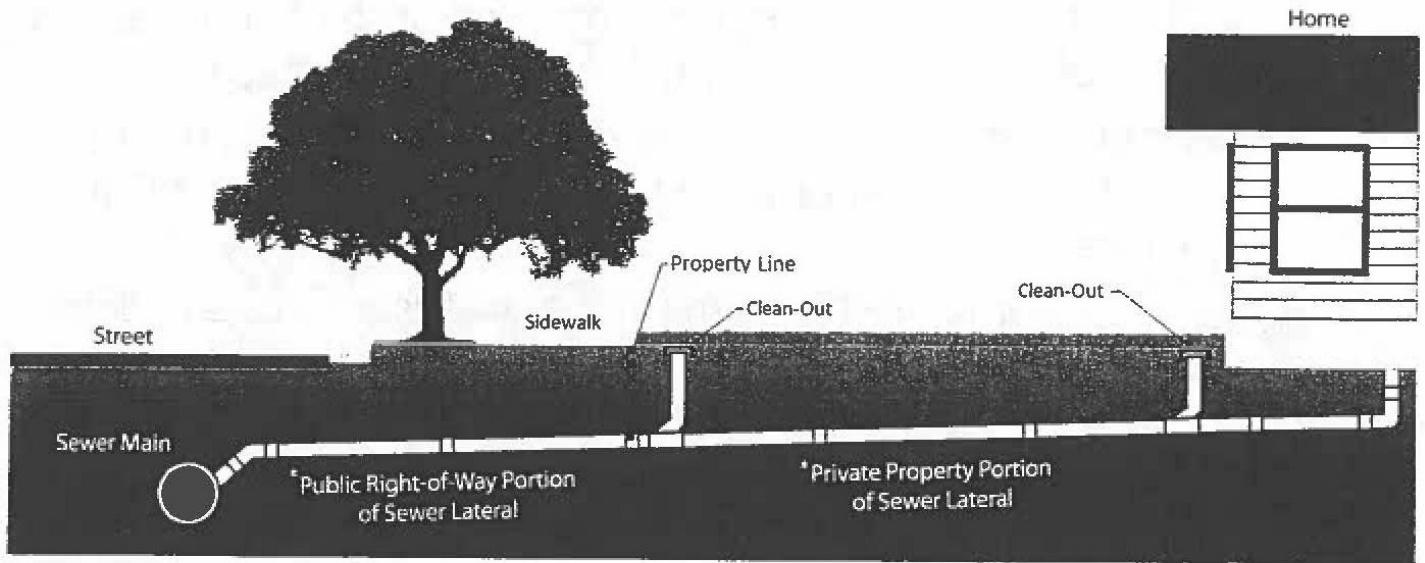
"So How Do You Get Rid of Roots?"



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Sewer Laterals



*Property Owner is responsible for maintenance and repair of the lateral in both the public and private portions.



Tree Roots and Sewer Laterals

- Repair/Replace Existing Damaged Pipes
 - Slip-line Method
 - Remove Sections and Replace with :
 - High Density Polyethylene (HDPE) Pipe
 - Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Pipe
 - Use Rubber Gaskets (Typical for new pipe installations)
- Implement a Maintenance Program
 - Schedule regular routine line cleaning
 - Utilize the proper cleaning equipment (mechanical and/or chemical)
 - CCTV inspections in order to verify the line cleaning efforts