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RT 122 WATER MAIN IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT CONTRACT NO. 2023-17

PROJECT UPDATE #1 – April 12, 2024

PROJECT BACKGROUND:

Currently, there are two parallel active water mains along South Main Street/Millville Road (Route 122). The original cast iron main is 6-inches and the newer ductile iron main is 12-inches. The work consists of installing approximately 65 new water services on the existing 12-inch water main, connecting side streets, and adding valves and hydrants to the 12-inch water main. The existing 6-inch water will be abandoned in place once all the service transfers and associated work are complete. Installation of insertion valves and line stops are required to facilitate construction, preceded by field investigations and test shutdowns.

UPCOMING WORK

Borges Construction has been awarded the contract for the water main improvements and has proposed the following construction schedule for this project:

- Completion of Test Pits – April 16th through April 26th
- Completion of Water Main Work – April 25th through August 16th
- Completion of Water Service Work – June 1st through August 9th

**Please note that some customers may experience water service interruptions while completing this work. Customers anticipated to be impacted by the proposed work will be notified in advance of scheduled service interruptions.*

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PROJECT STATUS

As of April 12, 2025, the project is **4%** complete. Before the winter shutdown, the contractor started with the installation of insertion valves to be able to isolate the water main before the start of the work. This week, the Contractor mobilized to the job site, installed erosion and sediment control, and completed test pits.

Motorists can expect delays while traveling through the construction area and should seek alternate routes when possible.

American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds are being used to fund the construction of this project.

PROJECT CHANGES

There are no changes to the contract.

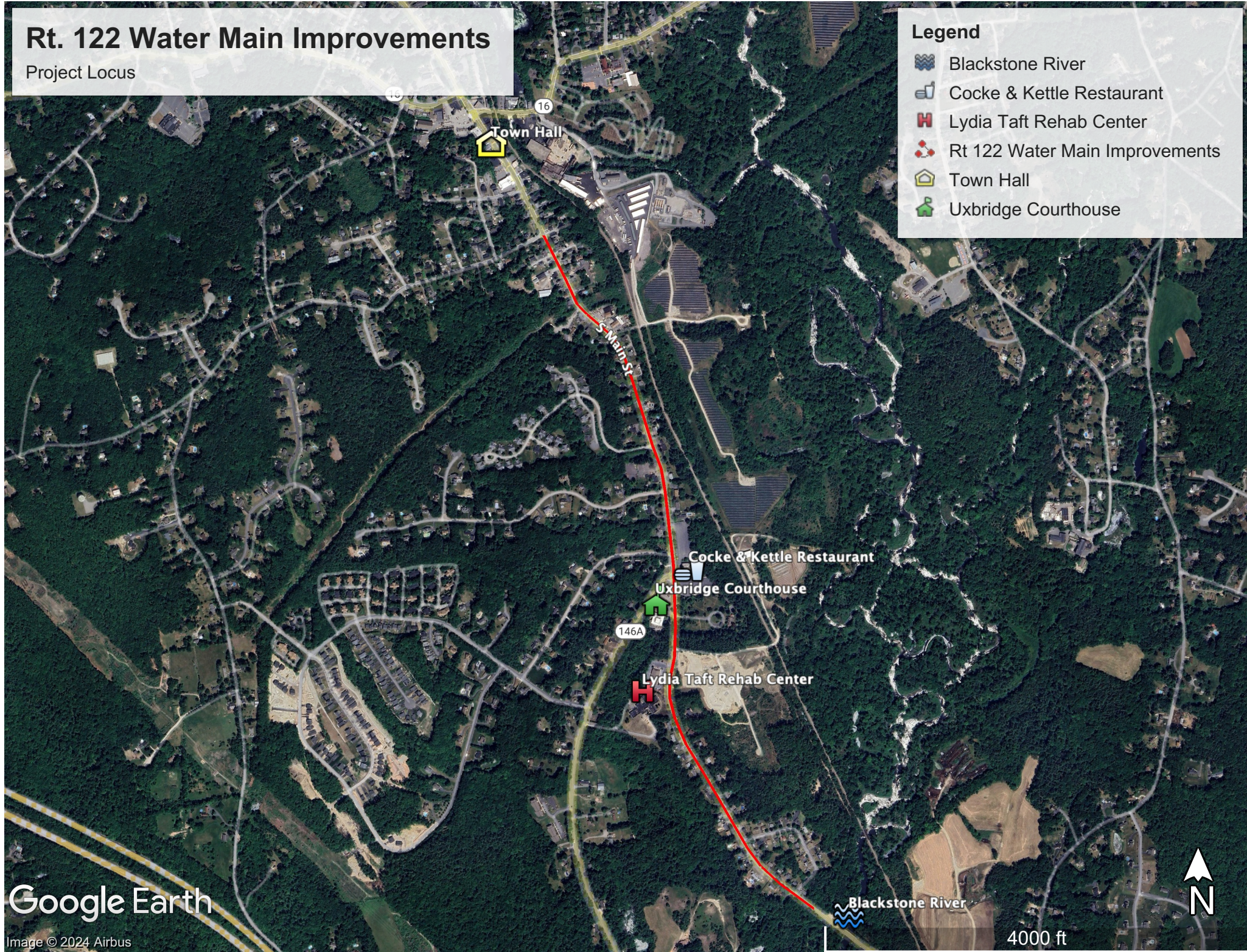
Attachment: Project Locus Map

Rt. 122 Water Main Improvements

Project Locus

Legend

-  Blackstone River
-  Cocke & Kettle Restaurant
-  Lydia Taft Rehab Center
-  Rt 122 Water Main Improvements
-  Town Hall
-  Uxbridge Courthouse



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Blackstone River

4000 ft

