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BEVERLY HILLS RESIDENTS URGED TO CONTINUE WATER CONSERVATION

Work Continues at Site of Water Leak

Beverly Hills, Calif. (December 16, 2018) – Crews from the City of Beverly Hills, Metropolitan Water District of Southern California (MWD) and Los Angeles Department of Water and Power (LADWP) continue their work at the site of a water line leak at Sunset Boulevard and Alpine Drive.

With MWD as the primary water provider for the City of Beverly Hills, the City is now solely reliant on local water supplies as crews reduce water flow to assess the problem.

Residents, businesses and visitors are strongly urged to conserve water when possible, including the elimination of landscape watering for the next seven days.

Once the point of the leak is discovered, repairs will be made. The extent of the damage and duration of the repair are yet to be determined.

A portion of Sunset Boulevard will remain closed at Alpine Drive. Eastbound Sunset is closed at Rexford Drive with traffic being diverted north and south; traffic on southbound Alpine is being diverted to westbound Sunset; North Alpine Drive is closed; Westbound Sunset is restricted to one lane. Heavy traffic is anticipated and drivers should avoid the area and plan for added commute times.

Questions may be directed to the Public Works Customer Service line at 310-285-2467 during business hours or email <u>askPW@beverlyhills.org</u> for more information.