

February 23, 2011

**TO:            THE SMITHFIELD TIMES**

**FROM:        PETER STEPHENSON  
                  TOWN MANAGER**

**SUBJECT:     PUBLIC NOTICE**

Please place the following box advertisement in The Smithfield Times on Wednesday, March 2, 2011. Thank you.

**TOWN OF SMITHFIELD  
PUBLIC NOTICE  
SEWER SURVEY/SMOKE TESTING**

Beginning March 7, 2011 the Town of Smithfield Public Works Department and Draper Aden Associates will be conducting investigative and field survey work on the sanitary sewer system in several areas around town. Part of this survey will include SMOKE TESTING of the sewer lines to locate defects in the sanitary system. This will involve introducing **HARMLESS** smoke into the sanitary system to locate entry points of unwanted storm water. Prior to starting the smoke test, Draper Aden Associates will be hanging a pink colored smoke testing notice on each resident's front door within 72 hours of entering the respective neighborhood. The Town of Smithfield will also be mailing out a letter to all residents (only in areas where testing will take place) explaining procedures to follow, contact information and some common questions and answers.

Please contact Sonja Pruitt, Office Manager, Department of Planning, Engineering and Public Works at 365-4272 or [spruitt@smithfieldva.gov](mailto:spruitt@smithfieldva.gov) with any questions.

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Town Manager