

# Sewer Infrastructure Improvements

The City of Florence is committed to investing in and improving our sewer collection system. Following our Sewer Master Plan that was adopted in 2025, the City of Florence has initiated the securing of funds for constructing the recommended improvements to address current infrastructure needs as well as meet the growing needs of the community. Additionally, the City of Florence develops an annual capital improvement budget to fund projects that make incremental improvements to our overall system. Below is a list of the current projects that are under construction or are in the engineering phase, and have committed funds for future improvements.

## Jeffries Creek Interceptor Upgrade (Phase I)

**Project Description:** The project includes installing new and replacement gravity sewer pipe ranging from 8 inches to 54 inches in diameter, covering approximately 11,801 linear feet between South Cashua Drive and 1000 Stockade Drive.

**Project Schedule:** Bids in summer 2026.  
Expected completion in winter 2028.

**Project Cost:** \$25,000,000

## Middle South Jeffries Creek Sewer Interceptor Improvements

**Project Description:** Immediate funding will prioritize elevating manholes along the Jeffries Creek interceptor to reduce sanitary sewer overflows and completing additional repairs to the High Hill Creek interceptor. The current budget includes funds to upsize the sewer interceptor to 30 inches from David H. McLeod Drive to Cashua Drive, with an additional \$1.5 million in grant funding being sought.

**Project Schedule:** Contract award scheduled for spring 2026. Expected completion in summer 2026.

**Project Cost:** \$6,000,000

## Mars Hill Gravity Sewer Improvements

**Project Description:** The project will eliminate the existing lift station and install a gravity sewer to create more reliable service to customers.

**Project Schedule:** Currently under construction.  
Expected completion in summer 2026.

**Project Cost:** \$710,000

## Malden Drive Sewer Improvements

**Project Description:** The project will upgrade the lift station and reroute the force main.

**Project Schedule:** Contract award scheduled for spring 2026. Expected completion in winter 2026.

**Project Cost:** \$510,000



Aerial view of the City's regional wastewater management facility, located at 1000 Stockade Drive.



The City's new 900 Service Vector truck cleans and vacuums sanitary sewer and stormwater systems, removing grease, debris, and roots to maintain proper flow.

## Hoffmeyer Road Gravity Sewer Upgrade

**Project Description:** Aging infrastructure within the Hoffmeyer Road corridor, spanning from Florence Mall to Darlington Street, will be modernized.

**Project Schedule:** Currently in engineering. Will bid in spring 2026. Expected completion in fall 2026.

**Project Cost:** \$500,000

## East Florence Regional Lift Station

**Project Description:** The project involves installation of a new force main dedicated to serving North Williston Road, Freedom Boulevard, and East Palmetto Street (eastern portion of service area).

**Project Schedule:** Engineering to begin in spring 2026. Expected construction completion in summer 2029.

**Project Cost:** \$20,000,000

## Wastewater Management Facility Upgrades

**Project Description:** The City is working on maintenance and repair of major components at the Florence Regional Wastewater Management Facility and the Timmonsville Wastewater Treatment Plant. The major focus of these repairs will be pump, motor, and bar screen replacements; aeration basin maintenance; and many other smaller miscellaneous repairs/ replacements.

**Project Schedule:** Enhancements begin in 2026. Scheduled completion in fall 2027.

**Project Cost:** \$7,456,000

## Lift Station Upgrades

**Project Description:** The City is working on maintenance and repair of collection system pump stations. The major focus of these investments will be telemetry, control panel, and pump replacements.

**Project Schedule:** Enhancements began in winter 2025. Scheduled completion in spring 2027.

**Project Cost:** \$1,600,000



Installation of a new 30-inch high-density polyethylene (HDPE) pipe along Freedom Boulevard at the Jeffries Creek entrance to convey sanitary sewer flow from surrounding commercial and industrial corridors to the Florence Regional Wastewater Management Facility.



The Florence Regional Wastewater Management Facility's Silver LEED-certified Administration Building.

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