WRIGHT-PIERCE on behalf of the City of Dover will be conducting a smoke test of portions of the City’s sanitary sewer system.

Work crews will be in the Central Ave., Chapel St., Chestnut St., Third St., Second St., and First St. areas on July 12 & 13, 2018. A “SMOKE TEST” survey will be conducted to assist our inspection crews in locating breaks and defects in the City’s sewer system. The smoke you may see coming from the vent stacks and roof leaders on buildings or from holes in the ground is NON-TOXIC, NON-STAINING, HAS NO ODOR, IS WHITE TO GRAY IN COLOR, AND CREATES NO FIRE HAZARD.

The smoke should not enter your home or business unless you have defective plumbing or dried up drain pipes.

It is advisable for the property owner to pour a gallon of water into floor drains/other plumbing fixtures prior to our July 12th & 13th testing. If smoke enters your home or business, this is a good indicator that sewer gases may also be entering your home or business. You should notify our work crews. If you are not home and discover smoke when you return, please call Wright-Pierce at (603) 430-3728.

IMPORTANT! If there is any individual in your home or business who has respiratory problems and is immobile, please notify Kristen Lemasney of Wright-Pierce at (603) 570-7109 prior to testing.

This work is being managed by the City of Dover Community Services Department (603) 516-6450.