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Newport Municipal Swimming Pool

The Newport Municipal Swimming Pool floor drains and metal pipes have been replaced, and the concrete is poured, and curing. Much of the necessary work to the system has been completed, with some modifications and improvements made along the way. Underwater lights are on order, and the painting has begun on the entire pool shell, lines and perimeter safety markings.

Once the painting is completed, and the paint has cured, we can begin filling the pool with water, and start the process of heating and chemically treating the water. During the time that the paint is curing, staff will be addressing other cleaning and maintenance issues.

The city staff is industriously tending to this project and will reopen the pool as soon as possible. At this time we are looking at re-opening around the 2nd week of April.

All pool passes will be extended for an amount of time equal to the closure. When new information is available, additional press notifications will be sent.

Additional information can be obtained by calling the Jim Protiva at 541.265.4855.

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