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Liberty VI Launches Fiber Network Construction in Baron Spot

Liberty VI launches six-week fiber installation project to boost local internet services

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ST. CROIX — Liberty VI has announced the commencement of a new fiber optic cable installation project at Estate Baron Spot in St. Croix, set to enhance high-speed internet connectivity for both homes and businesses across the territory. The construction, scheduled to start on Monday, April 15, aims to significantly boost broadband services within the area, the company said.

The project involves the installation of underground conduits and fiber optic cables along Route 709 and is expected to be completed within six weeks.

“As we acquire the necessary permits, we are moving forward with our Fiber to the Home construction projects so more locations in the territory can have access to our fiber fast internet,” stated Ravindra Maywahlall, general manager of Liberty VI. He further added that the company will continue to update the community on future construction zones as additional permits are obtained.

To minimize disruption and enhance network durability, the construction will use micro-trenching technology, which involves making a small 1 ¾-inch cut in the pavement and, where possible, utilizing existing ducts. This method not only reduces pavement damage and dust but also increases the network’s resistance to natural disasters and vandalism.

Work on the project will be conducted on weekdays from 8 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Although the construction is designed to have minimal impact on traffic, local residents and commuters may experience some delays due to lane and partial road closures. Motorists are advised to exercise caution on the narrow roads, and residents of Estate Baron Spot are encouraged to keep their vehicles off the streets to prevent obstructions and potential damage.

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