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**NEWPORT MUNICIPAL SWIMMING POOL
CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE**

Engineers have inspected the Newport Municipal Swimming Pool and determined that the floor drains and metal pipes have failed and must be replaced. **The necessary work will cause a closure of the pool for up to four weeks.** The city is working diligently to reduce the closure period, and will reopen the pool as soon as possible.

To replace the drains and pipes, the swimming pool floor will have to be cut. Once the new drains and pipes are installed, concrete will be poured, the bottom of the pool will be repainted, and four underwater lights will be replaced.

All pool passes will be extended for an amount of time equal to the closure. In the interim, pool users are encouraged to use the Toledo and Lincoln City swimming pools.

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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