



The Town of Orange approved the borrowing for the construction of a water tower on 170 Governor Dukakis Drive at the Annual Town Meeting in June of 2024.

Work on the water tower has officially begun. The proposed timeline for construction is as follows:

1. September 2025 Site Preparation- Site clearing and foundation preparation
2. September-November 2025 Road Work- Pipe installation and temporary pavement.
3. October-November 2025 Beginning Tank Construction- Take foundation and floor construction
4. November-December 2025- Pump House Construction- Building foundation, install concrete building
5. December 2025-March 2026 Pump House Mechanicals- Install fire pump, install water system pumps, install controls
6. December 2025 and April 2026 Utility and Back-up Power- Utility service and backup generator installation
7. April-June 2026 Testing- Tank filling and testing, building connections, final paving and landscaping
8. June 2026 Expected Project Completion Month

As with any project, this timeline can fluctuate as work continues, and unexpected delays arrive. The planning for the construction and design was an intricate and thought-out process, and we believe the timeline accurately depicts the time expected to complete the water tower project.