



Memorandum

To: Peter Thomas, CAO
From: Dolan Isaac, Public Works Foreman
Date: July 5, 2023
Re: Public Works Department Report for May 30 to July 5, 2023

Projects

- Manhole lining was started on May 30 and completed on May 31. All 6 of the manholes laid out in the project were lined.
- Got budget number for behind curb landscape and seeding for the 2023 paving.
- June 14, ITL started the sewer lining and was finished on June 17. No issues were encountered.
- June 14, Honey Lefley started the landscaping work at the ball diamonds. Tree and stump removal looks to be completed as of July 5. More drainage and landscape work to be completed once ground dries enough to allow equipment.
- June 22, the new valve on the fire pump distribution line was installed by Public Works and Aquacor. Was tested after install and as is running well. Have yet to hydrant flow testing as we were waiting on the pump install. Tentative date will be July 17 to 21

Water and sewer

- Berms at all raw water reservoirs and lagoons were mowed by May 31
- 2 water services were turned on, along with 2 times a water service was turned off/on by request of resident.
- June 2, the Actizyme was handed out to residents involved the annual sewer collection line treatment.
- Resident had a sewer backup on June 2 and with information from Public Works was able to resolve the problem.
- June 5, we had Reynolds try to clear a blockage on the ball diamond booth sewer service. Found a break and deviation on the 4" line that was repaired by Public works the same day.
- June 20 topped up the Grain Millers water break dig with fill dirt and bucket packed.
- June 22 at 1:30pm a water main break was found under the 51 street rail crossing. Break was found in the ductile 8" pipe, 40' of the pie was replaced with Blue brute poly pipe and water service restored to the Village on June 25. Isolation of the area was not able to be achieved, a new isolation valve was installed on the main at Coop cardlock intersection as the one mapped could not be located and was possibly removed during a break 15 years prior. Ductile pipe still remains the north of the repair and may extend

under the Highway 49, **this will need to be replaced by directional dig as soon as it can be budgeted.**

Streets

- Mowing continues where needed based on priority of the space.
- KWK started with the crack sealing where needed on Village streets. Started June 1 and finished in 3 days.
- June 1 street sweeping was started and was done in 4 days.
- Trimming around street signs and hydrants as needed.
- A driveway repair was made at street edge in a resident's driveway after it was damaged this past winter while removing windrow.
- Install shoulder marker boulders at Devonian Park corner of 51 street and 48 avenue.
- Mowed the Rycroft Creek.
- Removed the 2 culverts under the East approach into the old AT yard, and groomed bottom of ditch.
- June 13, install culvert at 4716 53street.
- Dug out soft spots on elevator road and backfilled with CN supplied 1.5" gravel.
- Culvert replacement for Lot 3 in subdivision was done on June 15.
- Culvert replacement for Lot 2 in subdivision was done June 16.
- Alleys have been mowed this year and scentless chamomile was found in an alley that was pulled and bagged for disposal.
- June 20, coconut fiber cloth was installed in the 2 heavy flow ditches either side of 51 street to stop soil erosion and to improve the looks of the area.
- July 4, CN put in the temporary boards for the rail crossing and Public Works backfilled up to boards and swept the asphalt before opening up the road for traffic.

Other

- May 30, pick up broom was mounted to skid steer, wire harness and new hosing extended, along with the new front castor wheel installed.
- "The Hub Of The Peace" x2 signs have been removed from Devonian Park and are being repainted before being put back up.
- Dead birch tree was cut down removed from Devonian Park.
- June 2, Dolan was in Valleyview all day for the APWA conference.
- Tom challenged his Level 1 water tickets on June 8.
- 3 first call locates have been done by Public works.
- June 21 installed the bottom of fence extension at the East side Dog park.
- Gardner Vegetation was here June 21 to spray all Playgrounds and green spaces for weed control.
- One of the slides had to be removed from the East side playground due to it breaking in half and away from its mountings, a new slide is being researched for replacement.
- June 4, Transfer of command with Tom and water break debriefing.