



CITY OF BISHOP

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Public Works Report

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Water

1. Repaired leak on 8 inch steel line at 237 South Third.
2. Installed new Mueller fire hydrant and 6 inch at the intersection of West Pine and Hammond Streets.
3. Continued negotiations with ECO:LOGIC for the SCADA project.
4. Replaced failed water service and curb stop valve at 476 Church Street.
5. Built valve key to operate 2 inch valves.
6. Lowered fire hydrant at North Main and Grove Street to finish grade.
7. Performed grounds maintenance at Well 2.
8. Took monthly readings of all water meters.
9. Took routine bacteria samples.
10. Developed plans, specifications, and estimate for Schley Street Waterline Improvement project.
11. Negotiated contract with Triad Holmes for water line and minor sewer work to be done in conjunction with Hanby Street Pavement Reconstruction project.
12. Held "Proposition 218 Hearing" related to water and sewer rate adjustments. City Council approved adjustments.

Sewer

1. Removed and replaced manhole surround in North Main Street at the Creek Side Inn.
2. Performed maintenance on the Johnston Drive lift station.
3. Cleaned plugged sewer under the 400 block of High Street.
4. Performed grounds maintenance at the Waste Water Treatment Plant.
5. Took flows from the Wye Road diversion for 2 weeks.

6. Made routine inspections of grease interceptors.
7. Generated a No Spill Certification for the state and reported the same.
8. Performed routine main line cleaning in trouble areas.
9. Placed soil spoils from the Grove Street project in low areas of the 40 acre pasture.
10. Calibrated footage counter on sewer camera to ensure accuracy.

Streets

1. Provided snow removal on city streets and alleys during storm.
2. Repaired and or replaced various street signs.
3. Patched potholes and gutters where needed.
4. Serviced hand tools and small motors.
5. Swept city streets and alleys.
6. Continued work with consultants on plans and environmental documents for future street projects.
7. Submitted plans, specifications, estimate and a large number of related documents to Caltrans for the Hanby Pavement Reconstruction project.
8. Met with Southern California Edison concerning the Mac Iver Street Lights project.
9. Provided information to City Attorney related to stop notices on the Grove Street Sidewalks project.
10. Applied for funding to reconstruct the Sierra Street Bike Path.

Miscellaneous

1. Assisted the Chamber of Commerce with the annual Christmas Parade by providing traffic control.
2. Performed major cleanup of shop compound and reorganized it.
3. Planted trees and shrubs in shop planters.
4. Provided weekly safety meetings for Public Works Crew.
5. Made minor repairs and performed maintenance to light trucks, heavy equipment, and snow removal equipment.
6. Continued discussions with the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power about constructing new facilities in the City of Bishop.

7. Met with the potential developers of the Cottonwood Plaza to discuss possible development scenarios and requirements.
8. Worked toward hiring a temporary Public Works Intern.
9. Submitted application for Community Development Block Grant funding for the LIDAR project.