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Public Works Report

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Water

1. Repaired leaking blow off valve in the Vons parking lot.
2. Assisted resident at 462 Hanby with low water volume issue. Flushed lines and solved problem.
3. Continued to work with EcoLogic on SCADA project.
4. Made minor modifications to sodium hypochlorite generator (replaced bellows pump).
5. Continued annual exercising of all main line valves.
6. Continued annual testing of back flow valves.
7. Performed grounds maintenance at Wells 2 and 4.
8. Took monthly readings of all water meters.
9. Took routine bacteria samples.
10. Open bids for May, Willow, and North Third Water Improvements project.
11. Researched consultant firms for new tank project.
12. Provided information to City Attorney regarding Hanby water line project and associated stop notices.

Sewer

1. Granite Construction completed construction of the new 15 inch sewer main under Hanby Avenue and new laterals to all properties on that street.
2. Cleaned plugged sewer under the Bishop Creek Canal and performed cleanup operations. Also reported resulting sewage spill to State Water Resources Board and all other pertinent agencies. This section of trunk line has been added to our monthly list of trouble areas to be cleaned.
3. Added the Hanby Avenue Sewer, and the Keough-Hobson sewer asbuilts to the GIS system.
4. Performed grounds maintenance at the Waste Water Treatment Plant.

5. Made routine inspections of grease interceptors.
6. Continued video assessment of sewer mains.
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 Hanby Avenue Project in low areas of the 40 acre pasture.

Streets

1. Granite Construction completed work on the Hanby Avenue Pavement Reconstruction Project.
2. Provided weed control on city right of ways.
3. Swept city streets and alleys.
4. Removed roots in various areas under city streets and patched.
5. Cut back willows at the intersection of Yaney and Hanby Avenue because of line of sight issues.
6. Responded to urban forestry survey in respect to street trees.
7. Contacted two property owners about deteriorated curbs at their properties.

Miscellaneous

1. Provided street sweeper to the Bishop Fire Department to assist in cleanup efforts after fireworks show.
2. Provided weekly tail gate safety meetings.
3. Met with small business liaison with Caltrans about outreach to local contractors.
4. Provided comments on Inyo County local and small business preference ordinance.
5. Submitted final documents to state related to Environmental Constraints Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) project.
6. Provided information and Geographic Information System (GIS) data for Police Department's GIS / Dispatch project.