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Public Works Report

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Water

1. Marzano and Sons completed construction of the May, Willow and North Third Streets Water Line Replacement project.
2. Installed flow meter on discharge of the one million gallon storage tank.
3. Performed leak detection survey on over 12 miles of water main. No leaks were found on the water main but one lead was found on a service.
4. Installed valve boxes at the following locations:
 - 287 Academy Avenue (also installed new curb stop valve)
 - 333 Sierra Street (also installed new curb stop valve)
 - 474 East Line Street
 - 160 North Second Street
5. Repaired water leak on 4 inch cast iron main under the 400 block of South Third Street. Work involved cutting out and abandoned leaded tee and installing couplings.
6. Eco:Logic began installing cabinets at Wells 2 and 4 as part of the SCADA project.
7. Located water services and for various customers at their request.
8. Tested back flow devices on designated fire lines for customers.
9. Made minor repairs air vent at Well 2.
10. Performed grounds maintenance at Wells 2 and 4.
11. Took monthly readings of all water meters.
12. Took routine bacteria samples.
13. Fabricated valve keys for main line valves.
14. Repaired leaking valve on fire hydrant at the intersection of Willow and Hanby.
15. Evaluated proposals received for project to construct a new water storage tank.

Sewer

1. Cleaned plugged sewer at the 1100 block of North Main Street.
2. Abandoned a twelve inch culvert from pond 3 to the pasture. Culvert was leaking.
3. Replaced methane gas mixer inside the control room.
4. Cleaned sludge and grit drying beds.
5. Turned on diversion at Wye Road.
6. Performed grounds maintenance at the Waste Water Treatment Plant.
7. Made routine inspections of grease interceptors.
8. Continued video assessment of sewer mains concentrating on restaurants that are discharging grease into sewer mains.
9. Generated a No Spill Certification for the state and reported the same.
10. Performed routine main line cleaning in trouble areas.
11. Placed soil spoils from the Hanby Avenue project in low areas of the 40 acre pasture.
12. Sent letters to four restaurants found through video inspections of sewers to be problem grease producers.

Streets

1. Cleaned plugged storm drain pipe in the city parking lot adjacent to Academy Avenue. Line was plugged with grease.
2. Cleaned weeds and debris from shoulder on South Street.
3. Patched potholes resulting from storms.
4. Cleaned storm drains, ditches and gutters during heavy rainfall.
5. Met with the Los Angeles Department of Water and Power about the Seibu to School project.
6. Attended the Inyo Local Transportation Commission meeting.
7. Advertised Road Improvement Project A for construction bids.
8. Provided feedback concerning impact of Digital 395 project on Bishop streets.
9. Worked with Inyo Local Transportation Commission staff concerning transferring funds from the West Pine Street Improvements project and the Sneden Street Improvements project

Miscellaneous

1. Assisted the Chamber of Commerce by providing traffic control for the annual Christmas Parade.
2. Participated in the Emergency Operations Center meeting for winter storm preparation.
3. Provided weekly tail gate safety meetings.
4. Cleaned up and organized all Public Works facilities.
5. Hauled trash and debris from Fowler pit to the Sunland Landfill.
6. Performed maintenance to light trucks and equipment.
7. Kicked off work on the update of the General Plan including the Circulation Element with consultant and agency meetings.
8. Participated in the Inyo Mono Integrated Regional Water Management Plan teleconference.
9. Participated in meeting held by Inyo County related to the update of the Federal Emergency Management Agency flood maps for the area.
10. Participated in the Eastern California Energy monthly teleconference.
11. Released Light Detection and Ranging (LiDAR) Request for Proposals.
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