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Public Works Report

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Water

1. Replaced safety flange on one of the fire hydrants in the Vons/Kmart parking lot.
2. Imported locations and information on main line valves within the Well 4 complex into GIS.
3. Opened bids for the Warren, South and Academy Utility Improvements Project. Marzano Construction was the low bidder at \$482,500.
4. Replaced the air relief valve at Well 2.
5. Repaired roof on old open reservoir shed at Well 4.
6. Went out to bid and received a backup electric motor for Well 2.
7. Continued with annual exercising of all Main line and Hydrant valves.
8. Continued with the testing of back flow valves.
9. Performed grounds maintenance at Wells 2 and 4 as well as the tank site.
10. Took monthly readings of all water meters.
11. Took routine bacteria samples.
12. Attended teleconference regarding new ground water legislation in California.
13. Implemented water conservation measures mandated by the state.

Sewer

1. Replaced the brush on the headworks screen.
2. Made minor modifications and ordered new bearings for all shafts in the south clarifier.
3. Performed routine maintenance to the Johnston Drive Lift Station.
4. The Frost Company continues the installation of the Grit Removal equipment. The equipment is operational now and 95% complete.
5. Performed grounds maintenance at the Waste Water Treatment Plant.
6. Continued with the collaboration effort with Eastern Sierra Community Services District.

7. Cleaned sludge drying beds.
8. Made routine inspections of grease interceptors.
9. Performed routine main line cleaning in trouble areas.\
10. Opened bids for Monitoring Wells project. The one bid was found to be responsive.

Streets

1. Removed tree roots and patched numerous locations in City streets, alleys and parking lots.
2. Installed accessible parking signs in new parking area created with Pine to Park Path Project.
3. Cleaned "School Zone" and cross walks marking surrounding the schools in preparation for the beginning of the new school year.
4. Provided weed control on city streets and alleys.
5. Patched potholes in City streets that posed potential safety issues.
6. Repaired and or replaced damaged street signs.
7. Participated in Inyo Local Transportation Commission meeting.
8. Continued work on Plans and Specifications for the Warren Street Project.
9. Attended meetings regarding the Eastern Sierra Adventure Trails project.
10. Met with Caltrans staff regarding proposed state and city projects involving state highways in the city.
11. Worked with Inyo County to change the official name of the street the city calls "West Jay Street" to that name.

Miscellaneous

1. Swept the Fairgrounds before and during the Fair.
2. Replaced elevator belts on the sweeper.
3. Made repairs to the water system on the Vaccon truck.
4. Performed maintenance and serviced Public Works vehicles.
5. Provided weekly tail gate safety for the Public Works crew.
6. Hauled trash and debris from Fowler Pit to the Sunland Landfill.
7. Attended training related to Granicus software.

8. Met with parks and school staff regarding new play field to be constructed in back of park.
9. Met with Inyo County staff regarding the potential of cooperating on building inspection in the Bishop area.
10. Developed contract for Information Technology support.
11. Participated in kickoff of work under Information Technology contract with Carmichael Business Technology.
12. Worked with firm on possibility of a solar installation at the wastewater treatment plant.