



# CITY OF BISHOP

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## Public Works Report

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### Water

1. Completed all forms and submittals required by Southern California Edison to receive incentives due to the City for the new pump at Well 2.
2. RCI performed 1 year inspection of the 50,000 gallon control tank at Well 4. Tank and coating are in acceptable condition.
3. Repaired a leaking leaded joint on the 4 inch cast iron main under the 400 block of Clarke Street.
4. Constructed a new 4 inch water service that will service the Bishop High School football field.
5. Replaced a failed curb stop valve at 408 Hammond Street.
6. Marked water mains and services at several locations along the State highway for a future Caltrans drainage project.
7. Completed and posted the annual Consumer Confidence Report.
8. Continued annual testing of all back flow valves within the city.
9. Continued annual main line valve exercising.
10. Continue working with Terra Verde to implement solar power at Wells 2 and 4. Evaluated proposals for construction. Met with top ranked firm on project sites.
11. Performed grounds maintenance at Wells 2 and 4 as well as the tank site.
12. Took monthly readings of all water meters.
13. Took routine bacteria samples.
14. Held public meeting, passed resolution, and approved contract with Performance Contracting Incorporated for the construction of the Solar Project.

### Sewer

1. Replaced one run of communication wires from SCADA system to the aerators. Wire was damaged by mice.

2. Marked sewer mains and laterals at several locations along the State highway for a future Caltrans drainage project.
3. Provided daily monitoring and made minor modifications to the Pilot Project.
4. Performed grounds maintenance at the Waste Water Treatment Plant.
5. Continued with the Collaboration effort with Eastern Sierra Community Services District.
6. Met with representatives of California Regional Water Quality Control Board to discuss nitrogen control in pond discharge water.
7. Cleaned sludge drying beds.
8. Made routine inspections of grease interceptors.
9. Performed routine main line cleaning in trouble areas.

### **Streets**

1. V&C Construction completed construction of the Warren Street Improvement Project, with the exception of 2 street lights which will be installed in early August.
2. Continued installing miscellaneous street signs along the Warren Street Project.
3. Removed existing striping on the east end of the Church Street parking lot and restriped with new parking configuration.
4. Provided weed control on city streets on the west side of Main Street.
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. Met with Caltrans concerning additional sidewalk sleeves in sidewalk on state highways.
9. Participated in a meeting of the Warren Street Focus Group.
10. Met with Chamber of Commerce and proponent of event that would require the closure of the city parking lot between Main Street and Whitney Alley.
11. Met with county and Caltrans staff concerning the North Sierra Highway Sustainable Transportation Grant.
12. Met with potential consultant for the design of an arch over Academy Avenue at Main Street.
13. Participated in pavement rehabilitation workshop with Inyo County, Town of Mammoth Lakes, and Caltrans staff.

14. Continued work on ways to satisfy resident concerns in the West Elm near the elementary schools about vehicle speeds and children safety.

15. Held ribbon cutting for the Warren Street Improvements project.

**Miscellaneous**

1. Installed flag sleeves in the sidewalk at various locations. This work was done to assist the American Legion Auxiliary.

2. Patched around new valley gutter at the Sunrise Mobile Home Park.

3. Provided cones and barricades for road closures during the Bishop High School graduation.

4. Performed maintenance and serviced Public Works vehicles and equipment.

5. Provided weekly tail gate safety for the Public Works crew.

6. Hauled trash and debris from Fowler Pit to the Sunland Landfill.

7. Helped coordinate implementation of Information Technology Upgrade project in City Hall. Met concerning the transition to the cityofbishop.com domain.

8. Continued work to identify restrooms for installation in Talmage Park and near the Senior Center in the City Park.

9. Worked on permitting of work to restore pond banks in City Park at the Pond Gazebo.

10. Hired Public Works Intern to update the city Geographic Information System, primarily as a result of improvements made by the Warren Street Improvements project.