

Administrative Report for July 5, 2017

This morning we received final confirmation and contract documents from the Ohio Public Works Commission regarding our \$325,000 grant for the Hamer Street Improvement. I have spoke numerous times as to the competitiveness of these grants and I can tell you that we were fought every step of the way on this one. We put in a large amount of time defending our application and the attached documents. Our 2004 Consent Decree was even obtained by a Public Records Request thru the Ohio EPA. They of course honored the request despite the fact that the decree is an attachment to the application. Regardless, the final confirmation letter was a much welcomed delivery today. In the past seven (7) years, the City of Clyde has received approximately 1.8 million dollars from the Ohio Public Works Commission. The Hamer Street Improvement Project will be bid July 13th.

Our 4th of July Festivities this past Sunday were outstanding. A special "Thank You" goes out to our Parks Director Jim Mason and his staff. While everyone else is enjoying the day with their family and friends, our park employees are at work ensuring that it is an enjoyable day for all. We once again, experimented with the fireworks timing and I think the shooters gave us a great show. As always, Pyrotechnico really delivered.

The General Service Department is in the home stretch on the Midvale/Elmdale/Mason Storm Sewer, Phase III. They are down to their final run of pipe and then they will start preparing the area for the upcoming paving program.

The Environmental Services Department is also putting the finishing touches on their big project for the Summer, the East Cherry Street water main. They have all of the houses on the North side of Cherry tied into the new main and have now started the longer service lines to the residents on the South side.

The drainage improvements on the East end of Elm Street are also moving along. Twenty-six hundred feet of new ditches were installed and seventeen hundred feet of existing ditch was dipped out. The general Services Department still has at least one culvert to install.

Preparations for this year's paving program which should start in approximately three (3) weeks are coming to a close. The Parks Department has some stone work yet to complete around their new campus but things are looking good there. The Environmental Services Department has the Phase II of the walking path at Hurd Park and a small new parking area to stone there also, prior to paving.