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Engineering Department Monthly Report October 2015

Department Statistics:

New Permits:

Single Family Residence: 5
Multi-Family Residential: 0
Commercial: 1
Other: 0

Right of Way/Excavation:

Permits Issued: 5
Inspections Completed: 12

Improvement Permits:

Single Family Residence: 12
Multi-Family Residential: 1
Commercial: 2
Other: 0

Storm Water:

Permits Issued: 0
Inspections Completed: 40

Misc. Permits:

Demolition: 2
Change of Use: 0
Sign: 3
Electrical: 6

Building Inspections Completed: 150

Projects:

- Cumberland Ave. Reconstruction, Ph. 3: Milestone Contractors has completed almost all of the construction work on the project. The road was opened to all traffic on August 6th. The contractor is meeting with Duke to supply the permanent service to the signal at Cumberland Ave. and Salisbury St. Once this switch is complete, the contract will also be complete. A separate landscaping project has been awarded to Custom Cuts. This project will add plants and shrubs along the median of the new section of road as well as add trees along the outside edge of the road. Work started the end of September and will be complete in November. Trees are the only item remaining and will be installed as they become available.
- Happy Hollow Road Reconstruction: Happy Hollow Road has been reconstructed at the intersection of River Road and North up to Catherwood Dr. Northbound Happy Hollow Road is closed and full reconstruction has begun. The contractor has been concentrating on reconstructing the lower half of the northbound side between Catherwood Dr. and Hollowood Dr. in an effort to switch traffic to the reconstructed side of the road before winter weather arrives. Once the switch

is made, the rest of the northbound storm water infrastructure can be installed as well as new retaining walls and storm water infrastructure south of Hollowood Dr. on the south bound side of the road. This work will continue through the winter as weather allows.

- Northwestern Avenue. Safety Improvements, Ph. 4: This project includes safety improvements on Northwestern Ave. from Cherry Lane to Dodge Street and from Grant Street to North Street. Work is complete for the construction of new curb, sidewalk, and approaches between Grant Street and North Street and at the intersection of Cherry Lane. Lighting and signal work is in progress. The signal and lighting work between North St. and Grant St. is almost complete with only some sign installation remaining. The signal switch at Cherry Lane should happen in early November with the remaining lighting between Cherry Ln. and Lindberg Rd. installed right after. All work should be complete in November.
- Lindberg Avenue Reconstruction: Lindberg Ave. is still in the preliminary design phase and is not projected to begin until 2017.
- 5th and 6th Street Project: This project was the reconstruction of curb and sidewalk along 5th and 6th Streets between University St and Russell St. The contractor completed this work in early August.
- Cattail Trail: This is a new trail extension that ties in the existing trail at Yeager Road and Northwestern Avenue to the existing trail at Cumberland Avenue and Sagamore Parkway. This contract is now complete.