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Engineering Department Monthly Report May 2015

Department Statistics:

New Permits:

Single Family Residence: 4
Multi-Family Residential: 0
Commercial: 1
Other: 1

Right of Way/Excavation:

Permits Issued: 7
Inspections Completed: 20

Improvement Permits:

Single Family Residence: 11
Multi-Family Residential: 5
Commercial: 4
Other: 1

Storm Water:

Permits Issued: 1
Inspections Completed: 40

Misc. Permits:

Demolition: 3
Change of Use: 0
Sign: 3
Electrical: 5

Building Inspections Completed: 127

Projects:

- Cumberland Ave. Reconstruction, Ph. 3: Water line relocation is complete. Milestone Contractors finished the installation of storm water structures and piping for Phase 2 and Phase 3. Parking along Cumberland is restricted during this time. The contractor has completed all of the subgrade treatment, first 2 lifts of asphalt, most of the curb and gutter, and is in process of installing the next 2 lifts of asphalt. This will leave the roadway with only the surface left to pave. Cumberland will close at Salisbury to begin the reconstruction of the intersection beginning June 2nd.
- Happy Hollow Reconstruction: The contractor has closed Happy Hollow Road just south of Catherwood Dr. and Phase 1 of the road construction has been completed. This phase includes replacing the existing Happy Hollow Creek culvert pipe with a new 4 sided box structure. Phase 2 is scheduled to begin June 1st, 2015. This will shut down the intersection of River Road and

Happy Hollow Road for a complete reconstruction. This closure will not allow through traffic and is scheduled to last up to 6 weeks. The contract completion is set for October 2016.

- Northwestern Ave. Safety Improvements, Ph. 4: This project was awarded to Milestone Contractors with a base bid of \$1.8 million. It will include safety improvements on Northwestern Avenue from Cherry Lane to Dodge Street and from Grant Street to North Street. Work is scheduled to begin June 1st, 2015.
- Ravinia Sidewalk Project: The City has completed a new sidewalk project to connect the existing sidewalk at the Forrest Hill and Ravinia intersection to the existing sidewalk at the Leslie and Ravinia intersection. This section of sidewalk provides pedestrians, including West Lafayette Jr/Sr High School students, a safe commute.
- Lindberg Avenue Reconstruction: Lindberg Ave. is currently in the preliminary design phase for reconstruction in 2016.
- Subdivision Sidewalk Repair Project: This is a sidewalk repair project that began in late fall of 2014 to repair trip hazards in University Farms as well as a few spot repairs in the neighboring communities of Barbary Heights and Arbor Chase. This work is now complete.
- 5th and 6th Street Project: This project will reconstruct curb and sidewalk along 5th and 6th Streets between University and Russell. The contract was awarded to Dixon Construction and began May 26th, 2015.
- Cattail Trail: This is a new trail extension that is under construction tying in the existing trail at Yeager Road and Northwestern Avenue to the existing trail at Cumberland Avenue and Sagamore Parkway. This contract is set to be complete in early June of 2015.