

# DPW WORK REPORT

Pavement Maintenance Systems came in to Chip seal North, Walnut and Randall St. The emulsion doesn't stick to dirt, it sticks to itself and the stone applied to it. When the trucks or the broom go back and forth over it the stone and emulsion would stick to the tires lifting it off the roadway. Trying to repair it just caused more problems. After a discussion with the operator in charge he determined the best course of action was to lower the oil content in the mix and increase the binder material and also increase the amount of stone on the roadway. We also discussed waiting a couple of weeks to fog seal and to allow traffic to push more of the stone into the roadway before they come back and sweep it off.

I got a couple of reports of someone trying to damage the road surface on North St. Saturday morning. I called the police and reported the incident. I found out who it was and reported him to the deputy.

The concrete driveway approach and a couple of sidewalks were cut to allow paving on Catherine St. We rented a concrete saw from CEM Supply in Coldwater.

We began pulling out the old sidewalk in front of Terry & Deb Goheens new house down to the end. DeForest Brothers will be in this week to put new back in.

The bent up gates at the North end of State were repaired by us and reinstalled along with a new post. (old telephone cut off)

The concrete we had temporarily stored at the brush dump has been removed.

We successfully repaired all the picnic tables for the parks. Big cost savings for us.

The curb stop on Elm St. was repaired.

Corr Pro was in to check the cathodic protection at the water tower.

Nelson tank is trying to get in sometime in July or early August for Tank cleaning and inspection. I told them to give me a few days notice to have the tower drained.

We picked up a load of mulch from Quality Excavators in Marshall to spread around the toys at Durham Park. We had exposed cement at the teeter totter that needed covered. We will need to get 2 to 3 more loads for the toys at Cheney Park.

Tree removal should begin in the next week or two from the conversation I had with Top to Bottom Tree service.

The planters were leveled up in Durham Park and the paintings and posts were pulled.

A hose blew off on an aerator in the front aeration pond. It was pulled and repaired. We have begun to paint the vent pipes out there as well. I have made arrangements with Marshall waste water plant to borrow their 6" pump to transfer remaining contents from storage pond 1 into #2 so we can finish the valve work. Berms were sprayed for weeds.

PFAS sampling came back negative for both wells and well #1 nitrates are still low at 4.9 up slightly from last sampling.

Fence at Cheney park was removed.

Brush growing along the river at Friends landing between the road and the water was trimmed off.

A couple of clogs at the Main Lift station had us in. Flushable wipes ball up on the way to the pumps and is like trying to suck a tennis ball up in a vacuum cleaner.

We raised a sewer manhole 6" behind the bank. The bank had a clog and needed access to the manhole. We felt it best to just raise it back to ground level for future needs.

Bushes were trimmed at the Village office.

Brush hogging at the water plant, State Lake, retention pond, Randall St. a spot on Elm St. and Railroad was done.

We have hauled a lot of brush out of town.

Storm drains and gutters were cleaned along Spires Parkway. The grass growing along the edge was sprayed. Weeds were also sprayed down Elm St. past the High School.