



## ZIONSVILLE STREET DEPARTMENT

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STREET DEPARTMENT REPORT  
ZIONSVILLE TOWN COUNCIL MEETING  
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1. **SR 334 PATHWAY DESIGN**

Design continues on this project. Some work in the area of Eagle Creek may be seen within the next few weeks as soil boring tests are conducted to determine the appropriate footing and foundation composition for the new pedestrian bridge. A notice-to-proceed for the next phase of land acquisition services has been issued to the design consultant, BLN.

2. **TURKEY FOOT PATHWAY DESIGN**

At the direction of the Town Council, design is underway for the pathway to be constructed along the east side of Turkey Foot Ave. from Mulberry Street to the parking lot for Turkey Foot Park. A notice-to-proceed for the next phase of land acquisition services has been issued to the design consultant, BLN.

3. **STORMWATER UTILITY STUDY**

The Utilities and Environment Committee ("Committee") of the Town Council met this past month and discussed the proposed utility. At the meeting it was determined that the utility should structure under Indiana Code as a Title 8 special taxing district utility which provides for the collection of the fees either through local billing or as a component of the semi-annual tax statements. Furthermore, this structure provides for a three-member board of the Department of Stormwater Management appointed by the Town Council President.

The Street Department Superintendent and Zionsville Clerk-Treasurer met with Boone County officials to discuss the option of including the utility fees as a component of the semi-annual tax statements. The initial reaction was negative, but discussions continue.

The Town Attorney is currently drafting an ordinance for consideration at the July meeting of the Town Council, but the Committee is currently discussing options that may delay the introduction of the ordinance. Public information on the utility is posted on the Town's web site under the Department of Street and Stormwater Services. Both a FAQ sheet and the entire rate study are available for viewing. Additional material is planned to be mailed to constituents as part of the Town Council's annual report, and supplemental public information and initiatives will be developed as determined by the Committee.

4. **NEW STORMWATER PROGRAM MANAGER POSITION**

This position has been offered and accepted by Mr. Gavin Merriman. His first day on the job is scheduled to be today, June 7<sup>th</sup>.

5. **DOWNTOWN MAIN STREET PARKING LOT**

The bike rack pad has been installed, and this project is complete in accordance with the contract requirements. Bike racks or bollards will be installed later this summer.

6. **ANNUAL STREET REPAIRS**

This project is currently out for bid with a bid opening scheduled for June 15<sup>th</sup> at 3:00 pm at the Town Hall. Roads currently in the project include:

1. Spot repairs on CR 800 East within urban boundary limits
2. CR 400 South from 800 East to the abandoned rail line (currently gravel)
3. Spot repairs on CR 500 South from 875 East to 800 East
4. Spot repairs on CR 875 East from CR 500 South to CR 550 South
5. Spot repairs on CR 975 East from Mulberry St./Whitestown Rd. to the northern urban town limits
6. Spot repairs and asphalt overlay on Ford Rd. from SR 334 to Bloor Lane
7. Complete reconstruction of Clay Ct. in Village Walk subdivision
8. Asphalt overlay on Pine St. from 6<sup>th</sup> St. to 8<sup>th</sup> St. with curb and sidewalk repairs
9. Asphalt overlay on Elm St. from SR 334 to Poplar St.
10. Spot repairs on Willow Rd. from US 421 to the Hamilton County line
11. Thermoplastic line striping on Temple Ave.

Projects may be removed from the list if favorable pricing is not experienced, or additional areas added if the pricing is favorable. All of the emergency-repair areas from earlier this spring that are currently gravel will be replaced with asphalt.

7. **WILLOW ROAD/MICHIGAN ROAD PEDESTRIAN SIGNAL**

The Town Engineer is reviewing bids received last fall and finalizing bid documents to re-bid this project this month.