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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. The pedestrian bridge over Eagle Creek will be similar to the design used on the Willow Rd. pathway bridge. Design is expected to be complete by June 2010, after which time any necessary easement and/or ROW acquisitions will be pursued.

2. **TURKEY FOOT PATHWAY DESIGN**

A public input meeting was held in March, at which an alternate alignment was presented along the east side of Turkeyfoot Ave. from Mulberry St. to the Turkeyfoot Park area along Eagle Creek. Input and comments were summarized and provided to the Council for discussion later in the agenda.

3. **STORMWATER UTILITY STUDY**

Work continues on the development of the proposed utility. It has been determined by the Utilities and Environment Committee that the preferred method of billing and collecting funds is through the property tax statements. Staff will be working with Boone County agencies to determine the feasibility of this method, as well as the necessary procedures.

A fact sheet has been posted on the Town's web site, and the complete utility study report has been posted as well. When refined as needed, the fact sheet will be used to disseminate information to the public via a variety of media.

4. **NEW STORMWATER PROGRAM MANAGER POSITION**

Two individuals have been interviewed for this position. Pending contact with references, it is expected that the position will be offered to one of these individuals.

5. **DOWNTOWN MAIN STREET PARKING LOT**

A final walk-through was conducted for this project, and three items have been placed on the punch list. The most significant is the bike rack pad, which has yet to be installed.

On April 28th, several members of Zionsville's Master Gardeners, with the assistance of Street Department staff, placed approximately 40 additional plants in the areas reserved for future landscaping. The species were selected for their hardy nature, focusing on native plants.

6. **ANNUAL STREET REPAIRS**

The development of the annual street repair program is nearing completion, and cost estimates are being finalized. The project is expected to be advertised for bid this month, and awarded in June with construction beginning shortly thereafter.

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

The addition of a pedestrian crossing signal and the completion of the pathway along Willow Road and US 421/Michigan Road was let for quotes last fall. Due to unfavorable pricing, none of the quotes were accepted. Accordingly, this project is expected to be re-let this month through quote solicitation. Pending more favorable pricing, construction could begin as early as June.

8. **1ST QUARTER BUDGET REPORT**

The first quarter budget report has been submitted, and currently this department expects to be under budget for 2010.