



ZIONSVILLE STREET AND STORMWATER DEPARTMENT

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STREET AND STORMWATER DEPARTMENT REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER, 2016

1. **STORMWATER PERMIT ACTIVITIES**

- a) Five (5) stormwater pollution prevention plan inspections were conducted at permitted construction sites.
- b) Six (6) Stormwater Individual Lot Permits were issued for new residential construction projects.
- c) Presented a video to the Town Council and Mayor that was co-developed by Zionsville through the Indiana Association of Stormwater and Floodplain Managers. The video was developed specifically for elected official education on the MS4 program and its myriad benefits to the community.
- d) Working with the White River Alliance to hold a comprehensive workshop designed to educate homeowners associations, landscape companies, and pond maintenance contractors on requirements for and proper management of stormwater management systems from ponds to rain gardens.
- e) Participated in the Do It Again Recycled Art Market held at the SullivanMunce by donating 5 rain barrels that were decorated by local artists and auctioned-off, with proceeds benefiting the Cultural District. This program helps raise awareness about the importance of water conservation and promotes the adoption of such practices as rainwater harvesting, helping the town meet its NPDES permit requirements for public education and participation.

2. **STORMWATER PROJECTS AND DRAINAGE**

- a) Work is nearing completion on a project to develop a storm sewer pipe condition rating procedure utilizing the town's existing televising library.
- b) Work is nearing completion on an update to the Stormwater Technical Standards Manual. This effort is intended to bring current any outdated standards and to improve the organization of the Manual for the benefit of town staff and the construction community alike.
- c) Work has begun on a storm sewer outfall and bank stabilization project in Colony Woods.

3. **96TH ST./ZIONSVILLE RD. INTERSECTION IMPROVEMENTS**

This project is currently out for public bid and a bid opening has been scheduled for December 15th. Construction is expected to begin in March, 2017 and conclude in August. No closures are anticipated, although traffic restrictions and flag control maybe encountered.

4. **BLOOR LANE PATHWAY**

This project is substantially complete.

5. **OAK ST. AND KISSEL/800 E. INTERSECTION**

Design is nearly complete on the signal and street lighting for this intersection; engineering is evaluating a design change to a pole foundation as a result of soil stability information obtained. It is anticipated that staff will solicit competitive quotes in the near future as the expected project cost is well below the statutory threshold requiring a public bid process, which will potentially accelerate the timeline. Construction will begin soon thereafter.

6. **ZIONSVILLE RD. PROJECT**

A meeting with area property owners was held the evening of October 12th, with approximately 20 residents attending and providing comment and input. A meeting with the engineers and Mayor's office was held to review input and desired project elements. The Town Engineer is preparing a scope of services contract to begin design in the near future.

7. **116TH ST. PATHWAY PROJECT**

The interlocal agreement between Carmel and Zionsville has been fully executed and design is ongoing.

8. **2016 PAVING PROGRAM**

Work has concluded along the various roads included in this year's road rehab project:

- Willow Rd. west of US 421
- Starkey Ave.
- Temple Ave.
- CR 975 E.
- Bloor Lane
- Ash St. (Elm St. to Maple St.)
- Village Ct.
- Turkeyfoot Ave.
- Stevens Rd.
- CR 950 E.

This project is substantially complete with the exception of the reconstruction of Village Ct., which has been delayed until spring. Permanent line striping on all roads will also be delayed until spring, however temporary centerline markings will be provided as well as temporary crosswalk markings in front of Pleasantview Elementary.

9. **FORD RD./OAK ST. INTERSECTION PEDESTRIAN SIGNALS**

Design is ongoing for the addition of two pedestrian signals at this intersection to complete access in all directions and legs of the intersection. Sidewalks will be added at the northeast corner of the intersection to connect to existing sidewalks in the area.

10. **CR 700 PATHWAY**

Additional right of way has been secured along the east side of CR 700 E between Whitestown Parkway and the Royal Run subdivision. Negotiations continue with an additional property owner along this route, including the preparation of an appraisal to consider purchasing one of the properties in its entirety. Construction could now occur in 2017 along the portion of secured right of way.

11. **4TH ST. DRAINAGE IMPROVEMENT PROJECT, PHASE I**

Construction is ongoing but progress has been hampered by multiple utility conflicts requiring relocation of underground facilities. Substantial completion is still anticipated by the year's

end, but winter weather conditions could cause further delay. Full restoration work including final pavement surfaces and turf reestablishment will not be able to be completed until spring.

12. SEASONAL FALL LEAF COLLECTION

Curbside leaf collection for residents in the urban service district has been extended an additional week. In order to ensure collection, all leaves must be placed curbside by 7:30 am Monday, December 5th. Crews will work through the ensuing days to get around to all leaf piles. Significant winter weather may suspend or terminate this service.