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## April Public Works Report

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The last month has been a challenge for the public works department. We were short on labor and there was a lot of road work to do. Francis stepped up and with very little help was able to keep us plowed out. At the same time, Francis was able to attend equipment training and keep the landfill under control. Thank You Francis!

I plan to retire from full time work in the middle Of May. I have health issues to deal with and I need to be gone for an extended period of time. It's only fair to my crew that I pass the job of being boss on to someone else. Stephen and Francis will have no problem passing a RALO training course to stay compliant with State DEC. The only other certification issue is sewer operator certification with Village SafeWater. Staffing issues should work out after school gets out. Stephen will be moving back for the summer.

The sewer system is working just fine. Some of our electrical issues seem to have subsided after Aniak Light and Power did work on the power pole. Francis continues to inspect the electrical panels at least once a week. Snow plowing and door shoveling at the lift stations has been a lot of work.

The roads have taken a lot off our time this winter. Stephen graded almost everyday that he was back. Francis has gotten about six hours of practice plowing snow. He looks forward to getting better at it with more practice. Charlie just makes it look easy. Spring melt down will bring several weeks of flooded spots until the ditches start to drain.

The landfill is mostly under control. Stephen was able to start the old JohnDeere dozer and compact the pile when he was here. The landfill needs a plan on how to fill itn over the next 10 years.

I should have one more report for the City Council before I retire.

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