Department Reports 3/21/25

ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION

Tickets, locates

Replaced dusk to dawn lights on S. Pennsylvania.

Turned off school zone lights for spring break.

Report of outage at 509 N. Jennings. Cause from tree branch.

Report of outage at 711 N. Lincoln. Unknown cause.

Report of 2 broken poles at 997 S.E. 10 Ave. Cause from high wind.

Attended staff meeting.

Delivered 56 door knockers.

Put up batting cage net.

Fixed broken service neutral in town.

POWER PLANT

We have the gravel down and we ran a packer over it to really make a good base, I am hoping for a good rain, and we will level it off one more time before the building is set. We have no known build date yet.

We have picked up limbs and the street department has helped us with the big trees that have fallen in all the wind events.

The guys have completed round one of spraying the dog park, I really recommend getting a small pull behind sprayer with a boom for this task and the spraying of the gravel camping spots as it would save a tremendous amount of man time compared to using a hand wand sprayer.

LB & TM went and got recertification for method 9 opacity reading required under our air emissions standards.

LB attended the EMP2 meeting in Hoisington, had some great discussions with colleagues and gathered some great ideas.

We are now entering camping season, and we have been keeping up with the bathrooms pretty well and it's almost full-blown mowing season.

Pretty much just normal maintenance in and around the power plant and the substations.

I will be going on vacation next week so no reports next week but will update on the next.

STREET

Grading at lake
Pushed tree pile at lake and east burn sites
Picked up tree limbs lake and town from winds
Fixed various signs from winds
Removed tile floor at the shop
Helped with gas pump at the airport

WATER/WASTEWATER

Rounds, tickets, locates Pool plumbing Lagoon lift station Study for tests