Public Works Monthly Update

With the warm days here, people have been out cleaning and decluttering their yards and storage buildings. Add in a day or two of rain, you have piles of brush, more grass to cut and more household refuse to contend with. The guys have stepped up to the challenge and shown they can handle the tasks at hand.

Street Department

The Street Crew guys have been doing a good job at keeping up with the grass and brush pick up. Now that the Fly-ins are back in swing, they have kept the Airport looking very nice. As mentioned before, the warm temperatures are keeping them busy with bush-hogging creekbanks, ditch lines and the old Landfill. They also have kept the Cemetery clean and presentable.

Water/Sewer Department

The Water Crew has been busy in their own rights. They had to contend with a water leak for several hours into the night on Grove Ave. The leak was caused by a contract company putting in a new cable line to a residence in the area. They were able to keep the leak contained to a single block of the neighborhood. They have had an influx of Ms Utilities to mark with Dominion revamping their lines around town as well.

Mechanics/Maintenance Department

The guys in the shop have been busy as well. Warm temperatures also mean more equipment being used and the potential for more to break down. They have done well to keep things running and out of the shop in a timely fashion. Chris has helped in getting the Airport kitchen area ready for the Fly-ins by making sure the water, lights and restrooms are working properly.

Other Updates

We had sent off one of the pumps from Thynedale Pump Station for repair. It was returned and put back into service. Chris is getting ready to get back on the container bathroom at the Pavilion with help from the water crew. Tim's crew have been cutting and cleaning rite-a-ways as well.

MANY THANKS GO OUT TO ALL OF THE GUYS!!!

Couldn't get it done without them.