



CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION DEPARTMENT REPORT

TO: Matthew R. Schmitz, MPA - City Manager

FROM: Brad Esch, Street Superintendent

DATE OF MEETING: June 3, 2024

ITEM TITLE: Department Report – Streets

- Final project walkthrough on the 2nd Street bridge and 8th Ave SW pedestrian bridge rehab with Jasper Construction and Crawford Engineering.
- Removal of the bridge at Knott's Landing by Pillard's Metal Recycling and received \$547.50 in scrap price.
- Annual DNR report at compost facility. Received a good review with a few minor adjustments we need to make moving forward.
- Northeast Iowa Animal Control continues to trap and catch rats at the Tree Dump. It appears he is getting a good handle on the situation.
- Work has started on the 2024 St. Rehabilitation Program.
- We continue to stay up to date with the crack grinding and tar seal on the previous rehab overlays and other streets are still in good condition.
- Prairie Rd. Builders has completed this year's seal coat streets - approximately 12 blocks.
- Culvert pipe repair. on 20th Ave./Iowa Ave.
- Working on water main break patches since last winter curb patching and intake repairs.
- Poured sidewalk around the playground at the park, hauled fill, top dressed with dirt. After the crew does the final padding application, we will assist with the final grade and seeding.
- Street sweeper made a round throughout the entire town and we'll continue to be out on occasions as needed.
- Removed several beaver dams at the creek along the Nature Trail causing water backup and potential flooding.
- Road bladed all the city alleys and added road rock in areas that needed it.
- Vehicles and small engine oil changes and maintenance.