



SOUND BARRIER WALL AND PATH



Action items/ideas discussed today which will require budget dollars:

1. Replace missing boulevard trees along Orchard Road. Many have been removed (died) since the initial project was completed. The trees would provide shade to the path and sound wall. **20 trees Fund Raising (tree planted in memory or name)**
2. Add hanging baskets and seasonal flags to lamp posts. This would promote **"walking the loop"**, extend downtown beyond Highway 112.
3. Add benches, develop memorial bench program for new and existing benches. Potential revenue for city. **Fund Raising**
4. Add Dexter Park/City of Long Lake signage to Orchard Road side of park to raise awareness of park availability. **Park Board**
5. Add Waste Cans and Doggy Bag stations (dog bag station has been donated need more.). Will encourage those that use the path to pick up litter and reinforce the importance of cleaning up after your pet.
6. Seal coat the black top on path, repair the cracks. **Seal Coat Service**
7. Remove all dead trees and underbrush, select sumac, buckthorn, grapevine, etc. as directed by the Long Lake Garden Club. **Long Lake Garden club will tag plants/trees for removal. Public Works or Tree Service to do removal. 2 pine Trees**
8. Add more vining plants (many have died) **as directed by the Long Lake Garden Club**. Trumpet Vine seems to be doing well. **35 vines**
9. Mulch along wall in areas where previously mulched. **Use trees and brush removed for mulch?**
10. Add irrigation, potentially sod along path.
11. Re-design 2 garden beds on path currently not visible due to the weeds. Both beds have only Stella Lilies. **Long Lake Garden Club could do design, provide labor. Approx. 23 roses**
12. Consider accepting a large donation to rename the path after a business or memorial to a person. Potential revenue for the city. **Fund Raiser**

13. Add new Long Lake City Rule signs as appropriate. **Public Works**



14. Make contact with MDOT or Hennepin County to set up meeting regarding sound wall repairs, painting and maintenance.

Department Breakdown

Public Works – (Quote services)

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3. Remove all dead trees and underbrush, select sumac, buckthorn, grapevine, etc. **Tree Service?**
4. Contact whoever is responsible for painting and repair of the Sound Barrier



5. Add Waste Cans.
6. Add new Long Lake City Rule signs as appropriate – damaged sign by well house
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City Consideration

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Fundraiser

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Park board

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Long Lake Garden Club

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2. Add more vining plants **as directed by the Long Lake Garden Club**. Trumpet Vine seems to be doing well.



Campsis radicans, the **trumpet vine**,^[4] **yellow trumpet vine**,^[5] or **trumpet creeper**^[4] (also known in North America as **cow itch vine**^[6] or **hummingbird vine**^[7]), is a **species** of **flowering plant** in the **family** Bignoniaceae, **native** to eastern **North America**, and **naturalized** elsewhere. Growing to 10 metres (33 feet), it is a vigorous, **deciduous** woody **vine**, notable for its showy trumpet-shaped flowers. It inhabits woodlands and riverbanks, and is also a popular garden plant.

One last thought – putting up Hot Asphalt signs and dog paws. Here is one idea:

PROTECT YOUR DOG'S PAWS		STORM/FEAR WEATHER	
AIR TEMP	CONCRETE	ASPHALT	
80°	95°	115°	
85°	105°	130°	
90°	125°	140°	
95°	140°	155°	

SECOND RULE: PLACE HAND ON THE SURFACE
TOO HOT FOR YOUR HAND, TOO HOT FOR YOUR HOUND



Today I found a dog dish full of water on the path. Can a water fountain for human and dogs be installed?