

Charter Township of Madison

Department of public works

March 2024

- Water usage for the month of March 2024 was 9.1 million gallons.
- Sewer usage for the month of March 2024 was 12.4 million gallons.
- Water usage for Fairfield Twp. for the month of March was 1.2 million gals.

Operations

- Work orders for the month of March were (46).
- Miss Digs for the month of March were (77). All Miss Digs were reviewed and serviced as needed.
- Water meters were read, and all work orders were completed.
- All sewer reads were submitted to the City of Adrian.
- Lift stations and generators were inspected for the month of March.
- Monthly operating report submitted to EGLE.
- Backwashing of iron filter as necessary.
- Monthly Drinking water sampling has been completed.
- Wastewater discharge sampling at water treatment plant.

Communications

- The Public works department met with tetra tech for a kick-off meeting in March for the rate study. The dpw is currently compiling the data that is required to complete the water and sewer rate study.
- Construction drawings for the water treatment plant project have been submitted to the EGLE. We think it may take between 4-6 weeks to get approval, assuming no design changes will be required.
- Tetra tech recently updated the cost opinion for the WTP project, materials and construction have increased from what was initially thought. The bond attorney from Miller Canfield has been made aware of the possibility that additional funding may be needed.
- Hydrant and water main flushing is scheduled to begin on April 29th. The flushing and maintenance should be completed by May 27th, during this time it is recommended that residents check water clarity before doing any laundry.

**Submitted by Tim Watterson
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