

CITY OF NEW MEADOWS MAYOR'S REPORT

April 25, 2022

The water project is moving forward and the bid package has been reviewed by Kirk and Jessie. I would like to be able to have it sent out for bid immediately upon approval by DEQ.

The crazy weather patterns have made street grading nearly impossible. Streets will be a priority as the weather cooperates. Jessie has scheduled dust abatement for June 21 and 22 (if another day is needed). The bid is in your packet for your review and is an action item on the agenda. The bid amount is in line with the amount budgeted for dust abatement.

Just a reminder of the upcoming training in June that is so valuable to new and existing City Council members. Kyla has all the information. Please try to attend if you can.

The Stibnite Foundation grant cycle ends May 31 so we need to decide what funding we want to request. Please be thinking about city projects that could be presented.

I have been attending the Broadband meetings for the region and they have finally come up with an agreement for those who are moving forward in the process. This agreement has been reviewed by our attorney and I am excited about the future prospects for our community.

I am planning on putting together a community meeting to discuss the possibilities and next steps for the Youth Center. The City will be overseeing the process, but I want to be sure we are including the public's input and encouraging local participation at all stages. This is an opportunity for local resources and experience to impact our community both now and in the future.

"Be yourself. Everyone else is already taken." Oscar Wilde