



- ❖ Finalizing details of upcoming sewer repair at Aquatic Center. More information about Aquatic Center availability to the public will come as we move through the project.
- ❖ Contractor with GRPS, Inc will be at the Aquatic Center May 4-8 to conduct a ground penetrating radar investigation to determine where underground utilities are located under concrete slab in preparation for project.
- ❖ Stephanie Payne helped Tyler Thain get elementary school students into the pool for one more round of water safety before summer begins.
- ❖ Parks and Rec staff will be closing the facility at 3p on Friday, May 15 to host events downtown for Little Norway Festival.
- ❖ We have had a surprising surge of requests for permanent moorage, and the waiting list continues to grow as harbor is full.
- ❖ The first tour ship arrived on Sunday; the numbers will pick up as we move into May. Thank you to public works and water & waste departments for setting up the portable bathrooms in the City Hall parking lot.
- ❖ Harbor seasonal cleanup has begun, treating wood floats, fire hosing the parking lots and cleaning up the winter sand is taking extra effort this year. Crew has started painting and touching up parking and loading zones as the dry weather allows.
- ❖ Streets crew installed a disabled parking space at the Rec/Aquatic Center.
- ❖ Preventative maintenance is ongoing in the motor pool. The street sweeper and boom truck remain out of service pending arrival of repair parts.
- ❖ Building Maintenance completed installation of carport support beams for the Police Department. Addressed plumbing issues at the Police Department and initiated cleaning and restoration of the water fountain at the museum.
- ❖ PS4 project is advancing, with increased activity expected over the next two weeks and potential traffic impacts.

- ❖ Installed a Remote Telemetry Unit at the baler pump station to enhance SCADA monitoring.
- ❖ Water Dept. is working with RMC Engineering to resolve programming issues affecting plant startups.
- ❖ The library received a grant from the Petersburg Community Foundation to assist with the purchase of a new self-check kiosk.
- ❖ The Scow Bay Generator #2 project design is progressing with 95% plans due to the Borough by May 1st. PMPL will be requesting consideration of a bond ordinance and ballot question to fully fund the construction.
- ❖ Steelhead Enterprises have begun working on the storage building addition at the Scow Bay pole yard. Work will be completed in May.
- ❖ PMPL has been working with Parks and Recs to develop and then implement a plan for the Ball Field Area Lighting Grant.
- ❖ PMPL is working with McMillen to develop a scope of work for a feasibility study of a Battery Energy Storage System (BESS) at the Blind Slough Hydro Project. A BESS would help reduce “brownout” occurrences.
- ❖ PMPL is exploring a project to provide the public with electrical outage status updates through SMS text messages and email notifications. The system would be opt-in only.
- ❖ Preparations are underway by the mechanic for the June SEAPA shutdown to ensure smooth, reliable operations. EPS will also be onsite the week of the 11th to tune the Scow Bay 1 generator controls following emergency repairs completed this winter.
- ❖ I continue to work with Tidal on the sales contract. We had some concerns regarding contract language that sounds like may be resolved in the next week or so.
- ❖ Tlingit & Haida Housing has begun work on the Airport Addition expansion. Borough staff are working with their engineering firm and construction teams on getting the infrastructure completed.
- ❖ Aaron and Thomas will start working with Harai & Associates on the revisions to the Borough’s Standard Specifications.
- ❖ The Borough’s negotiating team has been meeting with members of PMEAs to work on the new labor contract for the next three years.