



CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

MEETING DATE: October 19, 2020

TO: City Council Members

FROM: Mike Lagomarsino, Public Works Supervisor

SUBJECT: Public Works Department Report for September 2020

RECOMMENDATION

Receive the Public Works Department Report for September 2020.

DISCUSSION

For the month of September 2020, the City of Sonora Public Works Department performed the following activities:

Events

- Placed event banners on Washington Street.
- Placed weekly Farmers Market no parking signs.
- Assisted Sonora Police Department with traffic control during the malfunction of the railroad crossing arms on South Washington Street.

Streets

- Loaded and hauled four pay piles in City.
- Performed several days of clearance trimming on East Oakside Street.
- Repaired several areas of roadway with hot asphalt on Morningstar Dr. and Twilight Ct.
- Cut up and hauled remains from large downed Oak Tree on Banner Drive.
- Installed numerous new street signs as a part of ongoing sign replacement program throughout the City.
- Made repairs to Southgate Drive following discovery of sinkhole near bridge.
- Removed a hazardous tree leaning over roadway on June Street.
- Removed and disposed of two diseased deer from the roadway on South Washington Street.
- Made street repairs due to ongoing deterioration on Leonards Addition Drive.
- Spent several days potholing on numerous City Streets.
- Removed hand piles throughout City.

Facilities

- Installed flashing and caulking to section of building to prevent further penetration of rainwater in storage room at Opera Hall.
- Clearance trimmed numerous trees in Public Works Yard.
- Installed gun safe in dispatch room at Sonora Police Department.
- Cleaned and flowed rain gutters at Opera Hall, Fire Museum, Police Department, and Education Center in preparation for upcoming rain season.
- Made repairs and adjustments to air conditioning ducting in attic at Sonora Police Department.

Parks/Landscapes/Parking Lots

- Continued with annual Weed Abatement Spray Program in City parks, landscapes, and cemeteries.
- Made repairs to irrigation system in landscape at Restano Way.
- Tilled compacted playground material at Woods Creek Rotary Park.
- Pruned numerous trees on Woods Creek Drive, as well as in Rotary Park.
- Pruned trees in Coffill Parking lot next to the Bank of America Lot.

Storm Drains

- Spent several days cleaning storm water ditches in the Sunrise Hills development.

Cemeteries

- Prepared required monthly reports, installed headstones, checked messages daily and returned phone calls.
- Installed an inline valve and battery timer supplying water to the Urn Garden at Mountain Shadow Cemetery.
- Spent several days on major pruning project along Greenley Rd and Lyons Bald Mt Rd of cemetery trees.

Miscellaneous

- Performed routine daily and monthly activities including regular checking of parks and landscape areas for maintenance needs and safety concerns, garbage collection at City facilities, cleaning and stocking City restrooms, opening of gate to Dragoon Gulch Trail Parking Lot, routine maintenance of City vehicles, participation on assigned committees, weekly mowing of lawns at Mt Shadow Cemetery and Rotary Park, and weekly sweeping of City Streets.

FISCAL IMPACT

None