

Public Works Report for April 29, 2020

The Public Works Department continues to empty garbage and recycling at all of the City parks on Monday's and Friday's. All of the parks and city properties have been power swept and the fence lines blown out.

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, all of the City parks have been shut down including removing the basketball hoops and no nets have been installed on the other courts.

Staff is in the process of starting the sprinkler systems at all of the City properties. The fountain was installed at Triangle Pond.

The Public Works Department removed a portion of a playground at Terrace Park so that the new structure, that was received over the winter, can be installed. Staff has spread all of the parks with crab grass preventer and will be fertilizing in a couple weeks.

We have been out patching our seal coat area; which is east of Hwy 65. A total 16 tons has been put down so far. All of the City streets have been swept and all of the sweepings have been recycled. All of the asphalt from our water main breaks have been screened so we only have to haul asphalt and concrete to commercial asphalt. All of the fire hydrants have been flushed and were in working order.

On April 8 and 15, I attended staff meetings and on April 22, I met with Stantec and Hy-Vee to inspect all of the utilities.

I have been monitoring the progress of the Garfield pond project.

This concludes my monthly report and I would be happy to answer any questions.



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