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TO:	City Council
FROM:	Carolyn Sourek, Public Works Director
DATE:	Meeting Date February 20, 2025
SUBJECT:	Council Update

Water:

- Big kudos to the PW crew for the sizable repair completed earlier this month on a broken line near Loop and Bone. Given the multiple breaks in this area, we will be adding replacement/relocation of this cross county line to the Capital Improvement Program
- Long Term Water Supply Study advances received Draft Tech Memo on future demand projections
- Cascade Ave Utility Improvements community meeting held to discuss impacts, well attended and good discussion

WW:

- WWTP advances training and startup are primary tasks, also cleaning of existing oxidation ditch installation of bubble diffusers
- Pump station project substantially complete, all pump stations operational, punchlist items in progress
- 2024 Reports due this month and already submitted big pat on the back to our WWTP Supervisor, Devon Groom for much of the initial preparation
- Cascade Ave Utility Improvements reported above
- City to host (hopefully co-host with County) Septic Information forum 3/18 at 530p

Streets:

- 1st Street Pedestrian Overlook substantially complete, punchlist items in progress (includes revisions to striping), ribbon cutting in the Spring/Summer
- Lasher Street Improvements community survey pushed out this week, community meeting 2/25 for local community to weigh in on proposed alternatives
- Spruce Up Squad (with SDA) kicking off against for downtown maintenance support
- BNSF closure yesterday, partnered with the City on gravel road east of Cascade Ave deferred maintenance

Equipment:

• No updates

Parks:

• With Jeremy Johnson on board, we are looking at deferred maintenance in Walnut Park

Staff:

- Staffing transition at the start of this month Gordy Rosander has moved to WWTPO I and Cody Rosander has moved to PW Supervisor
- Jon Dexter has transitioned to our Water System Point of Contact person (has both WWTPO II and WDM II certifications)