

City Council Meeting Agenda Item Data Sheet

Meeting Date: August 7, 2023

Topic:

Presentation, ~~discussion~~discussion, and possible action regarding citywide mowing operations.

Background:

In September 2019, City Council approved a resolution of exchanging right-of-way maintenance with Harris County. The rights-of-way exchange agreement allowed for the City of Tomball to take on the responsibility of maintaining 14,522 feet of right-of-way along portions of Quinn Road, Inwood Street, Hicks Street, Graham Drive, Medical Complex Drive, Hirschfield Road, High Meadow Road, Alice Road and Snook Lane. Harris Country assumed the responsibility of maintaining the right-of-way along 11,304 feet of Brown Road, Zion Road, Calvert Road, Park Road, and Tomball Cemetery Road.

~~The Public~~The Public Works department currently maintains approximately 40 properties, parks, drainage ways, rights-of-way and alleys. The acreage maintained is an estimated 252 acres. Mowing operations are typically from March to December. Parks are mowed on a weekly basis, while rights-of-ways, alleys and drainage ways are mowed monthly or on an as needed basis.

Origination: Public Works Department

Recommendation:

n/a

Party(ies) responsible for placing this item on agenda:

Drew Huffman, Public Works
Director

FUNDING (IF APPLICABLE)

Are funds specifically designated in the current budget for the full amount required for this purpose?

Yes: _____ No: _____ If yes, specify Account Number: # _____

If no, funds will be transferred from account # _____ To account # _____

Signed _____
Staff Member Date

Approved by _____
City Manager Date