

Westwood Public Works Monthly Report

TO: GOVERNING BODY
FROM: JOHN SULLIVAN, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS
RE: MONTHLY REPORT, JULY 2026
DATE: AUGUST 11, 2026

Some of the activities for Public Works in July include:

1. Daily collection of trash from City Hall and City Parks.
2. Perform a weekly inspection of the playground equipment and park facilities.
3. We emptied and serviced the pet waste dispensers throughout the city, 9 in all.
4. Perform a weekly inspection of the traffic control signs throughout the city; replace poles and signs as required.
5. I prepared the Purchase Orders and documentation for those purchases.
6. Performed routine maintenance at the City Hall to include the service of the air handling equipment, re-lamping fixtures and repairing or installing appurtenances including plumbing fixtures.
7. I represented the city at various meetings to include:
KCMMB Board Meeting – local venue – 1.5 Hrs.
Pre-Construction Meeting W. 47th Street & Rainbow Blvd. – local venue- 1.5 Hrs.
8. Received, via email, Kansas One-Call Locate Requests, advised callers of their status with the City of Westwood regarding utilities and advised, when appropriate, the need to either get an excavation permit, building permit or fence permit. I provided the building official with a copy of the locate requests for follow-up for any building permits that may be required and answered any questions when asked.
9. We performed routine maintenance on the Public Works vehicles and equipment to include fluid services, cleaning, and general repairs.
10. Routine maintenance of the Public Works Facility to include the air handling equipment, plumbing, electrical, and cleaning.
11. Performed various clerical duties for the Public Works Department's daily functions.
12. I attended Public Works, City Council and Staff and Committee meetings as required.
13. Observed activities associated with ROW Permits.
14. We marked streetlight and traffic signal utilities when requested by the One-Call System.
15. We performed monthly safety checks at all City properties as well as monthly fire extinguisher inspections.
16. We swept Westwood Streets.
17. We checked and cleaned roof drains at City Hall.
18. We repaired potholes city wide.
19. We perform seasonal lawn mowing, various properties.
20. We water the plants in the islands and corners on Belinder 3 times a week, and water flowers at City Hall.

21. We sprayed non-selective herbicide on the sidewalk and curb for unwanted vegetation.
22. We edged the perimeter sidewalks and curbs.
23. We trimmed some trees from in front of traffic control devices.

This concludes my activities report for some of the activities for Public Works in July.