

City of Auburn, Maine

Public Services



TO: Auburn Residents
FROM: Public Services
RE: Public Services Weekly Report
DATE: Week Ending June 26, 2015

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- The Assistant City Engineer Worked on tax map updates for the past tax year. Splits, merges, right of way takings, and corrections. Produced CAD files and sketches for updating of GIS and assessing records. This is an ongoing task.
 1. Attended Neighborhood Revitalization Plan update meeting. Provided Bike/Ped and complete street information to consultant, Mark Eyerman.
 2. Worked on additional Temporary Construction Rights needed on South Main St. Negotiated modification to existing easement at 213 South Main.
 3. Attended the LA Bike/Ped Committee meeting.
 4. This week we had 14 work orders for APS. PD had 4, we had 2 PM and 1 for work other went to Lee Auto for warranty work.
- 2nd shift had 4 work orders all complete we have three vehicle down , some we are waiting on parts or the wrong parts came in. 34 is down at NORTRAX having work done and # 20 is still over Morrison & Sylvester. We have 7 trucks that have recall notice's Mark is setting them up to be done. It may not be until August that the parts will be in for the trucks.
- our 2nd shift mechanic 's wife is due to be having a baby soon. When that happens we will not have a 2nd shift mechanic on duty of 3 weeks.
- The Excavation Technician was busy marking out dig safe's, inspecting both private and street excavations, reviewing and issuing Fill, Drive Opening permits as well as billing and continues GIS work.
- Patching crews were out and about patching pot holes throughout the city in order to preserve our roads.
- Parks crews were busy mowing Evergreen Cemetery, Fitz Cemetery, Turner St Cemetery, N. Auburn Rd Cemetery, Plains Cemetery, cleaned up around the Auburn Welcome signs, Lake Shore Dr. Island, Joline Dr. Area, Lake Grove Park, Mall area, Veterans Bridge Area, Bonny Park, Moulton Park, Raymond Park, Little Andy Park, Chestnut Park, Pettengill Park, Dennison St. area, and the boat launch area.

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- Parks crews were also watering flower beds, visiting the numerous sites to empty trash cans.
- Crews were busy conducting traffic control while the Guardrails were repaired at Washington St., Wilson Hill Rd, 3121 Hotel Rd and Union St.
- Crews were busy investigating and repairing sink holes around the city.
- The basin cleaning crew is working diligently on 15 and 36's run, this week they cleaned approximately 50 basins.
- The ball field will be complete at the end of the week, Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at Pettengill Softball Field, 48 Pettengill Park Road, Auburn, on Monday, June 29, 2015 at 5:30 pm to celebrate the completion of the project
- Tree trimming is complete at Chestnut Park
- 2015 MPI Project- Broad Street Mill & Overlay. AWSO is upgrading the water main from Mill Street to Eighth Street. The paving portion of the project is scheduled to begin in July.
- 2014 MPI Project- Lake Street (Park Ave to the CUL). Surface pavement is scheduled for June 22-23.
- 2015 Reclamation Project- Valview Dr, Summer St. (Park Ave to Mount Auburn Ave) Project awarded to Gendron and Gendron. Anticipated start date mid July.
- 2015 Reconstruction Project- Davis Ave, Seventh St and Tyler St. Drainage and box-cut completed on Tyler Street. Base pavement scheduled for Friday. Work to start on Davis Ave next week.
- Perkins Ridge Road Culvert Replacement- Test borings were drilled last week and a bearing capacity for the existing soil will be determined.
- Stormwater Management- DEP audit was held on 5/6/2015, waiting for feedback within 45 days.
- 2015 Demolition Project- hazardous material removal is partially complete. Demolition contract is out to bid, opening date June 23rd.
- 2015 Construction on Riverside Drive has begun and will continue all summer, the contractor awarded the job is Saint Laurent.
- Goff Hill is stabilized; it was a two day project (Ted Berry) is gathering information on the project to send back for documentation. The crew did a great job it.
- Oak Hill sink hole has been repaired.
- There have been two reports of sinkholes on Amberly Way; crews are out repairing it. Gary J., will check to see if an easement is available.
- Lake Grove Park the flag pole was installed; crews smoothed the ground/holes for the opening.
- Crews were busy picking up the Bells as requested by Councilor Walker, to be brought to PW building where he and Alan washed them while they were on the trailer. Crews delivered the bells today to the Franco American Center in Lewiston.