

City of Auburn, Maine

Public Services



TO: Auburn Residents
FROM: Auburn Public Services
RE: Public Services Weekly Report
DATE: Week Ending June 5, 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.
 - Attended meeting of staff and Mark Eyerman, consultant, to begin preparation of a Community Revitalization Plan.
 - Made street addressing changes and updates through the ESCB GeoLynx server.
 - Worked on updates to ATRC sidewalk inventory.
 - Reviewed updated plans for proposed Southern Maine Auto Auction.
 - Had Employee Evaluation Review with Dan.
 - Reviewed City of Brewer Street Excavation Ordinance for comparison to Auburns, specifically in areas of penalties for improper work.
 - Reviewed plans in attempt to determine cause of sink hole on Pleasant St adjacent to the Baptist Church.
 - Provided right of way determination to Highway for 1610 Perkins Ridge Rd. Stonewall being constructed by property owner between mailbox post and street.
- 2015 MPI Project- Broad Street Mill & Overlay. AWSD is upgrading the water main from Mill Street to Eighth Street. The paving portion of the project is scheduled to begin July 1st.
- 2014 MPI Project- Lake Street (Park Ave to the CUL). Contractor has built sidewalks from Park Ave to Birch St. and Park Ave to Sherman Ave. 90% of the sidewalks have received the first layer of pavement. Fill/loam is being placed behind sidewalks.
- 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. Longchamps successful low bidder. Drainage pipe is being installed on Tyler Street.
- Perkins Ridge Road Culvert Replacement- footings are being designed and plans are being generated.

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- Stormwater Management- DEP audit was held on 5/6/2015, waiting for feedback within 45 days.
- 2015 Demolition Project- hazardous material removal contract is being awarded to R.J. Enterprises. Work to start today on 181 Manley Road.
- 2015 Construction on Riverside Drive has begun and will continue all summer, the contractor awarded the job is Saint Laurent
- Sweeping for me last Friday and today and tomorrow. Monday Tuesday moving our sand from K&K's pit to ours also cleaning catch basins Monday and Tuesday. Work zone and flagger training for 2 new employees
- Crews cleaned approximately 80 catch basins out this week, with many more to go.
- Crews were trained in both classroom and in the field for Confined Space
- Crews are working around the City's Green Spaces, by picking up litter and changing out trash cans in areas which include, Lake View Park, Chestnut Park, Union St. Park Pettengill Park, Athletic Fields, Auburn Hall/Parking Garage, Downtown Area, bus stops just to name a few.
- Crews were trying to catch up with mowing due to the two days of rain. Locations were Union St, Old Police Station, Rotary, Washington St., Lane Cemetery, Lake Grove Park
- Crews are out planting and watering flowers in the mediums.
- This week fleet had 8 APS work orders, 5 were completed, 3 APD along with 1 SI, 2 PM, and Night shift had 4 all complete.
- Mechanics are still working on a list of PMs. It will take some time to catch up on the backlog, while also doing the day to day work as it comes in.
- Crews continued working on vehicle #7, it would have been done but other items came up that had to take priority, it will be done soon. Truck # 2 is being stripped down to have the rear body work done, with any other work it may need(brakes, springs, rotors, hoses and belts)
- Crews were out patching pot holes on South Main, Broad, Cook, Fifth, North River Road and a few that were called in throughout the day.
- 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.
- Ted Barry and Public Works will be cleaning out the storm drains next week at the ash landfill.
- 2015 Crack Seal bid documents are being prepared