



City of Pataskala
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Public Services Report to Council

➤ **2016 Streets Program**

1. The Street Department will continue with planned ditch and berm work on Hollow Rd. until complete.
2. Minor punch-list work remaining on contract work.
3. The project came in at \$43,198.92 under budget.

➤ **2017 Streets Program**

1. RAMP document and street review is underway.

➤ **Mink Street Phase III Project (Mink and Broad)**

1. The House
 - a. Lien on property has been lifted.
 - b. Purchase of property including house is currently being negotiated with owner.
2. Budget
 - a. Review with City Administrator and Consulting Engineer has led to the realization of potential cost savings.
 - i. As this project has been on hold, and there are unknowns yet to be resolved, a projected budget has not yet been evaluated; projected budget will be reported after analysis.
3. Schedule
 - a. The City is working with the contractor to expedite work, but the project has been, and will continue to be delayed until resolution of the house issue.

➤ **Main Street Project**

1. Electrical
 - a. Fair Service
 - i. Easement has been obtained for fair service, and work is in progress.
 - b. Underground Power
 - i. There are resident concerns regarding the easements requested by AEP to install power underground on the west side of Main St.
 - ii. The City continues to work with AEP and residents to address these concerns.
2. Fire hydrant at Atkinson has been replaced.
3. Budget
 - a. The budget has been reviewed, and current projections indicate that the project will be finished under budget.

4. Schedule
 - a. The project is substantially complete (with the exception of electrical work that has been delayed beyond the control of the contractor).
 - b. Lane closures using flaggers may still occur intermittently to complete minor tasks.
5. ODOT
 - a. Schedule
 - i. Current schedule indicates that all paving work will be completed prior to the street fair.
 - ii. Final adjustment of valves and manholes to be determined.

➤ **Mink Street Phase IV Project**

1. R/W acquisition is in progress.
2. Second status meeting was held July 13.
 - a. Acquisition process is tracking on schedule for June 30, 2017 certification.
3. Construction is scheduled for summer 2018.

➤ **Columbia Road Bridge Project**

1. Stage III plans have been submitted.
2. Acquisition process is scheduled to begin in fall 2016.
3. Construction is scheduled to begin in summer 2017.

➤ **Taylor Road Path Project**

1. Stage III plans have been submitted.
2. Construction is scheduled to begin in spring of 2018.

➤ **Public Service Department**

1. Roadway Maintenance
 - a. The City is actively engaged in pothole patching, dura-patching, berming, and crack sealing operations.
 - i. In progress and scheduled projects include:
 1. Dura-patching
 - a. Barrington Ridge Subdivision
 - b. Hazelwood Subdivision
 - c. Homesteads of the Border Place
 - d. Creek Road
 - e. Columbia Road
 2. Crack sealing
 - a. Legacy Estates Subdivision
 - b. Taylor Glen West
 - c. Linda Ave.
 - d. Cedar St.
 - e. High St. (north of RR tracks)
2. Storm water Management
 - a. The department continues to work with the community to identify areas of poor drainage and employ responsible solutions to mitigate them.
 - i. Large scale efforts to be studied include:

1. Kylemore subdivision
2. Halloon Lane
3. Oak Haven/Broadview crossing
- b. The department has been making efforts to restore drainage by conducting ditch cleaning, berm cutting, and culvert replacement operations.
 - i. Recently completed projects include:
 1. Ditch cleaning and culvert replacement at 117 Veasey Lane
 2. Installation of catch basin and storm sewer on Linda Ave.
 - ii. In progress and scheduled projects include:
 1. Drainage improvements near 14341 Cleveland Rd.
 2. Storm line repair near 110 S. Main St.
 3. Drainage improvements at Alward Rd. and Headley's Mill Rd.
 4. Catch basin at Conaway's Auto on Front St.
3. Bridges
 - a. Bridge inspections are scheduled for late summer/early fall through the ODOT program.
 - b. This is the last year of the current ODOT program, but there is speculation that the program will be renewed.
4. Initiatives
 - a. Made contact with the Railroad and will be coordinating to address crossings and drainage within railroad right-of-way.
 - b. Columbia Rd. box culvert replacement - OPWC application
 - i. Working with the City Engineer to scope a project that will replace the existing box culvert on Columbia Rd. south of Mill Street that is in poor repair, pipe in approximately 300' of ditch, and widen Columbia Rd. in this section.
 - c. Cataloguing and Maintenance of City owned Retention Ponds
 - i. Settlement at Pataskala
 1. Outlet structure silted in causing pond level to be approximately 4' higher than design level and subsequent standing water in storm sewer.
 - a. Cleaned outlet structure and reduced pond to design level.
5. Miscellaneous
 - a. Right-of-ways
 - i. Third round completed, beginning fourth round which will include mowing tree lines back as well as mowing the back sides of ditches.
 - ii. Spraying (around signs, guardrails, and hard to reach areas) will continue on an as needed basis.
 - iii. Tree Removal
 1. The department has been, and will continue to identify and remove dead and diseased trees within the right-of-way throughout the summer.
 - a. Trees scheduled to be removed:
 - i. Along right-of-way between Broadway and elementary school
 - ii. At northwest corner of Mill St. and Main St.
 - iii. On Township Rd.
 - b. Mosquito spraying
 - i. 2nd round occurred July 27th.
 - ii. No further sprays scheduled, Licking County Health Dept. will continue to monitor and recommend additional spraying as necessary.