



# Weekly Reader

Public Works & Engineering Department

June 16, 2023

## Department Updates

With Old Canal Days behind us, Public Works has been focusing on maintenance work orders. The Street Department spent the week **street sweeping, trimming parkway trees, and repairing and upgrading streetlights**. The Water Department has been **painting fire hydrants**. A fresh coat of paint makes hydrants **more visible to fire fighters** when they need to find them at night, when it's raining, and when there is snow on the ground.

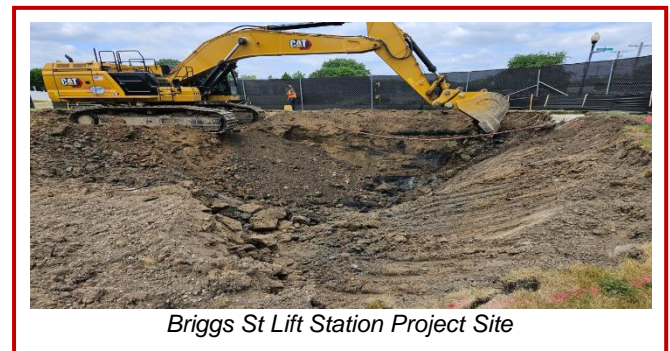
The **Sewer Department** is continuing work on the **Aeration Tanks Repair Project**. Aeration tanks 3 & 4 have been drained and are ready for a deep cleaning! Our crew will **remove each diffuser and membrane, clean them, and clamp on a new membrane**. JLJ Contracting, Inc. is scheduled to start the **aeration tank wall repairs** on June 26.

## Project Updates

- **16<sup>th</sup> St & Madison St Reconstruction Project** - Curb has been installed from 18<sup>th</sup> St to Division St on Lawrence Ave, Madison St, and 17<sup>th</sup> St, as well as 16<sup>th</sup> St from Madison St to Washington St. Curb installation on 16<sup>th</sup> St from Washington St to Division St is planned for next week. Concrete aprons and sidewalks were completed this week. Binder pavement is scheduled to begin June 17 from 18<sup>th</sup> St to Division St, followed by 16<sup>th</sup> St from Madison St to Washington St. Curb and sidewalk along Madison St from Division St to 9<sup>th</sup> St has been removed, and pouring will begin next week.
- **2023 Resurfacing Project** - Gallagher Asphalt completed the resurfacing of Bruce Rd, west of Briggs St. Parking lot improvements began at the Public Works & Engineering Facility. Work will continue next week before moving to Peachtree Ln & Strawberry Hill Dr.
- **Briggs St Lift Station Replacement Project** - J. Russ and Company began excavating an opening, approximately 50'x50'x48', to accommodate safety shoring and construction of the Briggs St Lift Station. Excavation and shoring activities are anticipated to occur through June 24.



Public Works & Engineering Parking Lot



Briggs St Lift Station Project Site

## Rain Barrel & Composter Pick-up

Residents who purchased rain barrels and/or composters through the City's sale will be able to pick them up June 19-23 at the Public Works & Engineering facility, located at 17112 S Prime Blvd. The pickup hours are 7:30am-3pm.