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NO MEETING
Below is the Director's
Report for your review

A G E N D A
OPERATIONS COMMITTEE
Wednesday, June 3, 2020
MEETING CANCELLED
Council Chambers
Fairview Heights City Hall
10025 Bunkum Road

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Approval of Minutes –

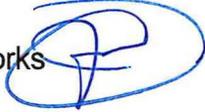
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Memo

To: Elected Officials
From: John Harty-Director of Public Works
CC: Directors
Date: June 1, 2020
Re: Public Works Director's Report



Director's Report - Project Updates

Union Hill/Longacre Signals

This project suffered through a couple of delays based on an Ameren high pressure gas main project that occurred earlier this year and a redesign of the signal mast arms based on field conditions. Those issues have been worked through and the project would be ready to start except that the signal mast arm that controls west bound Longacre Drive had to be redesigned, the original arm could not be installed with all of the overhead wiring that currently exists. There will be, in place of the original mast arm, two post type signal devices that will control the traffic from the west and north portions of the intersection.

The post type signal devices have been ordered and should arrive in about three weeks; at that time work will begin on the intersection of Longacre and Union Hill. The current budget passed in April includes funding for this project as 80% is being contributed by the Federal government. The contract price for the improvements, as bid by Hank's Excavating & Landscaping, is \$254,113.91 leaving the City responsible for \$50,822.78 which will be covered by the State and invoiced periodically.

Hollandia Sanitary and Storm Drainage Improvements

The sanitary sewer portion of this project has been completed since late last year leaving the drainage improvements yet to be completed. The contractor has been working through high groundwater issues along with spring-type

rains but should be complete in the next couple of weeks. Below is a photo taken from a couple of weeks ago showing the new retaining wall and paved swale.



There will be a trash rack installed over concrete swale and attached to the retaining wall in an effort to collect random debris that makes its way into Lake Jubaka from areas upstream. This Permanent Easement will be monitored by the Street Crew for trash and removed accordingly from time to time.

The contractor still needs to grade and seed the entire area, upon completion this project will be essentially finished with the exception of punch list items.

Old Collinsville Road Right Turn Lane at Ashland Avenue

This project is a proposed joint effort between St. Clair County and the City of Fairview Heights for which an Intergovernmental Agreement has yet to be executed. St. Clair County has recently submitted a draft agreement to this office which will be presented at the July Public Works Committee meeting.

The project was removed from the CIP/Home Rule portion of the budget in April as at that time, there was no agreement and additionally as an expenditure reduction. The subject will be presented at the next Finance Committee meeting in an effort to identify this CIP item as a project for the current budget year and also identify the funding sources. Should this be included on the current CIP, the funding sources will be a Federal grant (CMAQ) for 80% of engineering, construction and right-of-way purchase and the Motor Fuel Tax account for the local agency match. For budget purposes the entire project costs for the City will be listed as grants.

There will be a more detailed narrative on the topic as an attachment to the Finance Committee agenda.