

**STORM WATER COMMITTEE MINUTES
JANUARY 4, 2022**

The Storm Water Committee meeting was held on January 4, 2022 at North Royalton City Hall, 14600 State Road. The meeting was called to order at 6:23 p.m.

PRESENT: Committee Members: Chair Linda Barath, John Nickell, Mike Wos; Council: Paul Marnecheck, Jeremy Dietrich, Dawn Carbone-McDonald, Joanne Krejci; Administration: Mayor Larry Antoskiewicz, City Engineer Justin Haselton, Law Director Tom Kelly, Service Director Nick Cinquepalmi, Wastewater Superintendent Mark Smith; **Other**: Jessica Fenos, Vincent Weimer, Michael McDonald.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of the November 3, 2021 Committee meeting minutes. Minutes were accepted.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

1. Storm Water/Infrastructure Maintenance Monthly Report

Mr. Smith provided a copy of the report. Mr. Nickell asked about the recent issue at Applewood Drive; what kind of pipe had been leaking. Mr. Smith reported that a repair was done on the corner where there had been a separation of a large pipe there.

Ms. Barath raised question regarding the creek behind Stephanie Drive, in which she did not hear back. Mr. Smith indicated that he would send Ms. Barath information tomorrow of what happened there.

Mr. Wos brought up a resident that lives on Edgerton and Bennett Road who had expressed his thanks to the Mayor for tackling that issue where the pipe was crushed on City property. The gentleman was very happy; there had been problems with water going into his garage.

2. Maintenance Projects

Mr. Haselton provided an update on one project. He had checked with the sewer district for an update, in which they are doing the sewer protection and stream stabilization project behind the Service Center. That started in November and they have been making progress.

Ms. Barath wanted to know if he knew anything about the Sprague Road project; upstream. Mr. Haselton clarified that it is supposed to start in the Spring.

3. Turnpike Mitigation

Mr. Haselton indicated that they are working and received the go ahead from the City. They have been working with ODOT (Ohio Department of Transportation). Engineering will not be complete until December of this year and it is a longer-term project. Progress is being made and it is moving along.

4. York Road Property

Mr. Kelly advised that on the January 18th agenda, there would be an ordinance to consider giving us the authority to take the property. Council has already passed an ordinance, which was called the resolution of necessity; required by statute. This gave us the opportunity and duty to then notify all of the potential owners and claimants. If the ordinance passes on January 18th and the Mayor signs it, we should have the complaint filed by the end of the month. He cannot predict when the probate court will allow us to actually take the title to the property, however, we are moving forward.

6. Cleaning the Mains

Mr. Smith reported that they continue to plug away at cleaning some of the larger mains, as well as some of the smaller ones. They are still waiting for some equipment to come in. As mentioned before, the vacuum truck is here. They have a cart that can be pushed into the mains, whereas they can do the work themselves; it would be a lot cheaper. Mr. Nickell asked about the process of how that is done. Mr. Marnecheck wanted to know if the cart goes around and seals the joints. Mr. Smith explained no, that they physically shovel the mains. Mayor Antoskiewicz clarified that it is to clean the mains. Ms. Barath questioned if any large items have been found during this process. Mr. Smith indicated that they have found large tires and a lot of concrete, among other things.

Mr. Smith expressed that he was very proud of the storm crew; they have accomplished a lot. They would continue to move forward. Mr. Nickell expressed his appreciation as well, with all that has gotten accomplished in recent years. Mayor Antoskiewicz spoke positively about noticing a difference. He continued that we have the other vac truck as well, and we got another crew out there when Mr. Smith said it was needed. He was positive about all of the mains getting cleaned.

Mr. Dietrich recalled Mr. Smith started in Ward 1 for this project. He asked about the time previously mentioned that it would probably take to clean all of the mains in the City; as roughly 5 years. Mr. Smith concurred, that throughout the whole city and in order of the ward. He has areas that have had calls and would still get to those areas. They are not done with Ward 1; however, they are getting there and they just obtained a new truck. We will see more movement, Mr. Smith stated.

Mr. Marnecheck asked for a reminder about diameter, what the smallest diameter of a main is, that they would do in this program. Mr. Smith explained that the biggest ones were roughly 48, and they have some 60's; those are large mains. He continued that they close the smaller mains with the vac truck. Mr. Marnecheck inquired whether they are just going through with the length of it when on a road, and not by the ward; in other words, staying on track with the road they are already on. Mr. Smith agreed. If they get into another ward on a street, they would continue.

Mr. Dietrich commented that once started, he would like to stay updated with the locations of where they are. Mr. Smith indicated that as they are completed, he can let it be known when they are done. Mr. Carbone-McDonald agreed with Mr. Dietrich, so that residents can be updated. Mr. Smith did not want anyone to get confused; if someone calls and there is a problem in that area, that is where they will address it. He went on to say that when cleaning the mains, they still have to do 'every day work' if calls are received from residents. Cleaning the mains is preventative; they have a crew that will go out and address other problems as well.

NEW BUSINESS

There was none.

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Mr. Nickell, seconded by Ms. Carbone-McDonald **to adjourn the January 4, 2022 meeting.** Yeas: 3; Nays: 0. **Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 6:35 p.m.**

Stormwater Jobs

November 2021

Property Address	Work performed	Date
4700 Bunker	removed fallen tree at culvert outlet	1-Nov
8098 Tilby	sawcut apron for removal	1-Nov
B plant	moved pipe from rec to B plant	1-Nov
8098 Tilby	tore out apron and culvert and installed culvert	2-Nov
Spyglass	cleaned storm mains and catch basins	2-Nov
8098 Tilby	set up apron for concrete	3-Nov
10889 W 130th	redefined ditch	3-Nov
Spyglass	cleaned storm mains and catch basins	3-Nov
Sherwood Estates	cleaned storm mains and catch basins	3-Nov
6230 Bunker	replaced broken manhole lid	4-Nov
8098 Tilby	poured concrete apron	4-Nov
Sherwood Estates	cleaned storm mains and catch basins	4-Nov
5571-5631 Goodman	filled sinkholes	4-Nov
10040 Applewood	televised line from drain to main and lateral	5-Nov
8098 Tilby	topsoiled around apron	5-Nov
8013 Edgerton	topsoiled around apron	5-Nov
8098 Tilby	sawcut apron	8-Nov
13758 Bennett	jet storm lateral	8-Nov
Sherwood Estates	cleaned storm mains and catch basins	8-Nov
9200 Abbey	topsoiled around apron	9-Nov
Gordon St	cleaned storm mains and catch basins	9-Nov
10040 Applewood	repair sinkhole caused by pipe	10-Nov
10040 Applewood	repair sinkhole caused by pipe	11-Nov
10040 Applewood	cleaned and leveled area	12-Nov
17426 Bennett	jet storm lateral	15-Nov
9988 Delsy	readjusted gabion basket that had slipped	16-Nov
17426 Bennett	jet and televised storm lateral	16-Nov
8640 Stephanie	Demo old concrete that was undermined and used it to reinforce creek banks	17-Nov
Chesepeake Development	cleaned storm mains and catch basins	17-Nov
Chesepeake Development	cleaned storm mains and catch basins	18-Nov
Citywide	flood patrol	18-Nov
4901 Oakridge	excavated sinkhole and patched pipe	19-Nov
8700 Boston	repaired sunken gabion baskets	23-Nov

Stormwater Jobs

November 2021

8700 Boston	repaired sunken gabion baskets	24-Nov
Royalhaven	ditched north side	24-Nov
Royalhaven	ditched north side	30-Nov
5571-5631 Goodman	concrete sidewalks leveled	30-Nov

Stormwater Jobs

December 2021

Property Address	Work performed	Date
Royalhaven Dr	ditched north side of street	1-Dec
Royalhaven Dr	ditched north side of street	2-Dec
4015 Royalwood	dye tested sinkhole	3-Dec
Citywide	Flood patrol	6-Dec
8901 Wildwood	attempted to restore swale(could not fit trencher through fences)	8-Dec
4015 Royalwood	patched infiltration in manhole	8-Dec
17426 Bennett	cleaned and televised storm main to locate tap	9-Dec
Parkdale Dr	ditched north side of street	9-Dec
Tilby and Royalhaven	televised culvert that runs underneath Royalhaven	9-Dec
Parkdale Dr	ditched north side of street	10-Dec
8490 Royalhaven	dye tested house	10-Dec
4229 Sprague	moved leaves from ditch	13-Dec
4351 Sprague	moved leaves from ditch	13-Dec
Royalhaven Dr	jet/cleaned blocked culverts	13-Dec
13864 Oakbrook	jet/cleaned storm lateral	14-Dec
Parkdale Dr	ditched north side of street	14-Dec
Royalhaven Dr	jet/cleaned blocked culverts	14-Dec
Parkdale Dr	ditched north side of street	15-Dec
17426 Bennett	televised storm main to locate tap	15-Dec
17426 Bennett	located storm lateral and tied into main	16-Dec
Parkdale Dr	ditched north side of street	17-Dec
Royalhaven and Parkdale	jet/cleaned blocked culverts	17-Dec
17426 Bennett	cleaned up excavated area	21-Dec
Parkdale Dr	ditched north side of street	21-Dec
Royalhaven Dr	redefined ditches	21-Dec
Royalhaven Dr	redefined ditches	22-Dec
Royalhaven Dr	redefined ditches	23-Dec
11471 Lisa Ln	checked/dyestded sinkhole near catch basin	28-Dec
17980 Bennett	jet/cleaned storm main	28-Dec
Edgerton and Bennett	removed crushed piping and re-established creek	29-Dec
Edgerton and Bennett	removed crushed piping and re-established creek	30-Dec