November 26th, 2019

Public Works Report

Gravel Roads

Graders are continuing their efforts in mitigating the ice build-up found on several roadways.

Additional gravel is being laid on school bus routes to provide traction for safe operations.

Surfaced Roads

The placement of snow fencing began the week of November 25th.

Patching of any surfaced roads, and, SB-90 dust suppressions requiring maintenance, will only proceed when weather and road conditions permit during the winter season.

Pickling and stacking of winter sanding material for both the North and South (Caroline) facilities has been completed.

Staff will continue to monitor weather forecasts and road conditions, and, plows will be dispatched as required.

Maintenance

Lacombe County equipment is currently in the Smith Gravel Pit performing reclamation work in phase one along with the stripping of overburden and topsoil in phase two. Anticipate work to be completed by the end of December 2019.

Upgrades to the Condor Wastewater Lagoon will have a phase break and continue in the spring of 2020. Work to be completed, within 2020, is the installation of the new liner within the lagoon storage cell. Commissioning of the facultative cell, with upgrades, has been completed.

The Leslieville School grounds wastewater force-main relocation construction project has been completed. Additional landscaping to be completed in the spring of 2020.

Construction, for the replacement of bridge structure BF 02232, south of Withrow (SE-28-39-4-W5), has been completed.

Repair work, to bridge structure BF 70327, located at SE 17-40-05-W5M on Township Road 40-2, just west of Range Road 5-4 (by Leslieville), has been completed.

The concrete bases, for eleven Nordegg Street Lights along Stuart Street, have been poured and set. The individual poles have been stood and the lights will be installed in 2020.

The Beaver trapping program has been completed. A total of 77 beavers were trapped.

Gravel Road Rehabilitation

All projects have been completed for this construction season. Staff have commenced planning for next years construction program.

Base Pave

The tender for the Tami Road base/ pave project is now closed. Tender results will be brought forward to Council at the next scheduled Council meeting.

Nordegg

Nordegg Historic Core

The tender for construction of this project is scheduled to be advertised by the end of November.

Facilities

Condor Public Services Building

Addressing minor deficiencies is still ongoing including the final adjustments of the water fill stations, commissioning the backup generator, installation of the wash bay curtain, perimeter fencing and rear yard gravelling.

Old Blue Fire Hall

Demolition of this building has commenced and should be completed in the following weeks.

Nordegg Heritage Centre

The contractor is continuing to work on renovations on the top floor of the Heritage Centre.

New Washroom Facility (Heritage Centre)

The two stall bathroom (18x8) is currently framed and sided with final plumbing and paint yet to be completed.

Road Bans:

Order by the Vehicle Weights Committee of Clearwater County

Highway Order No. 03/19

Defining Maximum Allowable Weights Permitted On Certain Municipal Roads

Pursuant to the Authority granted by the Minister of Transportation and Utilities under the Traffic Safety Act, the Vehicles Weights Committee orders that effective 8:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 5, 2019.

Percentage Axle Weights for Highways are:

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HIGHWAY NO.	LOCATION	% AXLE
Arbutus Rd RR 6-3 & 6-1	From Hwy #11 to Butte Hall Rd	WEIGHTS
		100%
Airport Road Access	From One Mile north of TWP Rd 40-0 to Airport	100%
Alhambra Rd RR 5-4	From Hwy #11 to SH598	100%
Beaver Flats Rd RR 6-0	From Hwy #598 to Hwy #12	100%
Bunch Road Rge Rd 5-4	From Hwy #598 North to Twp Rd 40-0	100%
Burnstick Lake Rd RR 6-3	From Hwy #54 to 9 km South	100%
Caroline North RR 6-1	From Hwy #54 North 10.5 kms to Butte Hall Rd Twp Rd 37-3	100%
Caroline South Rd RR 6-1	From the Village of Caroline South to extension of #587	100%
Cougar Ridge Twp Rd 38-5	From Hwy752 East 1/4 mile Cougar Ridge Access Rd & Subdivision	100%
Crammond Rd TWP RD 35-4	From Hwy #22 East for 8 km	100%
Everdell Rd RR 7-3	From Prairie Creek (Hobbs) Road North to Hwy #752	100%
Golf Course Rd TWP RD 39-5	From Hwy #11A East to the golf course	100%
Greenwood Way, Cul-de-sac	Gravel-Greenwood Way entrance off RR 6-4 - Entire Cul-de-sac	50%
James River Rd RR 5-3	From James River Store on Hwy #587 South to Bridge	100%
Old Dovercourt Rd	From Hwy #11 for 1 km South RR 7-1 & East TWP RD 39-0	100%
Oras Rd RR 6-3	From Junction Hwy #11 North to Hwy #12	100%
Rainbow Ford Rd TWP RD 39-3	From Town/County Boundary East to the Taimi Road	50%
Red Deer River Access Rd	From County Boundary West for 10 km	100%
Wall Street Rd RR 4-3	From Hwy #11 South to County Boundary	100%
Withrow Rd RR 4-3	From Hwy #11 to Rainy Creek Road	100%
Dead End Gravel Road TWP RD 40-4	Gravel - From NE Corner of 20-40-8-W5 West to end of road	50%
This order remains in effect until further notice.		

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