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To: Mayor and City Council
From: Mark A. Kibby, City Administrator
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Re: City Administrator's Report to Council

1. Street Improvement Program: Hardrock Concrete is pouring concrete on the east side of Rosedale Boulevard from Moore Road to Wick Road today. They are removing the concrete and asphalt on the east side of Park Avenue from Champaign Road to Angelique Avenue, in preparation of pouring concrete sometime next week. With the storm sewer pipe installation completed on Philomene Boulevard from Park Avenue to Colwell Avenue, Hardrock Concrete should start removing the old concrete shortly.
2. Concrete Sectioning Program: Savone Cement continues to work on the Wick Road straight-a-ways from Laurence Avenue to Rosedale Boulevard. They will be moving to the area of Shenandoah Avenue and Cicotte Avenue next and then downtown for the alley behind the American Legion and White Avenue near the Community Center.
3. Asphalt Paving Program: The infrastructure improvements for Arno Avenue from Beatrice Avenue to Warwick Avenue have been completed. Waiting for a start date from Al's Asphalt Paving.
4. Water Main Replacement: Bricco Excavating has started the Winona Avenue (Champaign Road to Ecorse Road) project. They will be installing the water main on Thursday.

5. The Bond Closing for the Michigan Transportation Fund Bond (\$9.5 million) and the Capital Improvement Bond (\$2.5 million) is scheduled for September 1st. The MTF Bond is for the reconstruction of Rosedale Boulevard from Champaign Road to Southfield Road and Reeck Road from Goddard Road to Wick Road. The CI Bond is for the water main replacement on Reeck Road from Goddard Road to Wick Road.
6. SME Environmental will be starting a Phase I Environmental Assessment at 6834 Park Avenue, as part of the DCC Brownfield Consortium Assessment Grant.
7. The ice surface at the Ice Arena will be ready on August 27th.
8. The Fire Department is planning to host their 2022 Open House on Sunday, October 9th from 12:00 to 3:00 PM.
9. The City Administrator, Sandi Blakney, and Dan Blakney meet last week with Architects from the Detroit Architectural Group to look over the existing conditions of the Library so a plan for moving forward can be developed.