

# **PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR REPORT BY– MICHAEL BENNETT**

**June 16, 2023 to July 13, 2023**

## **In the Water Department:**

- Changed meters.
- Worked on repairs.
- Took routine water samples.
- Changed daily totalizer chart.
- Calculated daily usage.
- Took chlorine residuals.
- Swept and mopped water plant.
- Shut off delinquent accounts.
- Water Survey are still being turned in  
**MANDATORY RESPONSE REQUIRED**
- Will be taking Lead and Copper samples in August.
- Took THM's and HAA water samples.
- Will be flushing hydrants in August.
- Repaired/replaced two broken bonnets.
- All Zenner water meters have been changed except for two. Will schedule these two to be replaced.
- Had a meeting with our village engineer Donahue about water main replacements for Shaw, Delanois, and East Main Streets.
- Lowered curb stop Urbana St.

## **In the Gas Department:**

- Changed meters.
- Worked on repairs.
- Changed daily high/low charts.
- Checked odorizer daily.
- Patrolled gas system.
- Took odorant readings.
- Shut off delinquent accounts.
- Operator-Qualification testing in Sullivan on Purging and Abandonment on 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> of June, all attended.
- Performed quarterly patrolling of the gas system.
- Finished reading meters.
- Will be taking Pipe-to-Soil readings in all sections for the cathodic protection.
- Will have a seminar in Mt. Vernon with the Illinois Commerce Commission.
- Will be having our town border station regulators and main relief tested.
- **WILL BE SHUTTING OFF ALL DELINQUENT GAS AND WATER ACCOUNTS**

## **In Village Business:**

- Mowed Ellsworth to Jules along Cook St Mowed grass, weed eaten and put weed killer down: Village park, retention pond, police station, Bridgett St. hill & Solomon @Bridgett, north & south water towers, 3 gas houses, Depot, Village lots: E. Main; across from DQ & on Madison, Pump Station, end of Park and Maple St., S. Ranch ditch, end of Virginia St., weed eat East and West Main, Rt. 1 city limits to city limits both sides of road, City Hall
- Weed killer East and West Main Streets and Route 1.
- Mowed and trimmed all bushes at the Depot; pull bushes & fill with dirt.
- Put up Railroad sign at Depot.
- Mowed & cleaned alleys: Cook, Jules, Brook St.
- Filled potholes W. Ellsworth
- Mowed vacant properties: Jules, McKinley, S. State x2, N. State, E. Kelly, 225 Victor, 214 Michigan.
- Barricades to Westville Legion/Depot.
- Brakes repaired on F700 Dump Truck
- Had a lot of cleanup due to the storm.
- Will have RC Electric replace the power pole in the park.
- Had Klugow chipped branches throughout town from storm damage and removed multiple trees in the park due to storm damage and for safety.
- Cleaned storm damage throughout village: W. Williams; Williams & Madison; Cook & Moore; W. Oak, Urbana, Danville; Walnut St.; Walnut & Bridget, N. of Delaware, Bridget & Solomon; Washington Ave; Virginia Ave.
- Stop signs to all traffic lights d/t power outages from storm.
- Power Wash north & south pavilions.

JU L I E CALLS	40
Gas & Water Work orders	6
Water Work Orders	19
Gas Work Orders	12
Public Works Work Orders	32
CO Calls	0
Odor Calls	1