

## City Administrator Notes

### Council Meeting

6/14/2021

#### Airport

- Replacement doors are on-site, and work is expected to begin this month.
- Dirt work for new t-hangar taxi-lanes started Monday, June 7<sup>th</sup> as scheduled. Project timeline allows (60) days to complete.
- PAPI (Precision Approach Path Indicator) light problems at airport.

#### Water & Sewer Department

- Water Plant lift station pump has been replaced and is functioning. Existing pumps were 1977 models.
- AT&T damaged water line on Gulf Street June 4<sup>th</sup>. Repairs have been completed.
- Truck on order. Estimated delivery late fall.
- Open positions (2)

#### Electrical Department

- Retail Rate Study results are being finalized. Council presentation by Toth & Associates expected during July council meeting.
- Digger Derek truck has been delivered.
- Truck on order. Estimated delivery late fall.
- Open position (1)

#### Street Department

- Street Department truck has been ordered. Expected delivery end of June 2021.
- Multiple blind ditch installation projects scheduled.
- Tractor and mower are on order. Delivery unknown.
- Open position (1)

#### Water Plant

- (2) bids were received on Thursday, May 27<sup>th</sup> for the drinking water well project. Request for Council to award bid for project.
- Successful bidder is projecting completion of project within the (120) day requested timeline.
- Stand-by generator is being considered for operation of well pump.
- Open position (1)

#### Parks & Rec

- Leisure pool is closed until further notice. Lap pool and indoor pool will continue to operate.
- Expected to open on or before June 14<sup>th</sup>.
- Continuing to struggle to hire staff for pool operation.

#### Landfill Generation Facility

- Guascor #4 head change in process.
- Pre-ordering parts for head swap and top end overhaul. Price increase July. Parts and Labor.
- CAT #2 emission testing has been completed.

#### TATS

- Ride numbers continue to stay steady.
- Average 93 riders as of 6/9/2021.

City of Lamar will have a presence at the June 21<sup>st</sup> Open Air Job Fair at Orschelns Farm & Home parking lot.