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Administrative Update October 19, 2020

- 1. SRTS: The final tracing submittals were provided by ODOT for the Safe Routes to School project. The base bid for all three projects came in at \$240,631.16. The base bid for just the walk path through Memorial Parkway up to the school was \$157,819.76. The two alternatives priced out at \$22,185.62 for Crabapple Drive and \$60,625.78 for Glenn Ave. We are estimating just under \$42,000 for the village share of this project.
- 2. Utility Bills: Because of an error by the utility billing software company we were not able to do a 15-day billing as we had originally planned. Instead, we changed reading dates from September 16th to October 23rd and then from October 24th to November 30th. This allows us to be on track starting December 1.
- 3. New water line: We are in the process of installing a new water between the Gazebo and the legion in that alley way. We are upsizing the line in preparation of doing the same thing in Keller's alley next year.
- 4. Paving: We do have legislation tonight to allow me to advertise and accept bids for paving. We have the bid broken out into two groups. Group one will be done and if there is enough money left over, we will focus on group two.

Group One:

Taylor St. - from Clay St. to West St. 414 S. Patterson St. - vicinity of address High St. - from Frederick St. to E. Findlay St. High St. - from Frederick St. to Grove St.

Group Two:

W. Alley of High St. - from High St. to first N/S Alley E. Alley of High St. - from High St. to Columbus Ave.

5. Fall Cleanup: This item is just a reminder that the Fall Clean Up will take place on Friday October 23rd. Please stay within the established guidelines so we can continue this service to the residents. Those items being a 3-bag limit, no furniture, no auto parts including tires, no TV 's or electronics, no liquid paint and generally no items larger than one person can handle. Please have items to the curb by 7:30 AM. AND please remember, there is a Yard Waste Transfer Station for the disposal of pruning's, limbs, shrubs, leaves and grass clippings.

- 6. Insurance: As we stated two meetings ago, the cost of our insurance plan is only increasing by less than 1% (\$6,416 increase) for the village. We have decided to stick with our current 90/10 plan for the employees. The question I have for council is if the village wants to absorb the increase or if it should be passed along to the employees?
- 7. Planning Commission: There will be a planning commission meeting on October 27th at 6:00pm via zoom. Please contact the administrative office for details to attend.