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To: Honorable Michael S. Cashman
Members of the Town Board

From: Water & Wastewater Department



RE: Water & Wastewater April Report

- Collected all required monthly samples. Also collected PFOA/Dioxane samples for Cadyville Wells 1& 2 and Greater Plattsburgh Well 6.
- Meters read, and inventoried. Skip reports completed.
- Operation Reports to CCDH.
- Review of the monthly Planning Board Meeting regarding upcoming projects.
- There were 166 daily job orders, and 180 locates for DSNY including 11 Emergency.
- There were 6 afterhours callouts.
 1. We were paged to turn water off to a seasonal residence in Cliff Haven that's pipe had frozen and split.
 2. There was an emergency underground for MVA that required replacing two power poles on Tom Miller Road.
 3. We received a call for water pooling in Cliff Haven. This was a false alarm for standing water on top of a manhole cover.
 4. There was a call out for an emergency locate for a pole replacement due to a weather event. This was called in for an incorrect address, there was no crew onsite and the next morning the emergency was called in again with the correct address.
 5. We were paged out to turn off a commercial water service on Spellman Road in Beekmantown due to a structure fire.
 6. We responded to a call for a sewer force main break on Windswept Lane. The force main had pulled out of a compression coupling inside a manhole. Repairs were made.
- Two operators completed required online training for UDIGNY.
- We were unable to locate a water service for a commercial building on Kaycee Loop Road for a dig safe. We called in our own dig ticket to do an exploratory dig.
- Repaired two shut offs in the Wallace Hill area.
- Pull and clean pump at Banker Road Lift Station.
- Made repairs to MLV box in Vintage Estates.
- Pull and clean pump at Tom Miller Lift Station.
- Repaired MLV at Schluter Systems.

- Mapping shut off locations.
- In house repairs to two E-One Grinder Pumps.
- Excavated, located and repaired curb stop on Kaycee Loop Road.
- Made repairs to sewer force main break on NYS Route 3. Sidewalk restoration in front UNO will be required.
- Repaired sump pump at Beekmantown Meter Vault.
- Installed 20' meter antennas at Woods Mills Meter Vault.
- Installed seasonal doors at water treatment plant and Well 6 on Bullis Road.
- Pull and clean pump at Banker Road Lift Station.
- One operator completed required training for UDIGNY.
- Worked with Building & Grounds, vac-truck to install an anchor for light pole. We then returned a couple days later with the vac-truck to assist with straightening the pole.
- Emergency dig to repair a leak on a service line off Sharron Avenue. There ended up being 3 leaks on the galvanized line and all were fixed with stainless steel repair clamps.
- Pull and clean pump at Banker Road Lift Station.
- Secured the access doors to the Nightengale Lift Station wet well. It appears kids from the development have been jumping the fence.
- Housekeeping in the garage area.
- Met with the contractor doing the soil borings at the former Ames Plaza.
- Replace MLV box at Nightengale Drive.
- Exercise and flush hydrants on Tom Miller, Newell, Facticeau, and Melody Lane.
- There was a water main break on Nomad Drive. The bolts on a valve for a "future hydrant" degraded and failed. The main was shut down affecting one commercial service. Repairs were made, and the water was turned back on. A BWO was issued, consecutive samples were collected and the Order was lifted.
- A new fire hydrant was installed in Woods Mills to replace the one that was destroyed as a result of a MVA. We extended the spool section of pipe supplying this hydrant since it has been hit several times in the past.
- A fire hydrant failed in the on position on Brown Road while the Highway Department was using it. The hydrant was shut down with the valve and a shaft rebuild kit was installed.
- Climbed Tank 5 at Kimberley Lane to confirm it was operational.
- Fleet vehicle and equipment maintenance, repairs and NYS Inspections.
- Restoration for previous repairs.