



CITY OF MARCO ISLAND, FLORIDA PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

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MEMORANDUM

To: City Council
Through: Roger T. Hernstadt, City Manager
From: Timothy E. Pinter, P.E., Public Works Director
Re: Public Works Department Monthly Report
Date: November 3rd, 2014

- November 1st, 2014, was the 61st working day for the Smokehouse Bay Bridge project. The southbound bridge structure has been completely removed and the north and south side seawall steel sheet pilings have been installed. The contractor is beginning to excavate the channel in preparation of installing the articulating block channel bottom. The temporary sheet pile walls for the roadway grade differential are also being installed prior to the start of the roadway excavation and the installation of the MSE retaining walls adjacent to the Esplanade. The Southbound Bridge span structure is scheduled for completion on February 25th, 2015.
- Quality Enterprises USA will begin the removal of the asbestos cement pipe that was found within the bridge sidewalk sections on Wednesday November 5th. The work is outside the actual construction schedule for the bridge project and may take up to 4 days to complete. Work on the bridge will be on hold for that time period for safety reasons.
- The physical monitoring of the pile driving operations and the vibratory installation of the sheet piling and casings has shown no documented issues concerning the Esplanade.
- Public Works staff removed the statue and other items from Jane Hittler Park to storage during the bridge construction. Walkway paving stones have also been stored off-site for future use.
- The Swallow Ave. Storm Drain project is completed and has passed final inspection from the South Florida Water Management District. The project was completed on time with only minor additional costs due to increased paving footage.
- The FY 2015 Road Resurfacing and Stormwater project recommendations will be presented to Council in January 2015.

- ROUTINE MAINTENANCE:

- ❖ All crosswalks were inspected and cleaned as necessary and all bike paths were cleaned using the power broom. Crosswalks were repainted on Seaview Ct.
- ❖ Completed action on 15 private and commercial Right-of-Way improvement permits and completed 25 on-site engineering inspections.
- ❖ Park Maintenance staff will be closing Winterberry Park field for the first two weeks in November for over seeding the turf with rye grasses.
- ❖ Park Maintenance staff continued pruning the palms and trees in the parks and at our government complex. Staff also completed a cleanup of Jane Hittler Park prior to the construction of the Smokehouse Bridge closing access to the property. Transplanted 7 foxtail palms to various R/W locations to replace damaged trees.
- ❖ Staff will begin the annual clay maintenance on the ball fields using reverse till, laser grading, adding clay and rolling.
- ❖ Responded to 10 Cul-de-Sac landscaping complaints.
- ❖ Continued on-going Park Maintenance within our 60 acres of public park areas within the City.