

**ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT**  
**7-6-09 through 8-2-09**

**Waste Water Treatment Plant**

- Sludge fields have been approved for Class 2 sludge for 2010.
- Alum feed system has been modified with a filter to filter out sediment.
- The Vaughn pump has been repaired and the old casting has been returned to the factory for inspection. No cost to the Village.
- The plant continues to perform very well during storm events.
- A problem arose during sludge hauling, an 8" line came apart and allowed sludge to be pumped into the lower level. The flow was stopped and the sludge was pumped to the head of the plant and recycled. The pipe was repaired and hauling continued. About 300,000 gallons has been hauled to date.

**Water System and Water Plant**

- Normal plant maintenance continues to be performed by the staff
- Work is complete on the storage building at the water plant. Yoder Construction will be repainting the roof in the next 2 weeks at a cost of about \$1,000.00.
- The parts for replacing the seal under the aerator for the water plant has arrived and will be planned as time permits for replacement. This will be completed as time permits.
- The retention tank monitoring system failed last week and will need to be replaced. This system controls the running of the pumps and the tower levels. Work will be performed on Friday morning, 7-31-09. The cost of repair/ replacement is about \$2,000.00

**Other issues and complaints**

- None at this time

**Sanitary Sewer Collection System**

- All areas in town that are problem sewers have been cleaned. **Continues**
- Final planning with the engineer continues. The survey crew was in town all last week, this was to identify the best routing for the new storm line through the Northwood subdivision.

**Street and Storm Sewer**

- Cold patching in the streets has been ongoing. This process is never ending, as fast as we fill the holes others appear. Please if you know of trouble spots in town, please point them out to us.
- Street lights are being reported to Ohio Edison as they are found or reported to the office.
- Grant and Iberia streets have been paved. The casting adjustment procedure continues until all have been completed. The contractor has been fighting rain for the last few days, but expects to be complete by late Friday 7-31-09. We were also under on the estimated tonnage for the paving project. This should save us \$7,000 to \$8,000.
- The Issue 1 dollars for Home Road has been sent to Columbus and we should have a grant agreement within a week to 10 days.

## Recreation / Pool

- Nothing new to report at the pool.

## Office

- Nothing to report at this time

## TEP Grant (Public Square revitalization)

- The bids were opened on 7-28-09, they were about 7% high and will have to go to Central Office for a final decision. The cost of the project could be about \$1,800 more to complete the project.

## Development

- Discount Drug Mart is continuing to work on the renovations at the store. Opening date should be late August. Design Wise Const. has submitted a list of the sub contractors for income tax purposes.

## Web Site ( [www.mountgilead.net](http://www.mountgilead.net) )

- **(Follow Up)** Please continue to either send information to me for the site or e mail information to Dave, to be placed on the web site.
- **(Follow Up)** All of the year end reports are now on line for the public. I would like Council's feed back if any from the public.

**Please be sure to e mail me a copy of your minutes of the committee meetings. These meeting minutes are an important part of our history and documentation for records. I would prefer that they be sent to me in an e mail so they can be converted to a PDF file for storage.**

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