



**ITEM REPORT
CITY COUNCIL**

Agenda Date: 12/02/2024
Agenda Section: City Engineer Report

Department: City Engineer

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No Approvals required.

CITY ENGINEER REPORT

We provided, what we would consider, normal monthly assistance with miscellaneous inquiries, various discussions with Staff on multiple topics, and seeking out potential funding assistance opportunities.

We had a conversation with P&Z Traci Pederson and Thomas Roloff from Sourcewell on pervious pavers and stormwater requirements.

P&Z Traci Pederson will forward us MnDOT Right-of-Way (R/W) Turnback information to help us prepare a survey proposal for a Sketch & Description on vacating part of Peterson Path R/W.

Based on consensus at the last City Council meeting, we have laid out an initial set of thoughts on working with Staff to enhance present Ordinances, guidelines, processes, and standard details for potential developments. As this is a busy time with budget, levy, and other year-end items, we anticipate proceeding on this in 2025.

We have had conversations with Operator Andy Schwartz about following up on the Lead Service Line Inventory, and possible funding assistance from the MN Department of Health / MN Public Facilities Authority. Andy has a plan to address any questionable services.

At the last meeting, the idea of potentially sprucing up the façade of older businesses was brought up. We have previously worked with Cities to look into ways of obtaining funding assistance for such endeavors. Cities have set up revolving loan funds. None of this is without effort or cost to set up. If we can assist, please let us know.

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