



ITEM REPORT CITY COUNCIL

Agenda Date: 12/02/2024
Agenda Section: Unfinished Business

Department: Public Works – City Engineer

Agenda Item: Front and Main Street Design

No Approvals required.

BACKGROUND

The City Council previously approved a Design Contract for Front Street from Patriot Avenue on the north to Main Street, for Main Street from Front Street to about Gravidahl Drive, and for Rasmussen Road from Sibley Street north to past Isabelle Drive.

The bulk of the field surveying has been completed – although, it is not unusual to have to send them back out to pick up something here and there.

The Council and Staff should be aware that we are performing office research on parcels and Right-of-Way (R/W). We will want to formalize and record R/W or permanent easements for any City improvements. This is an unknown right now and may take some extra effort.

We anticipate working on design during the winter months.

Come the first part of 2025, the Council can then decide which segments they may want to move forward with construction.

We can then include appropriate work zone traffic control Plans and phasing of the construction to minimize interruptions to businesses and residents and visitors – all with the realization undue phasing costs money and stretches the construction out even longer.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Monies to pay for this Design would come from a combination of General Levy, Wastewater System Enterprise Fund, and Water System Enterprise Fund.

COUNCIL ACTION REQUESTED

Continue to think about which segments should eventually move forward into construction and when.