

**PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING
WEDNESDAY, June 17th, 2020**

3:30 P.M.

Virtual Meeting via Go-To-Meeting

Present: Arlene Luebbe, , Frank Sommerkamp, Ed Wise, Mark Townsend, Carol Sprinkle and Genie Wambaugh.

Absent: Bill Dorsey

Tim Williams attended the meeting.

Resident Jim Kuehne also attended the meeting.

Ms. Luebbe called the meeting to order at 3:30 p.m. and opened the meeting by asking those present to stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of the Minutes

Motion was made by Ms. Sprinkle and seconded by Mr. Wise to approve the February 19th, 2020 minutes as presented.

All voted in favor of the motion to approve the minutes.

Old Business

A. Update on Turkeyfoot Road

Mr. Williams updated the Committee on the results of the Kentucky Legislation and funding for the Turkeyfoot Road project. He noted that the legislature agreed to additional money to complete engineering and begin purchasing right of way. He is unsure when the engineering plans will be to a point for a public meeting. However, the City was told last December that the next public hearing would be held in late summer. Mr. Williams also noted that the pandemic could possibly effect the timeline for KYTC on the project.

B. Kenton Lands Road Distribution Building Update

Ed Wise reported there was not much new to report at this point on the project. Another building is being constructed between the Library and Silverlake that could house a small manufacturing operation. The distribution building appears to be completed at this point.

Staff Reports

A. Summer 2020 street and resurfacing projects.

Mr. Williams noted that the 2020 reconstruction project for Lookout Farm Drive and Claiborne Court has been postponed until 2021. The City Council removed funding for the project due to

revenue concerns related to the pandemic. The resurfacing project on Chancellor Drive was retained in the budget and will likely start in August.

B. Drainage Issues

Mr. Williams stated that the City has been dealing with a number of drainage issues over the past few months, including a catch basin outlet on College Park that SD1 will be repairing, the water running off the hillside on Legends Way that will require an inceptor line installed by the City, and water running onto Varsity Court from sump pumps that causes icing in the winter and slime in the summer months. The City will work with an engineer to design a plan for this issue in the next couple of months. Finally, Mr. Williams noted that our Maintenance employee has done a great job in correcting an ongoing drainage issue at the City entrance at Horsebranch and Orphanage Roads.

New Business

No new business was brought up at the meeting by the committee members or City staff.

Adjournment

Ms. Luebbe announced that the Public Works Committee meeting for July will be evaluated to determine if it is necessary and we will let everyone know.

With no further business before the Committee, Ms. Luebbe adjourned the meeting at 3:52 pm.