

Public Works

The Village has learned that each street has a personality.

1. Would you participate in a street meeting with your neighbors to determine the type of maintenance your street and drainage need.

Comments:

2. How important is it for city staff to notify neighborhoods before street maintenance begins.

Comments:

3. Public works removed brush from drainage ways from 7903 Lime Creek to Mary St., Jackson, Sherman, Arron Terrace, Bernard, Beauregard, West and Joy Rd. at a cost of \$8800. Do you think that this was a good way to spend your tax dollars?

Comments:

4. Should we continue cleaning the drainage ways through the rest of the Village which would include Lakeview, Dodd St., Mary St., Wharf Cove, Booth Cir., Rae Vista, Davey, Debbie, Reed Dr., Macks Canyon ?

Comments:

5. This fiscal year the Village budgeted \$24,868.24 for street repair and drainage. This includes brush removal, cleaning of ditches, pot hole repair, shoulder repair and repair materials. Should this line item be changed?

- A. I am very dissatisfied with this years road maintenance. Reduce this line item.
- B. I am dissatisfied with this years road maintenance more should be done.
- C. Keep the same budget amount and slowly expand the same

maintenance level to all roads.

- D. Add to this budget line item and expand the road maintenance to the rest of the roads sooner?

Comments:

6. When clearing the brush from drainage ways the cedar trees were cleared away from the oak trees, that are not blocking the drainage ways, to give the oaks room to grow. Which would you prefer?

- A. Just prune the cedar trees to open up the drainage ways
- B. Remove the cedar trees around the oaks to help the oak trees grow
- C. Remove all cedar trees and brush from the right of way.

Comments:

The cost of providing roads and services for the entertainment business within the Village exceeds the amount of taxes they provide. The difference is made up from residential property taxes.

- A. The entertainment business are a positive for the Village therefore they should be encouraged with additional residential tax dollars for events.
- B. It is okay to have residential taxes help support them at their present level.
- C. Through licenses or fees the entertainment businesses should at least pay for services used.
- D. The Village should receive a positive cash flow from the entertainment business.

Comments:

The Village funded a Christmas party last Christmas and supported an Easter Egg hunt funded by private donations for the younger village and neighbor children.

A. Events such as the Christmas party and Easter Egg hunt are a positive gathering of our residents and neighbors therefore the Village should fund and support them.

B. These events are a positive gathering for our residents and neighbors, therefore the Village should support them but tax money should not be used to fund them.

C. The Village should not support gatherings such as the Easter Egg hunt or Christmas party with Village funds.

D. The Village should not support gatherings such as the Easter Egg hunt or allow them to be held on Village property.

The Village should encourage the resident to decorate at Christmas and the Fourth of July.

The Public Works Committee has not fully vetted these questions because of the difficulty we are having getting a quorum of members due to Council Member Wilders resignation. We will continue to work on our questions at future meetings.