

Apollo Borough Council Mtg. 7:00pm 11/19/2020

OCA# 202018A

General Services - OCA#202018A

MAWC waterline project - Rail to trail, South 4th & South Warren
Construction Status - waiting on paving to be completed
Handicap ramp work to be handled by Borough in future - plan & schedule
Planning Meeting notes from 10/8/2020 - rec. no revisions or comments

S.R.0066 Bridge Replacement Project - OCA#201818D (no change)

Utility Relocations

Apollo Borough will need a sanitary sewer line relocated for project - PADOT paying
Manhole top adjustments (2)
PADOT indicating manhole tops being raised < 1' to meet new roadway grades
Since these are inside PADOT ROW that will be done at Borough's expense
Apollo will need coordinate work with contractor like road paving projects
PADOT indicated that they will be videoing the sanitary & storm sewers under the cul-de-sac
before and after construction to make sure that crane does not damage
PADOT is requesting the dia. & type of the old now storm lines - needs to be field verified
PADOT will be relocating the street light at the intersection

PADOT Schedule

PADOT coordinating sidewalk maintenance for winter
PADOT current advertisement date is January 21, 2021 and let date expected in March 2021
PADOT construction Dates are still 2021 & 2022 for portion of project in Apollo Borough
Development of the northern section of the River front property will continue to be hindered

Apollo Borough Sanitary Sewer Services - OCA#201818C

KVWPCA

River Offfalls KVWPCA ownership transfer of diversion manholes to acknowledgement
Any additional roof drain removals should be tracked and reported to the KVWPCA
Customer list data review - waiting on KVWPCA
411 N. Pa Ave. - (old municipal building)
It has been indicated that a number of internal sewage fixtures will be removed not connected
Insight Pipe video of S. 3rd, S. 2nd, and part of First Street to be reviewed by OCA
Coor. with Jamie & Ron P. regarding list of sewer services needing action
Billing issues - may need to review water usage or set policy for when reviewed
Dye testing during sell of structures has discovered more problems - homeowners not properly connected

Apollo Borough Grants - OCA#201518D

Greenways - OCA#201518D.02 - approved by DCED for \$150,000 - Apollo match \$26,470.59
Multimodal - OCA#201518D.03 - approved by DCED for \$166,325 - Apollo match \$71,282.15
Owen's Trail & Road Widening Project - A. Liberoni for \$246,699.98 complete
Railroad Street widening and trail work - A. Liberoni for \$104,034.77 complete
Railroad Street Landscaping work - Stewarts Garden for \$9,158 (Greenways funds)
DCED Reimbursement: Rec. #4 partial, waiting on #3
Additional funds \$5,108.76 available since some work by the Borough is not being counted
Additional work being coordinated with Stewart Gardens & DCED before moving forward
An extension of the grant to June 30, 2021 has been granted
What is Council's decision about these funds? Additional landscaping or closeout?

Armstrong County Watershed Plan Advisory Committee (WPAC) - OCA#201418F (no change)

Draft Act 167 plan waiting on County to finalize

Apollo MS4 - OCA#201518F

Calculations are indicating a need to address approximately 20,000 lbs of sediment

Best Management Practices (BMP) options being pursued

River Parcel Filter - >100%

Suntree Baffle Box system (5'x10') - \$79,000 for installation

Should only need to be cleaned once a year (\$1,000) - could be done by KVVWPCA

Price could be reduced \$20,000 to eliminate observation cover but lose public ed.

Sediment removal to be documented and compared to expected

Concerns that filter will not receive & collect the amount of debris indicated

PADEP requiring monitoring & verification

Stream Restoration an alternative 400' both sides

River Parcel Basins - 8% - some construction and maintenance and design

Could be installed by Public Works and hydroblox material could be used in place of inlet

Street Sweeping - 1% - Needs to be done at least 25 times per year

Not sure if street sweeping company is responsible - recommending contract for future

If streets will be done once a year or less frequently, then the material removed can be

weighed and used for credit. (Public Works needs to document)

Demolition of vacant structures - 3% - by Borough or others - being tracked

6 structures removed between 2015 & 2019 - 11,867 SF or 428 lbs

2 structures have been removed this year - 3,570 SF or 129 lbs or 558 lbs total

Catch basin & conveyance system can be cleaned of debris and weighed for credits.

45.5 tons total would be needed to get remainder of credits needed

While the initial year will likely be higher than average, half this amount year should be

planned for moving forward if desired.

Stream Restoration alternative with a focus on Sugar Hollow Creek

Create cooperative with Kiskiminetas Township

Kiskiminetas have formally given authorization - detailed agreement needed to be prepared

OCA reviewed locations along Sugar Hollow Run for project work and have list of property owners

Many MS4 requirements have not been met the last two years.

Public education planning and execution

Including pamphlets with sewage or garbage bills was discussed but not done

Outfall inspection and monitoring by Public Works

Other items as well.

PADEP letter received dated 2/28/2020 requiring completion by June 30, 2020 - No follow up (COVID)

Apollo Borough - River Front Property - OCA#202018D

PennMicro has put everything on hold due to holidays and waiting on election results

Apollo Borough - Paving projects

North 4th between Warren & North PA Ave.

Road widening / revitalization proposed (sidewalks, roadway, & stormwater improvements)

Impacts to adjacent parking and/or alleys

Decision about making one-way for additional parking or not (VFD #2 impacts?)

Requires a 30% local match and must be at least \$100,000 or more total.

Project cost \$142,359.75 requiring a \$42,707.93 match

Need letters of support from various entities

If proceeding a resolution of adoption may be needed

Apollo Borough - Municipal Building - OCA#202018F (no change)

If additional modifications and ADA requirements are to be made, the Borough should consider going after the Armstrong County CDBG funds for the building modifications.