FRIDAY FYIs
FEBRUARY 11, 2022

Capital Projects

PROCUREMENTS

RFP #2022-008P Broadband Expansion Project
This RFP was advertised 01/28/22 and 01/30/22 and proposals are due 03/15/22 @ 1:00 PM. A Pre-Proposal Conference (at Village Hall and via Zoom) was held 02/09/22 @ 3:00 PM. There were 7 potential proposers who attended the meeting.

Staff is currently working on the following procurements:

RFP #2022-009P Professional Engineering Services for Solid Waste Master Planning
RFP #2022-0XXP Water Meter Testing and Repair Program
IFB #2022-00XB Street Striping Equipment

Staff is also working to update the Village Procurement Policy.

Fire Department

- Emergency Management set up 3 locations to distribute COVID home self-tests. Locations are Village Hall, Fire Station 1 and the Community Center.
- Working with Lincoln County OES on setting up a drive up COVID vaccine site for February 26 to be held at the swimming pool area.
- Emergency Management participated in NMDHSEM/NMDOH weekly COVID meetings.
- Feb. 9th Wildland/Resource Mobilization Plan Meeting with the State went well preparing for upcoming fire season.
- Bureau of Land Management is masticating and burning near the Sierra Blanca Regional Airport throughout February (600 acres)
- Annual Commercial Inspections: 30
- Re-Inspections x6
- New business Inspections x3
- Safety Inspection / Education at ENMU
- Training (EMS, Fire, Airport, Weekly/Daily) = 112 staff hours of in-house training conducted
- All crews have completed classroom portion of wildland refresher and 1/3 completion on pack test.
- CRR (Fire Extinguisher Safety) x1

Library

There will be no story time February 16, 2022. There will be take and make crafts that are separated into two categories: 3 to 7 years old children and 8 years and up. The library is moving forward with carpet and tile replacement in the Youth
Services Department. More information will be forthcoming as plans are finalized. The Library wishes all our patrons and fellow employees a Happy Valentine’s Day!

**Police Department**
- Officers are gearing up for Super Bowl celebrations and the effects of some of those celebrations.
- The Police Department is actively accepting applications for the 2nd Citizens Academy to run from March 3, 2022 and finishing on May 12, 2022.
- The National Association of School Resource Officers has proclaimed February 15th, as School Resource Officer Appreciation Day. This was proclaimed a special day to show appreciation for school-based Law Enforcement Officers, and encourage all citizens to show their gratitude with displays of support and personal messages. Please extend your support to Officer Beltran with a quick email (salbeltran@ruidoso-nm.gov) or text message (575-937-2858)
- Meeting was conducted with the Ruidoso School District and the SRO JPA was reviewed. No changes necessary and will be presented for council approval in the near future.
- Preparing to conduct Non Certified Officer testing on Friday, February 18, 2022.

**Solid Waste**
- Pine needles are falling, causing a lot of grapple work.
- Still cleaning up forestry’s projects.
- We still have bear mess trucks relieving dumpsters, where the big trucks can’t go.

**Street Department**
- Pot Hole Patching
- Repairs to snow equipment
- Repairing/Replacing radiator
- One snow/salter dump truck down with PTO inoperable

**Water Distribution**
- Water crews continue to fix leaks on Sudderth Dr.
- Since Friday February 4th Water crews have responded and repaired 7 main breaks and 4 service line leaks.
- Meter readers have shut off Approx. 140 residence around the Village for Customer leaks due to cold weather.

**Water Production**
- Production crew has been performing maintenance and repairs on Carrizo, Grindstone/Resort, 90, Timbers, and Cree Meadows PRV’s, for the last several days.
- Production Department will perform an inventory on how many low Lead Pressure Reducing Vale (PRV) Pilot Control System (CRD) that are still in the
system, and we will replace the remaining low lead CRD’s with stainless steel CRD’S.