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Manager's Report

2/7/2020

Main Street Park: Funding with the FRDAP grant through the Florida Department of Environmental Protection has placed the City of Bowling Green ranking at 44th out of 92 applicants.

Wastewater & Water Operator: We had zero applicants for the open positions. I have been working on a Request for Proposals (RFP) to send out to private contractors for our water and wastewater operations and maintenance. I will forward the RFP when it is completed for review. The timeline will be March 1, 2020 and last day to respond to the RFP will be March 27th. I will have this item on the April Commission agenda to award any or none of the RFP responses.

Wastewater News: There are still leaks in the new Carousel. Jim hall requested Jerry Buhr review the warranty offered by Poole & Kent. We are still holding onto \$200,000 and will note be signing off on this project unless this issue is addressed by Poole & Kent. Jerry has responded that he was fine with the warrantee. Poole & Kent will be on site this Friday morning at 10:00 with their expert to examine the leaks.



Water News: Wayne and the crew were replacing an old water line on East Main Street this week and Installed a fire hydrant at the wastewater plant.

Distribution Payments: Vicky and I worked on distribution #8 and #10 payments to the Water Nano System contractors this week.

Excavator in Pyatt Park: We have asked David Moore several times in the past couple of months if he would move his excavator from the park. The excavator has broken down and is still there. An official letter has been sent to him giving him until the end of February to move the excavator before other measures are taken.