

# Village of Dolgeville Engineer's Monthly Update

October 2021

## Manheim Business Park

- The Village Attorney is currently engaging in discussions with a landowner in the sewer / water district area as we work towards completion of the report.

## Army Corps of Engineers, East Canada Creek

- The Village is awaiting communication from the Corps regarding the next steps in the project. (hydraulic, hydrologic, and erosion study throughout the East Canada Creek Corridor)

## Brownfields Opportunity Area (BOA) Project

- I am currently working with the IDA's consultants to develop baseline scoping documents for the BOA.
- The BOA area has been expanded to include the properties on North Main Street which were damaged in the Halloween Flood.

## WWTP Preliminary Engineering Report (PER)

- Amy and I have been coordinating information with B&L related to the ongoing development of the PER.

## Sanitary Sewer Collection System Investigation, Phase II (EPG)

- As above, Amy and I have been coordinating information with B&L for this Phase II investigation. I recommend that the Village approve the manhole inspection proposal and utilize funds from ARPA for the inspections.

## Future Projects (Not Noted Above)

### DPW Project List

- Repair / replacement of 4 major creek culverts throughout Village
- Vehicle acquisition / replacement
- Co-funding sources for Main Street Paving / ADA Compliance Project

### WTP / Water Distribution System Project List

- Siding @ rear of WTP – Neal has received pricing for materials (2/2020)
- Grant Funded Study / Hydraulic Model in 2021/22
- Water Meter Program

### WWTP / Collection System Project List

- Phosphorous Removal Limits Changing, 1.0 (EPG)
- UV System (EPG)
- Incorporate 2019 Video/Condition Assessment Into GIS / HOCCPP System

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## Current Open Projects

### NYSDOH Disinfection Byproducts

- NYSDOH has not yet provided a response to our pilot recommendations sent to them in early July.

### Watershed Review

- I met with Neal at the end of last month and spent time in the Village watershed inspecting the areas upstream of the reservoir.

### ARPA Funding Discussions

- I met with Village Department Heads last week to discuss priority projects for ARPA funding. A follow-up meeting with a representative of Mohawk Valley Economic Development District is planned for October 25<sup>th</sup>.

### Beaver Brook Culvert, NYSDOT Red Flag

- The Village has not yet been notified regarding a construction schedule for this project from NYSDOT.

### Beaver Brook and Thresher Brook Floodplain, FEMA

- FEMA's mapping team has reached out to the Village and will be coordinating field work for the floodplain LOMR project.

### Halloween Flood Event (404 Mitigation Program)

- The Village is waiting on a response to the funding application from DHSES.
- Additional forms were submitted to DHSES at their request this past month regarding code compliance if demolition/construction was to occur.

### EPA Lead and Copper Rule Changes

- Attended various meetings and webinars throughout the past two weeks to become familiar with the new potential changes to EPA regulations.
- I recommend that we have a Special Meeting to discuss these changes and the new requirements that the Village will need to meet over the next few years.

### Halloween Flood Event (FEMA)

- PN 130884 - Fink Storm Water Drainage System
  - o The DDD has been signed for this project but the project has been sent back to FEMA's reviewing group based on a FEMA error in categorizing the type of damage.
- PN130885 - North Main Street Sewer, Water Distribution and Storm Drainage Reconstruction
  - o The DDD document has been reviewed and signed on the grant portal.
- PN130886-North Main Street Roadway Reconstruction
  - o Pending review by the CRC. This project is likely to be approved.

### DEC Mohawk River Watershed Grants – Round 5

- Currently, we are on hold awaiting a decision on the removal of homes in the area by DHSES. If home removal does not occur, then we cannot construct the project planned for in this grant.

### NYS Parks Grant

- The Center Park Project is ready to be submitted to NYS Parks for their review / acceptance before bidding this winter.
- Jean Egenhofer, the NYS Parks representative for this project no longer works for Parks. We have reached out to Parks to discuss the performance and credit for "in-kind" services offered to the Village – for the removal of the pavilion.

### WWTP FEMA Project, 2013 Flood Event

- The final accounting from FEMA has been completed. It is anticipated that the Village will receive the final reimbursement from FEMA in late 2021.