

Apollo Borough Council Mtg. 7:00pm 2/25/2021

OCA# 202118A

General Services - OCA#202118A

MAWC waterline project - Rail to trail, South 4th & South Warren
Construction Status - restoration and lateral connection work
MAWC has a 2-year maintenance bond on project
MAWC will look into sealing concrete ramps & driveway & curb work
Handicap ramp work to be handled by Borough in future - plan & schedule

Planning Meeting notes from 10/8/2020 - Council may want to consider making an official plan
Top Goal - Development of River Front Property - prepare official plan? Property Report?
2nd Goal - Street Revitalization - prepare master/official plan? N. 4th next?

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

Utility Relocations

Apollo Borough sanitary sewer line to be relocated by PADOT contractor
Manhole top adjustments (2)
PADOT indicating manhole tops being raised < 1' to meet new roadway grades
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 will be relocating the street light at the intersection
PADOT Schedule - complete updated schedule provided by PADOT 1/15/2021
PADOT coordinating sidewalk maintenance for winter
PADOT project was advertised and let date is March 11, 2021
PADOT construction Dates are 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 Offalls 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
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. still waiting on #4 partial,
Final Reimbursement request to be made.

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

Street Sweeping - 1% - Needs to be done at least 25 times per year (11 completed - on pace)

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)

Need documentation from most recent street sweeping

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

8 structures removed between 2015 & 2020 - 15,437 SF or 558 lbs total

Unsure if any structures are being removed this year

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

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 other bills

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)

PADEP State Permit expires 3/15/2023

Apollo Permit is good for 5 years from issuance or until 10/3/2023

If permit requirements are not met by then the PADEP will pursue a consent order agreement or a consent order which will force the Borough to comply and will include fines.

Apollo Borough - River Front Property - OCA#202018D

Awaiting PennMicro update

OCA could prepare formal feasibility study / plan for Apollo to adopt / have for future development

Apollo Borough - Paving projects

Apollo Borough could create master plan and review potential of making one-way street layout

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

Parking improvements / opportunities could be highlighted

North 4th between Warren & North PA Ave.

Project cost estimated at \$142,000

Letters of support from various entities could be acquired

DCED Multimodal applications accepted between 3/1 & 7/31 this year. (100k to 3mil)

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.