

Apollo Borough Council Mtg. 7:00pm 6/24/2021

OCA# 202118A

General Services - OCA#202118A

- Planning Meeting notes from 10/8/2020 - Council may want to consider making an official plan
 - Top Goal - Development of River Front Property - (Waiting on USDA grant results)
 - 2nd Goal - Street Revitalization - prepare master/official plan? N. 4th next?
 - Look into additional offstreet parking areas, consider ADA accessible route plan, bike route,
- Reviewed N. 2nd & Terrace after storm event
 - Reference Memo issued 7/31/2019 from OCA to Apollo Borough
 - Quick inexpensive fix is to make a bituminous speed bump to direct more runoff into inlets
 - Revitalization of roadway could add pervious pavement and shift parking to downhill side of roadway
 - Widening on uphill side of roadway may require a wall
 - Total cost of work could be \$100,000 to \$125,000 to do
 - 1.5" overlay of area may direct additional runoff into inlets as well

S.R.0066 Bridge Replacement Project - OCA#201818D

- 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 schedule provided by PADOT 1/15/2021
 - Plum Contracting has been given a Notice to Proceed
 - Power lines to be relocated before buildings are demolished
 - PADOT construction Dates are 12/2021 & 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#211818C

- 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

- Cancelled check verification still needed to be sent in for Greeways grant close out

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

- Draft Act 167 plan waiting on County to finalize

Apollo MS4 - OCA#201518F - approximately 20,000 lbs of sediment need to be removed yearly

- Best Management Practices (BMP) options being pursued
 - Street Sweeping - 1% - Needs to be done at least 25 times per year (21 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)
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.
Removed 43,880 lbs wet weight - computes to 9,214.8lbs of Total Suspended solids
or approximately 46% of required per year - more to be reported
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 - note newsletter
Outfall inspection and monitoring by Public Works - should be planned for - done by 2023
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 & USDA Grant - OCA#202018D & OCA#202118D
OCA could prepare formal feasibility study / plan for Apollo to adopt / have for future development
Grant Request of \$30,000 has been submitted. Awaiting grant response

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
Street Revitalization Project Work - N. 4th, N. 7th, N. 9th,
Street widening to use as much of existing right-of-way width as possible
New roadway surface, conveyance system, curbing, and crosswalks (ADA ramps)
One-way roadway reconfiguration and sidewalk replacement as practical
Installing pervious parking spaces in order to assist with MS4 requirements
North 4th between Warren & North PA Ave. including Lutheran Church Lane & parking
Apollo First Lutheran Church & Apollo Borough Public / Private partnership (See letters)
Agree to pursue DCED multimodal grant to leverage local funds to get State Funds
DCED Multimodal applications accepted until 7/31 this year. (100k to 3mil)
Project Total cost estimated at \$221,276.25 (\$33,000 church & \$33,382.88 Borough)
North 7th Street from North Warren to Woodward Avenue
Project Total cost estimated at \$413,317.20 with local match of \$124,013.76
Make roadway one-way from North Warren to Woodward Avenue - adding 33 parking spaces
North 9th Street from North Warren to Woodward Avenue
Project Total cost estimated at \$289,668.21 with local match of \$100,940.46
Make roadway one-way from North Warren to Terrace Avenue - adding 12 parking spaces
Making Armstrong County CDBG request of \$110,000.00
These funds will be used for handicap ramp construction at intersections
Will be used as local match against State DCED funds
Considering adding 7 parking spaces along West-In-Arms and additional matching funds (\$7,331.69)