DPW REPORT
December 7, 2023

DPW Main garage on 3rd.st. Recently experienced a heating boiler major failure, as of 11/27/2023. This is one of many issues that DPW has experienced with this particular system in the past. Due to the history and availability of parts related to this unit, it has been recommended that this system be replaced. The quote from Reliable HVAC Systems is included in your packets. We are currently heating with electric heaters, with no heat in The main truck bay. DPW endured 28 days in 2018 with no heat, courtesy of this existing Boiler unit, currently in place.

Weekly leaf and brush pick up, is officially closed for the season. If residents do have a request concerning this issue, contact the Village Office.

With the plowing season upon us, DPW would like to remind residents and guests, that off street parking would be greatly appreciated for snow plowing. All vehicles should be off streets between 3:00am and 8:00am. Thank you!

DPW recently have had discussions with engineers with Prein & Newhof, regarding the ongoing drain /stream issues on E.4th st. The present plans are under review by EGLE.

Once again a " Hats off " to the crew (Josh,Phil, CW) for a spectacular light arrangement on the Holiday Tree. There unfortunately was a mishap with one of the street lights that is in front of the tree, that was accidentally knocked over by the workers installing the - lights and ornaments. A incident report was filed and appropriate parties are aware.

A big Thank you goes to Joni Scott and Bob Newell for their work on the preparation of all the lights that go on the "big" tree!

Included with all the season's decorations and numerous duties, kudos to the DPW crew! We have several up coming projects to complete if the weather cooperates.

On a personal note, I will be off duty for several days beginning 12/6 to 12/11.

Respectfully Submitted
Chris Holton
DPW Superintendent