

Date: November 5, 2018
To: Honorable Mayor and Commissioners
From: Jamie Titcomb, Town Manager
Re: Town Manager Report – November Commission Meeting Update

A-1-A Waterline Break Area Repaving

The Town met with our contract pavers and other potential vendors to obtain quotes to award repaving the section of A-1-A (near Ocean Av.) disrupted by a waterline break this summer. Our Paving Contractor All County Paving Inc. (Contract), Hardrives Inc. and Boynton Beach Utility contractors submitted bids. Upon all factors considered we request awarding this project to the Town’s contractor:

FY19 Budget Process

The Town received the attached letter of compliance with all Florida DOR’s TRIM requirements.

Beachway Public Crossover Remodeling

We are remodeling the Beachway area public crossover to a more natural pathway, augmented with dune-friendly plantings and a semi-meandering surface path. This has been discussed over several public meetings. Under local direction and field permitting of the PBC-DEP office, we are collaborating with the dune-expert and co-author of the Town & Garden Club’s Dune Plantings Guidebook toward “downsized” infrastructure at our public crossovers for more natural landscape and dune sustainability.

Each crossover is surveyed and redesigned to optimize function, access and natural sustainability as the top priorities. Current environmental trends support minimal “infrastructure” required to traverse the dune. Tethered board walkways and natural plantings are priority in our design criteria. Less infrastructure reduce maintenance and replacement costs, as well as diminish trip and fall liabilities

More permanent infrastructure for ADA accessibility is available at area “public beach” parks where handicap parking and site layouts better accommodate those needs. No parking, stopping, standing, loading/unloading is allowed at Town crossovers as located per Town code (residents included).

National League of Cities Annual Conference & Florida League Legislative Conference

I’ll be attending the National League of Cities (NLC) City Summit out of the area November 7-11th, Municipal management, legislative issues and technical information are extensively covered along with a large exhibition of local government service providers and solutions. Also, November 15-16th I will be attending policy meetings at the Florida League of Cities (FLC) Legislative Conference in Orlando.

The Chief of Police is the designated “Acting Town Manager” during my absence. I return to the office Tuesday AM, and will be out again the following Thursday and Friday at FLC Policy Committees.

Town Hall is closed for Veterans Day (Observed) on Monday, November 12th.

Respectfully,



Town Manager