

May 2021
PUBLIC WORKS MONTHLY REPORT

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EVENTS

Honey Hill Petting Zoo

The Public Works Department participated in the Rainbow Park Petting Zoo on May 20th. Honey Hill Petting Zoo brought goats, rabbits and camels for the crowd to feed and pet. This event is always well attended and this year was no different. The crowd for this event was terrific with over 500 people attending throughout the 2 hour event.



PROGRAMS

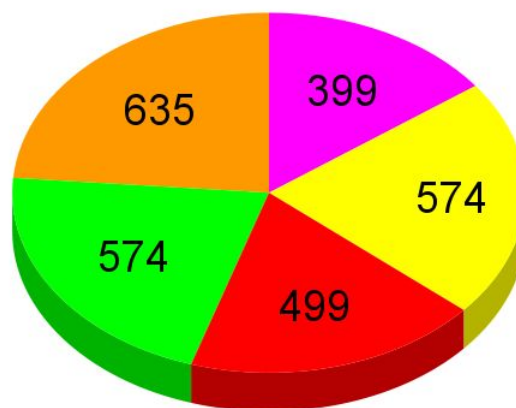
Mowing

Mowing is in full swing in all of our parks and our right of ways. The graph below shows man hours for the month of May for the last 5 mowing seasons. These man hours are calculated using a crew size of 4 team members and all locations been cut an average of 4 times during the month.



May Mowing

Man Hours for a 5 Year Cycle



● 2017 ● 2018 ● 2019 ● 2020 ● 2021

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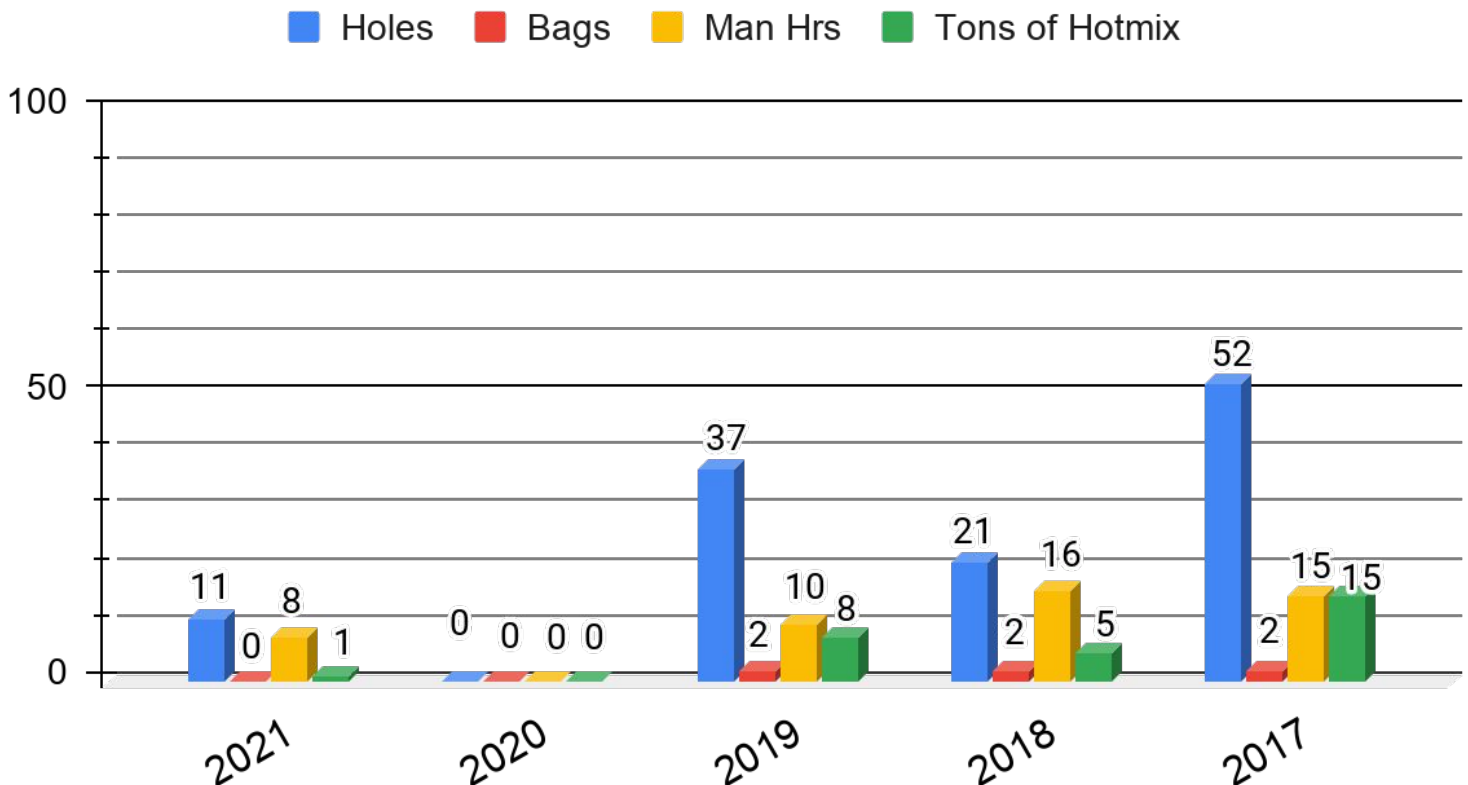
Street Maintenance

Pothole Patching

The chart shows a 5 year comparison of pothole patching in the month of May, the amount of material used and the man hours that it takes to fill potholes.

The bags of mix that the department uses is a 50 lb bag of high performance asphalt cold patch. So you can see that in 2017, the team used 63 bags of 50 lb cold patch which is equivalent to 1.5 tons of bulk mix.

May Pothole Patching 5 Yr Cycle



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Misty Creek Park Phase 1

The Public Works Department is moving right along with the installation of the new playground equipment with the pouring of the first section of the sidewalk and the construction of the wall. Amenities at the park when the play structure is complete will include:

- Play structure for preschool children 2 to 5
- Play structure for school-age children 5 to 12
- 6 foot concrete sidewalk bordering the play equipment
- A beautiful sitting wall built into the hillside.
- Landscaping with trees and shrubs.



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Misty Creek Park



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Erlanger Salutes Honor Banner

It's time again to honor our great country, those who have served and those who are currently serving. The city has put flags up for a long time but starting last year, the city started a Honor Banner program. The first year the city received 13 applications and proudly displayed the 13 honories accompanied with an American Flag on utilities poles on Commonwealth Ave. I am proud to say that the second year, the city has received an additional 39 new applications so there will be 52 Honor Banners displayed on Commonwealth Ave and Dixie Hwy and again will be accompanied with an American Flag.



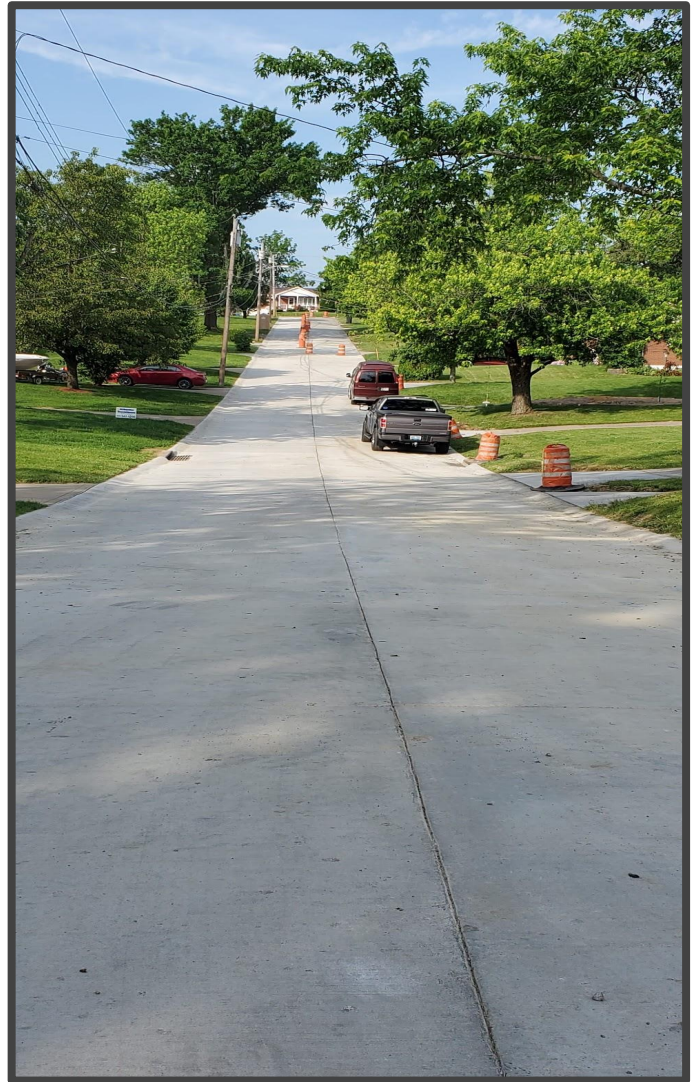
CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

Rho Court is underway with the sidewalk portion complete and street removal and replacement began on May 24th.

The Hickory Lane street replacement project is wrapping up, the concrete portion on Hickory Lane is complete with a small amount of restoration remaining for completion of project.



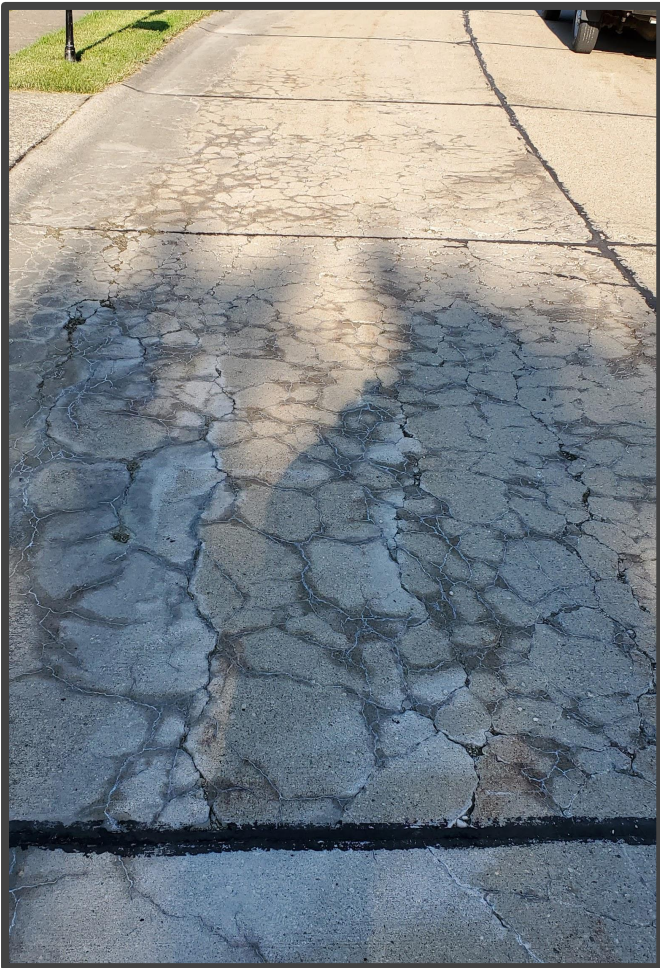
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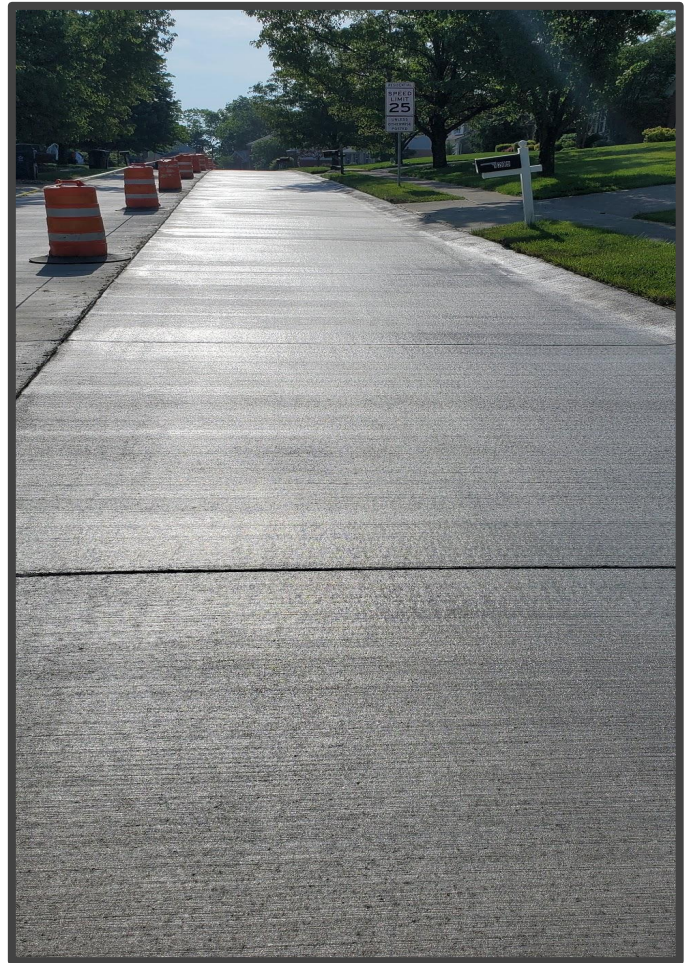
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CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

The Mesa Drive project is three quarters completed with just a couple small sections remaining on the street and several driveway aprons and sidewalks panels left to remove and replace .



Before



After

CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS

The Silverlake Park Phase 1 project is underway with sidewalk installed and new parking area and storm sewer additions moving right along.



The Stevenson and Turkeyfoot Gateway Sign project is moving along with the footer and CMU Block being installed.



Training

The Erlanger Public Works Department strives to be Exceptional in everything they do and during this busy time of the year, the off site or virtual training has halted.

Although the team does not stop there. There are several training opportunities presented in every workday. The team takes every advantage to train or be trained in all aspects of the job such as:

Mowing, mower safety and mower maintenance:

With new equipment, comes new challenges but the team excelled in the operation and maintenance of the new mowing equipment.

Leadership training on a monthly basis:

The team, once a month will hold this training and has been going through John Maxwell's 21 Irrefutable Laws of Leadership.

Technical training on a monthly basis:

One team member is assigned to put on some type of technical training every month such as equipment maintenance, concrete tools or sign reflectivity. This team member is responsible for gathering all the needed information and anything else needed to conduct the training class.

Concrete work:

All team members took part in pouring a section of sidewalk at Misty Creek Park that will be part of the new playground being installed. This was several of the team members first time doing concrete so it was a great opportunity and learning experience to let them get their hands wet (so to speak).