

# February 2023

## PUBLIC WORKS MONTHLY REPORT



### PROGRAMS

#### Weather Warriors

The Weather Warriors were benched in the month of February (not that they were disappointed) due to the weather being way above normal. The crews did not even have to go out and check for slick spots.

#### Snow Plow Damage

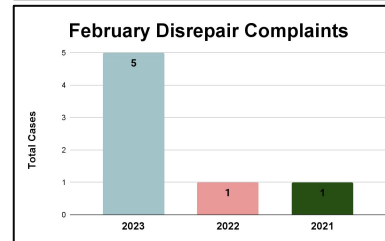
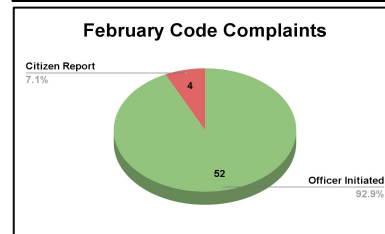
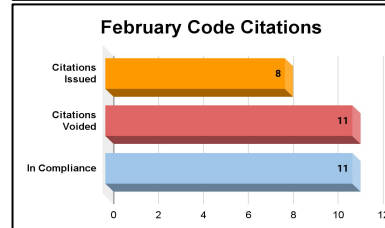
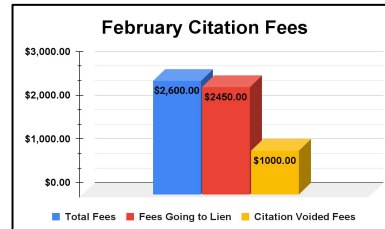
The Public Works Department is currently logging locations via call ins or emails from residents that has had yard damage caused by a plow during weather events. These locations will be added to a list to be refurbished when weather permits. This notice has been put on the Cities Website and the Facebook Page.

#### Training

Team members will be attending the Kentucky League of Cities (KLC) 2023 Risk and Safety Conference on March 8th - 10th in Hebron.

Team members will be attending an online Communications class hosted by the University of Kentucky Technology Transfer Program as part of the Road Scholar, Road Master Program.

### CODES



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#### Blighted Property

*Blight* is the term used when referring to those structures that are designed for human habitation, occupancy, or use; but have conditions in them that are dangerous or injurious to the health or safety of the occupants of the structure. These issues include, but are not limited to: hoarding, drug usage and/or criminal activity, structural issues, and rodent and/or pest infestation. Once a structure is considered to be blighted, the Codes Officer, through investigation, can condemn the structure. A condemned structure is a structure that can no longer be utilized for habitation purposes. The owner of the property is allowed entry to the condemned structure to conduct repairs, to remove debris, and to make the structure habitable again.

### CAPITAL PROJECTS

#### Asphalt Paving Projects

The Hillcrest Drive Storm Sewer / Pavement Overlay project has been awarded to Riegler Blacktop and will begin this spring with a completion date of June 15, 2023. As a reminder this project is a 50/50 cost share with Sanitation District #1 on the storm sewer portion which will save the city \$67,580.00.

#### Concrete Street Reconstruction Project

TMS Construction will begin the reconstruction project of Crescent Avenue to Coordinator Drive this spring. This project will also include a widened and thickened sidewalk to alleviate the rutting in the utility strip caused by delivery trucks cutting the corner to tight.

#### Capital Park Improvements

The Cahill Commons Park Phase 1 improvement project has been awarded to Beaumont Building Group. This project is slated to begin this spring with a completion date of June 30, 2023.

#### Railroad Underpass Painting Project

The Railroad Underpass painting project is moving forward with the Right of Entry permit approved and the Railroad Protection application has been submitted for approval. All permits are anticipated to be approved by the end of March with a preconstruction meeting by mid April and painting to begin May 1, 2023.

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