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To: Mayor and City Council

From: Mark A. Kibby, City Administrator

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Re: Council Housekeeping Report

1. The Warwick and Arlington Water Main Replacement Project is nearly complete. The Warwick Street portion was connected to the main service line on Allen Road yesterday. While the water was off, the Water Department repaired two water gates in the same area.
2. The contractor for the Warwick and Arlington project has also been working on the Emergency Repair on Leet Street. They have pulled all the piping, and will be completing the connection of the water leads from the new pipe to the houses.
3. The Water Department repaired 142 water main breaks in 2016.
4. The Fire Department picked up the new Ambulance last week and put it service yesterday at 4:00 PM.
5. The Deputy Assessor is beginning one of her busy seasons with the filing of Personal Property Statements.
6. The Finance Department is getting ready to start the budget process for the 2017-18 Budget Year that will begin on July 1st.
7. Governor Snyder has signed into law Senate Bill 1068 which removes the requirement that large cities pay for portions of the construction cost on limited access highways within their boundaries.

8. The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) has informed DPS Director Kehr that they will be starting some preliminary work on Goddard Road under I-75 that will require the right lane of WB Goddard to be closed. They may begin the closure this week, and it will remain closed long term.
9. The I-75 construction project is set to begin on February 4th and last for about two years. The Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT) has scheduled an informational meeting from 5:00 to 7:00 PM January 26th at the Woodhaven Community Center, 23101 Hall Road.