



Okaloosa County Public Works Road Division

State of Florida

TO: John Hofstad, Director of Public Works

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SUBJECT: Weekly Report – July 19th thru July 23rd

DIVISION STAFFING

The Road Division is currently 2 people under our authorized strength of 96. We are operating with the following shortages:

SECTION	VACANT POSITION
Administration	Operations Manager
Asphalt Section	Road Maintenance Technician

STORMWATER

- 15th Street & Union Avenue: This week the South Maintenance Section completed a small project to line a stormwater pipe at this location.
- Carnegie Hills: The Stormwater/Construction Section is continuing a small project in Carnegie Hills S/D to connect a stormwater pipe to the remainder of the system. The project should complete next week.

ROAD PROJECTS

- Maintenance: Both the north and south maintenance sections are conducting routine maintenance and repair tasks throughout their areas of responsibility.
- Asphalt Section: The Asphalt Section has completed the repairs to Sexton Drive in District 3. The repairs replaced a damaged road and stormwater ditch at the end of Sexton Drive. The section has two more projects lined up – repairing the damaged road on Blackberry Circle and repaving the damaged asphalt ditch on Senterfitt Road at Murder Creek.

BRIDGE PROJECTS

- This week the Bridge Section completed a sheet pile headwall on C-180 at Boggy Hollow in northwest Okaloosa County. They are now engaged in a round of maintenance on all of the wood bridges in the county. The section is awaiting a permit to replace the destroyed bridge over Juniper Creek on Lake Ella Road. The current schedule was to start this bridge replacement in June. The schedule is being pushed back pending receipt of a permit.

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- Award has been made on a concrete replacement bridge for Fairchild Road. Work will start on this replacement bridge when the Lake Ella bridge project is complete.

ANNUAL PROGRAMS

- Cold Mix: The cold mix program for FY2008 has been suspended until higher priority road projects are completed.
- Road Striping: The paint stripe program is continuing. The approved program is expected to be complete within the next few weeks. When complete, we will audit the program and determine if there are funds remaining that can be used for a Phase II stripe program. If so, we will take a Phase II recommended list of roads to the BCC for their review and approval.
- Resurfacing: The Asphalt Section has completed Phase I of the FY 2010 resurfacing program.

SAFETY/PRODUCTIVITY

- Accidents: Motor vehicle accident-free days are shown below:

MAINTENANCE SECTION	ACCIDENT-FREE WORK DAYS
North	58
South	178

- Productivity: We are losing many hours of productivity with damaged, worn out, and dead-lined vehicles and equipment. Our large crane was moved to Pensacola for extensive hydraulic repairs. Our dump truck fleet has a high dead-line rate and often 1/3 of the fleet is not available when needed. On the positive side, we have received the last of the 4 motor graders that were approved for lease by the BCC on 5 January 2010.

UPCOMING PROJECTS

PROJECTS	S/U	CREW	SCHEDULED	NOTES
STORMWATER				
Ester Terrace Drainage	U	N	TBD	1
Lakeview Drive Pipe Extension	U	S	TBD	1
Install Pipe on Southwind Dr @ Turnberry Way	U	C	TBD	1
Sharilyn Swale Construction	U	A	TBD	1
Dorchester Pond Expansion	U	A	TBD	1
Red Barrow Culvert Repair	U	CO	Summer-10	1, 5
Carnegie Hills Stormwater Project	U	C	In-Progress	1
Elaine Avenue Stormwater Upgrade	U	C	TBD	1
Rainbow Lane Stormwater Installation	S	C	TBD	1
Millrun Drive Stormwater Repair (EWP)	U	CO	TBD	2
Overview Drive Retention Installation	U	A	TBD	1
Holloway Road Pipe Installation	U	C	TBD	1
Senterfitt Road Ditch Repair	S	A	In-Progress	1
Jack Stokes Road Wash Repair	U	A	TBD	1
Charley Day Road Pipe Repair (EWP)	U	CO	TBD	2

