



City of Corning

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THE CORNING FRIDAY NOTES

TO: MAYOR AND COUNCIL
FROM: CITY MANAGER JOHN L. BREWER, AICP
DATE: MARCH 6, 2015

SCHEDULES:

John Brewer: City Manager John Brewer will be out of the office beginning Wednesday, March 18th and returning on Tuesday, March 24th.

John Stoufer: Planning Consultant John Stoufer will be out of the office beginning Friday, February 27th through Friday, March 6th.

CITY MANAGER:

Streetscape Project:

Ed Anderson, Steve Lindeman, Dawn Grine and I met with Kelly Zolotoff of Caltrans District 2 and Barbara O'Keeffe of the Tehama County Transportation Commission to revisit the packet that must accompany our Streetscape Plans to the California Transportation Commission (CTC) for their approval in May. The packet will be forwarded to CTC upon approval of the Division of the State Architect (DSA).

Ed and I travelled to Sacramento on Tuesday to deliver the revised Streetscape Plans for DSA review and approval. We met with Rod Higgins of DSA staff and reviewed the updated plans with him. He asked that we provide some minor clarifications and have the Landscape Architect sign each of the landscape sheets prior to DSA "signing-off" the project. Ed is taking care of those details and will overnight the plans for DSA approval.

Rodgers Theater Restoration:

We have scheduled an "Open House" of Rodger's Theater for Tuesday March 24th at 7:00 p.m. Lester Fox and his band are scheduled to perform at the event. Valanne Cardenas prepared a Flyer advertising the event and we provided the flyer to the State Department of Parks & Recreation.

John Brewer, Building Official Terry Hoofard, and Councilmember Tony Cardenas met at the Theater on Thursday afternoon to discuss the next concrete pour and the position of the accessible ramp that will be provided.

2015 Street Re-Paving Project:

I'm finishing up the aerial photo/drawings that'll become part of the specifications for the repaving project. We'll also include photo/drawings of the individual intersections where we'll be making pedestrian ramp sidewalk improvements.

County Interview Panel:

The County is hiring a new Senior Transportation Planner for their Transportation Commission staff. I participated in the Job Interview Panel at the County Department of Public Works in Gerber on Thursday.

Northern California Water Association Meeting:

Assistant Public Works Director Steve Lindeman and I are attending the Northern California Water Association Meeting in Chico today. The subject of the meeting is "Managing Water for Another Dry Year".

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT:**Streets:**

"Fire Lane" signs were installed on Blossom Avenue by the Maintenance Crew. These signs were needed to keep cars from blocking emergency crew access.

Sewer:

Public Works cleared a lateral line on Sixth Avenue.

Water:

Public Works is in the process of exposing the water line at the Blackburn Well in order to prepare for the installation of a fire hydrant at the new Fire Training Center.

Parks:

Public Works is performing routine maintenance, including mowing the grass and repairing broken sprinklers.

POLICE DEPARTMENT:**Patrol:**

In addition to responding to 218 calls for service, a total of 34 officer reports were taken and there were 54 officer-initiated incidents. Officers made 13 misdemeanor and 3 felony arrests, 19 traffic stops and issued 20 citations of which 2 were felony, 15 were misdemeanors, 3 were infractions during the period of February 25, 2015 through March 4, 2015.