



CITY OF IOWA CITY MEMORANDUM

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Date: May 7, 2009
To: City Council
From: Rick Fosse, Director of Public Works
Re: Update: Flood-related activities

Engineering and Public Works Administration

- Worked with staff to develop the applications for the Community Disaster Grants.
- Iowa river bank repair on the Iowa River Corridor Trail south of Hills Bank is complete.
- Iowa Avenue Sewer Crossing repair is out for bid.
- Met with the Army Corps of Engineers to discuss the reconnaissance study.
- Developing plans for the repair of flood damaged infrastructure.
- Met with FEMA regarding the status of the Animal Shelter.
- Developing plans for the Boys Baseball Electrical Repair.
- Answered questions from the public regarding the Park Road Bridge and Dubuque Street Elevation Project and the North Waste Water Plant Relocation.
- Held Hazard Mitigation Plan meeting with the Iowa City Community School District.
- The electrical repair at Riverside Festival Stage is being completed.

Water Division

- Continued replacing meters in flooded areas (Idyllwild & Parkview Terrace) – in-house project
- Continue to work with Engineering for design and schedule on the 12" river crossing repairs (Old Plant and Hwy 6)
 1. HRG has been requested to provide design, specifications and inspection bid documents for the two projects (temporary and permanent repair). The estimated costs will be forwarded to FEMA.
- After meeting with Jeff Chalk with FEMA we are collating new data to clarify and increase the PW and Hazard Mitigation funding for the Peninsula well houses and respective electrical equipment.
 1. An updated PW and Hazard Mitigation Plan is being created with FEMA for CW 3, CW 4, & SW 4
- Hazard Mitigation report from Howard R. Green is expected to be complete by early May.
- Continuing to work with Steve Long to identify funding for additional Hazard Mitigation Projects.