

Heart of the Valley MSD Monthly Report for October 12, 2021

Work completed in September / October:

- Info Sheet, FAQ and Community Outreach PowerPoint presentation completed
- Review of website estimates / compiled follow up questions
- Monthly update meeting (virtual) with Brian and Dawn
- Drafted Community Outreach Plan with Task & Timeline
- Drafted presentation for Special Commission meeting (Oct. 28)
- Drafted Project Announcement news release
- Updated Task & Timeline
- Monitored media coverage
- Drafted Monthly Report

Coming up in October / November:

- Complete Community Outreach Plan and Task & Timeline based on feedback received
- Complete Community Outreach presentation for Special Commission meeting based on feedback received
- Deliver Community Outreach presentation to Commission (Oct. 28)
- Continue planning for website redesign
- Monthly update meeting (scheduled for 10/18)
- Update Task & Timeline
- Monitor media coverage
- Draft Monthly Report



Community Outreach Plan

Updated 9-29-21

Background

The purpose of the Community Outreach Plan is to share information for the utility's major interceptor project that will impact several stakeholder groups in the district's five member communities. The project has been in the planning stages for some time, but will move into the bidding and construction aspects in the next several months.

It is essential to be transparent about the project and provide ongoing communications to be sure all stakeholder groups are up to date on the progress of the project for the next 3 to 4 years.

The 5.5-mile system, originally installed in 1977, has experienced corrosion of the concrete pipe and structures (manholes and metering stations). The most recent video inspection by Great Lakes TV Seal, Inc. found extensive surface corrosion of the pipe, which threatens the longevity of the pipe.

The interceptor improvement project involves installing a liner inside the pipe; a liner that is resistant to acid, which has caused the corrosion of the pipe.

Audiences

- Municipal members
 - City of Kaukauna
 - Village of Combined Locks
 - Village of Kimberly
 - Village of Grand Chute
 - Darboy Sanitary District
- Residents along the river where the interceptor is located
- Residents / businesses served by HOVMSD
- General public / media

Key Messages

- Without this interceptor system improvement project now, the system will continue to deteriorate and require more substantial and costlier repairs in a few short years.
- This project positions the interceptor system to serve the district for an estimated 50 years without major upgrades.

Tactical Approach

It is important to take a proactive approach in communicating the importance of the interceptor project and and timeline for the project. Regular updates to the district members and those along the interceptor route are essential..

The following table outlines tactics, stakeholders, messaging, and timing, and can be updated as needed as the project on an annual basis; impact and tracking of efforts to occur quarterly.

Tactics	Stakeholder group(s)	Messaging	Timing & Frequency
Info sheet / FAQ sheet	All	Overall project description	Drafted summer 2021 Can be used for all interactions Update as needed throughout project
Community PowerPoint Presentation	All	Overall project description	Drafted summer 2021 Can be used for various community presentations Update as needed throughout project
Whiteboard / explainer video for website, presentations and social media	All	Overall project description	Late 2021
Announcement news release	All	Highlight project need and timing.	Late 2021 or early 2022
Municipal Board presentations	Municipal members	Provide regular updates to discuss need, timing and financial impact	Begin in early 2022 2x / year to each municipal member board
Small group meetings	Residents in impacted areas along the river	Project timeline, specific work along river, impact on neighborhoods	2022 and 2003 As needed
Social media / website messaging for municipal members	Municipal members, residents	General project updates focuses on needs and progress of project	Begin in early 2022 1 post / quarter
Project update news releases	All	Provide latest information on status of project	Starting in Q2 2022 Quarterly updates
Newspaper column to Post-Crescent / Times- Villager	All	Project benefits/ overview and updates on progress	Early 2022 1x / year for remainder of project
Website redesign, including Interceptor Project page	All	Tool to provide regularly updated materials to community	2022
Door hangers	Residents in impacted areas along the river	Provide updated information on project and neighborhood impact	Begin in 2023 as project work launches



Heart of the Valley Metropolitan Sewerage District Interceptor Improvement Project 2021 – 2022 Task & Timeline

Updated 10/5/2021

Task	Date	Info From	Responsibility	Drafted	Approved	Status / Result
JUNE						
In-person kick-off meeting	June 3	All	All	X	X	Completed
Fact Sheet/FAQ development	June	All	L&F			Continued in July
JULY						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	July 7	All	All	X	X	Completed
Commission meeting • Monthly report	July 13		L&F	X	X	Completed
Fact Sheet/FAQ development Copy Design	July	All	L&F	X	X	Copy sent to Brian / Dawn Design in progress
Community Presentation • PowerPoint	July		L&F	X		Two options drafted and sent to Brian H. 7/26

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Website review Observations / recommendations for website redesign	July	Brian	L&F	X	X	Submitted to Brian / Dawn
AUGUST						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	August 11	All	All	X	X	Completed
Commission meeting • Monthly report	August 10		L&F	X	X	Completed
Fact Sheet/FAQ development	August	All	L&F	X	X	Design completed and submitted to Brian / Dawn
Photos • Shoot photos at HOVMSD for future use	August 11	Brian	L&F	X	X	Completed
SEPTEMBER						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	Sept. 22	All	All	X	X	Completed
Commission meeting • Monthly report	Sept. 14		L&F	X	X	Completed
Complete Community Presentation	September		L&F	X	X	Final review – added several new photos – approved
Fact Sheet/FAQ development Copy Design	September	All	L&F	X	X	Info Sheet / FAQ completed

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Create Community Outreach Plan	September		L&F			Continued in Oct.
OCTOBER						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	Oct. 18	All	All			
Commission Meeting ● Monthly report	Oct. 12		L&F			
Complete Community Outreach Plan	October		L&F			Draft completed
Whiteboard videoDraft outlineVideo production	October		L&F			
Special Commission Meeting • L&F Outreach presentation	Oct. 26		L&F			
NOVEMBER						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	November	All	All			
Commission meetingMonthly report	November		L&F			
News release • Announcing project	November	Brian	L&F			
DECEMBER Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	December	All	All			

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Commission meeting • Monthly report	December		L&F			
January 2022						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	January	All	All			
Commission meeting • Monthly report	January		L&F			
Plan and schedule Municipal Board presentations	January		L&F			
February 2022 Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	February	All	All			
Commission meeting • Monthly report	February		L&F			
Newspaper column • Draft and submit to Post- Crescent and/or Times-Villager	February					
Social media / website copy for municipalities • Draft and distribute	February		L&F			

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March 2022						
Monthly planning, update and						
strategy meeting	March	All	All			
Commission meeting						
Monthly report	March		L&F			
News release						
Quarterly update	March	Brian	L&F			
Schedule small group meetings						
As needed / requested	March	Brian	L&F			
April 2022						
Monthly planning, update and						
strategy meeting	April	All	All			
Commission meeting						
Monthly report	April		L&F			
May 2022						
Monthly planning, update and						
strategy meeting	May	All	All			
Commission meeting						
Monthly report	May		L&F			
Social media / website copy for						
municipalities	May		L&F			
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June 2022						
Monthly planning, update and	T.	A 11	A 11			
strategy meeting	June	All	All			

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Commission meeting • Monthly report	June		L&F			
News release • Quarterly update	June	Brian	L&F			
July 2022						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	July	All	All			
Commission meeting • Monthly report	July		L&F			
Plan and schedule Municipal Board presentations	July		L&F			
August 2022 Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	August	All	All			
Strategy meeting	Tagast					
Commission meetingMonthly report	August		L&F			
Social media / website copy for municipalities • Draft and distribute	August		L&F			

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September 2022						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	September	All	All			
Commission meeting • Monthly report	September		L&F			
News release • Quarterly update	September	Brian	L&F			
October 2022						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	October	All	All			
Commission meetingMonthly report	October		L&F			
November 2022						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	November	All	All			
Commission meeting • Monthly report	November		L&F			
Social media / website copy for municipalities • Draft and distribute	November		L&F			
Door hangersDesign and print initial batch	November	Brian	L&F			
Draft Task & Timeline for 2023	November		L&F			

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December 2022						
Monthly planning, update and strategy meeting	December	All	All			
Commission meetingMonthly report	December		L&F			
News release • Quarterly update	December	Brian	L&F			