



**CITY OF GROVEPORT
REPORT TO MAYOR AND COUNCIL**

February 15, 2024

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- **Capital Projects:**

2024 Street Maintenance The period for solicitation of bids for this program of improvements will begin on February 21, 2024. It is expected bids will be received on March 7, 2024. Subject to receipt of a bid that is valid, judged acceptable and within budget, the intent would be to focus on street maintenance activities on alleys (Private and Maple), and on various street segments in the Bixford Green and Grovepointe neighborhoods, in Westport (segment on Cherry St), in Newport (segment on Tallman St) and in Founders Bend (segment on Landmark St). We are also including in the program, improvements for drainage along Maple Street.

Pickle Ball Courts Bids for construction are being received on 2/15/24. Assuming that a bid is received that is valid, judged acceptable and within budget, it is expected that a contract for construction would soon be entered into and a "Notice to Proceed" for construction could be issued to the selected contractor before the beginning of April, 2024. Construction is expected to be substantially completed in mid-summer, depending on weather and assuming no delays due to "supply chain" for materials.

- **Ebright Rd at Bixby** I reported on this last month. A traffic study of conditions and accidents is completed and under review by administration and the Franklin County Engineer. When we have received input from the County, I intend to brief Council on the report and its recommendations.

- **Development Projects**

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Redwood Apts. Hendron Site building construction continues.

Hendron Rd Animal Hospital Site work is underway, nearing completion

Franklin International A site improvement plan is being reviewed.

GMSD Transportation Center Construction of site improvements for additional vehicular parking and a prefab building for bus maintenance is underway.

Please contact Steve Farst with any questions or concerns.