

## **PROJECT'S MANAGERS REPORT**

**December 2011**

### **Fish Enhancement**

Clint and I have been dealing with the warranty on the Dodge flat bed truck. Hopefully by the time of the meeting we will have some news.

### **Library**

The library has some new books. Carol will put them in the system when she gets back.

### **Grant Writing**

Heather chose not to submit the Scenic Byways grant application. She had some concerns about being able to do the work. Her position is only funded through January if I remember correctly because we were thinking we would reapply for the grant. Anything that is decided will have to be out of the general fund or the Disaster fund.

I am planning to write the grant for the line extensions out EtolinView subdivision. I have contacted Barry with AP&T to get the budget information.

### **Alaska Energy Authority**

It does not seem like the city is using that wood heater. When I was there Thursday the Monitors were running. The wood heater is a huge cost savings.

### **SEAtails**

SEAtails is going to be sending out resolutions of support. It is in the city's best interest to support SEAtails since they have a great website and plan to do some interesting marketing.

### **Harbor Utilities**

Misty has been working with the contractors. The final inspection was conducted by Carolyn and Clint. I have the final pay request to do and a whole lot more paperwork. I promised Bernie Richert with Economic Development Administration I would stay until this project was done. It will be done soon.

### **Denali Commission Drive Down Ramp Grant**

I submitted the grant for the drive down ramp for the main dock. We should hear something soon.

### **Charter Dock**

I have applied for a permit modification to continue the work on getting the old barge ramp raised up and lengthened to the charter dock. We need to do the work this winter while they are not hauling logs. I would like to put the work out to bid in January. As it turns out, Bryce said they were going to keep logs there most of the winter. So the best time to bid the work is so it can get done in March.

### **Etolin View and Army Corp Permits**

Peter Olmstead transferred to Vancouver. We have two different people doing our different permits. I have contacted Linda in Sitka about our permit modification. It is in the works.

### **Winter Snow Removal**

Clint is going to do snow removal this winter. Bill will shovel the porches and do sidewalks. City Council members cannot be calling out people to plow snow. That is a designated job and Clint can handle it. He doesn't need council members directing him.

### **Council Training and Utility Audit**

Glen from Community and Regional Affairs will be in Coffman Cove as scheduled to do some training.

### **Clinic**

I have some grant reports to do and coordination with the Denali Commission.

### **Rainforest Islands Ferry**

I saw Kent Miller in Ketchikan. He is leaving tomorrow to look at boats in Louisiana

### **Tideline Clinic**

I participated in their board meeting last week.

### **Forest Service**

The Cluster meeting in Juneau is the 12<sup>th</sup> sponsored by the Forest Service. I am attending representing the city. I do not have much faith in this process but I can see what forward progress they think they can make.

### **Mining Jobs**

I went to the Alaska Miner's meeting in Fairbanks while I was there. They have them every Friday at 7AM. Ron Wolf went with me. I stood up and spoke on how the miner's and the timber industry have the same problems; environmentalist and permitting and we all need to stick together. They clapped. There was about 70 people there. I went to the Miner's breakfast in Juneau a few weeks ago. There have about 30 that show up. They are going to start a chapter for Ketchikan/Prince of Wales. I told them they should have part of the meetings ON Prince of Wales and not all in Juneau.

### **Governor's Timber Task Force**

We had our meeting in Fairbanks. I went on two field trips. One we drove to Delta Junction to look at a pellet mill. I had never been to one before. One pellet mill was real small and one was a huge multimillion dollar operation. I think we made some real progress at our meeting on Friday. We plan to be done with our final report by late spring. It is a very professional group of people to work with.

**Office Property and Library Property**

I saw Greg Scheff today with R&M Engineering. Greg surveyed the property the city office and library are located on several years ago. We need to get the school district to do a subdivision application and get the property conveyed to the city.

**Personal**

I am going to Florida for Christmas.

So far I have been able to keep up with everything. I check in with Misty every day and do most of my work over the telephone and email.