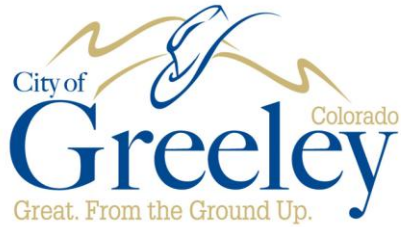




STORMWATER BOARD AGENDA

**June 1, 2011
Greeley Public Works Building
1001 9th Avenue, 1st Floor, 4:00 P.M.**

4:00 p.m.	Call to Order	Jim Belleau
	Roll Call	Jim Belleau
	Approval of April 6, 2011 Minutes	Jim Belleau
	2010 Stormwater Annual Report	Ron Hoagland
	Stormwater Comprehensive Capital Improvement Plan	Ron Hoagland
	Project Update	Ron Hoagland
	Open - Old and New Business	



STORMWATER BOARD MINUTES June 1, 2011

ATTENDANCE: Board Members attending were Don Beierbach, Dale Cook, Jay Freese, Jim Lord and Julie Them. Jim Belleau was excused from the meeting. Jon Osterlund was absent. Staff Members attending were Ron Hoagland and Ellen Hine.

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order at 4:12 p.m.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: The Minutes from April 6, 2011 were approved as written.

AGENDA TOPICS:

Ron Hoagland: 2010 Stormwater Annual Report - The Board members were pleased with the Annual Report. They stated Ron made it very detailed and understandable to the average person or public and was congratulated by the Board for his efforts.

Ron advised the Board that we have started videoing stormwater lines. Sunrise Park was part of the test area to see what conditions we would have. We have to clean the pipes and then camera the lines and significant damage to the pipes was found. We need to line them or dig them up; some of the pipes are not capable of being lined. We are going to hold off on resurfacing at Sunrise Park until the underlying storm lines are repaired, which may take a couple of years.

Dale Cook wants to keep City Council informed so they know what we are up against. Dale also wants to spend money on maintenance and maybe hold off on new projects. Dale wanted to thank the Stormwater Division for lining and cameraing because that saved the City a lot of money. Dale wants Ron to show where he saved money in the Annual Report. Julie Them made a motion to include any cost savings that we might have in the Annual Report, seconded by Jim Lord, motion passed.

Ron advised the Board about the problem residents were having at Promontory. A plumber cross-connected the sanitary sewer line with the underdrain line and residents were getting sewer gases in their basements. The Fire Department came up with the idea of blowing smoke into the underdrain lines and to watch the vents on the roofs. The vents are connected to the sanitary sewer line. Smoke came out of the roof on one house which indicated the house with the cross-connection. Four-inch clean outs are not large enough to allow cleaning. The developer spent about \$40,000 cleaning this up.

Stormwater Comprehensive Capital Improvement Plan - Dale Cook asked what City Council thought about the Stormwater budget. Ron stated he wanted the Stormwater Board to see it first to get their feedback. Dale would like City Council to be kept up to date on everything the Board is trying to accomplish. Ron stated that we now subscribe to a service that sends out information to Public Works' agencies about different grant programs. Dale asked if there were development issues for bringing new business into the City. Ron stated that having LePrino and the gas industry coming in will help.

Project Update:

35th Avenue & 22nd Street: This project will be very disruptive to traffic, but it should be done while school is out. The Board noted that the winning contractor had considerably more experience in this type of work than the losing bidder. A local contractor was low bidder and filed a complaint against the city because they weren't awarded the contract.

35th Avenue Regional Detention Pond: Fiore & Sons was awarded the contract. Their bid was 31 ½% below the engineer's estimate. Fiore has been given freedom as to when they start the project. They will most likely start closer to the end of the summer season and everything would be complete by March, 2012.

6th Avenue Wood Line: Ron spoke with the property owners and they are amenable to cooperating to get the project completed. Permits have been received from the Corps of Engineers. The project is scheduled to start next fall.

Belair: There will be another neighborhood meeting at Centennial Park Library, 2227 23rd Avenue, in the Meeting Room at 7:00 p.m., Wednesday, June 8, 2011, to discuss what needs to be done to improve drainage in the area. This will most likely be the last meeting before this project goes out to bid.

OPEN - OLD/NEW BUSINESS: New Business: The Board discussed the use of flood proofing to seal up flood prone buildings in the downtown area rather than spending the money to construct a larger storm drainage system. Jay Freese wants us to show a cost/benefit ratio. Ron stated problems occur in the bottom of the basin, but the cause comes from higher areas so you can't calculate a

positive cost/benefit ratio. The #3 Ditch was never meant to be a drainage conduit. Would it make sense to spend money to concrete #3 and make it deeper? Ron stated it is planned in the Downtown Drainage Study to lower pipes so they would handle a 25 year storm.

Ron will schedule a tour of current projects with the Board within the next couple of months.

ADJOURNED: Julie Them made a Motion to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Don Beierbach, the meeting was adjourned at 5:52 p.m.

NEXT MEETING OF THE BOARD: Wednesday, August 3, 2011, Greeley Public Works Building, 1001 9th Avenue, First Floor Conference Room, 4:00 p.m.

Ellen Hine, Stormwater Technician

Dale Cook, Board Chair