

Foreman Report  
March 2014

### **Roads**

- More snow and more plowing
- As spring is showing itself so are the frozen culverts. The crew has unthawed at least 40 culverts as of 4/7/14. I'm sure this is going to continue until it stops freezing at night.
- The 772 Grader and wing have continued to push snow back and try to reclaim the ditches around the island.

### **Parks and Rec.**

- Posting for a Parks Assistant and Parks Labor are current and will remain until filled.
- I met with Tony Brown and Scott Sander about completing their work at BBTP. They remain confident that they will be complete by May 24, 2014.
- Dick H. is going to return to work on April 14, 2014 as the Parks Supervisor

### **Trucks and Equipment**

- A new pressure washer was ordered
- The '98 Ford plow truck was damaged a little when the wing caught pavement and broke the passenger side window and a hinge on the wing.
- The 120 excavator's lower windshield was broken while moving snow at Griggs approach. A new one was purchased at Nortax.
- 54 plow truck has a broken windshield wiper switch. I have been unable to fix it or find a replacement. I will be pursuing outside means of help this week.

### **Administrative**

- Adam Hage has been hired as our new mechanic. He starts on April 14, 2014.
- Evan and I attended a "Call before you Dig" safety meeting hosted by Xcel energy in Ashland.
- Interviews for our Invasive Species interns have been conducted and the top candidates will be notified this week.

Respectfully Submitted,  
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