

## **FROM THE DESK OF THE CITY MANAGER**

Bids for the Water Main Replacement were received and opened with C.J. Hughes as the successful bidder. Our Engineers are currently reviewing and checking all aspects of this bid for accuracy and we expect to award this project the first part of April.

Our Pickleball Court Project has been awarded to Ohio Netting & Fence. Depending on the weather, we are hopeful that construction will begin in the very near future with completion of the courts by the middle to late summer.

With the summer months and hot weather right around the corner we would like to speak about our Swimming Pool. We have already started the clean-up process of the pool and its facilities to get it ready for opening day!!! The new filter system is in place and the contractor will be here the first of May to make sure everything is running as it should! We are currently accepting applications for Lifeguards, as well as Admissions and Concession workers. It's been a long three (3) years without our pool and we hope everyone will come and enjoy it again!

A contractor for the Riverfront Project has been named and we are currently awaiting Detailed Design Plans for the project. The permitting process is also underway and we hope to get a construction schedule in the very near future so we can anticipate our summer scheduling.

We are currently working with "Raindrop Company" for our design and planning stages for the Splashpad. Due to lead-time for ordering and shipping we hopeful to be able to start construction on this Splashpad this Fall. We continue to seek donations to go above and beyond the "basic" pad.