City of Ann Arbor

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Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday, May 10, 2022

9:00 AM

Special Meeting

Wheeler Service Center, 4251 Stone School Rd, conference room A

City of Ann Arbor Water System Advisory Council

I CALL TO ORDER

Call to order at 9:09 am.

II ROLL CALL

Present 6 - Jack Cederquist, Molly Maciejewski, Chuanwu Xi, Daniel

Brown, Jaclyn Bates, and Rebecca Lahr

Absent 1 - Lisa Wondrash

III APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Approved as presented

Yeas: 6 - Cederquist, Maciejewski, Xi, Brown, Bates, and Lahr

Nays: 0

Absent: 1 - Wondrash

IV APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approved as presented

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Approved

Yeas: 6 - Cederquist, Maciejewski, Xi, Brown, Bates, and Lahr

Nays: 0

Absent: 1 - Wondrash

V OLD BUSINESS

A. Water Service Line Inventory Update

Contractor is returning to complete the remaining water meter installations, this will assist with completing verification of materials.

- Reviewed a draft version of the Water Service Line Material Dashboard for feedback. This dashboard also communicates replacement progress.

https://a2-mi.maps.arcgis.com/apps/dashboards/eebadbc25ef04880b0b5cebfd1ba09e7

- Suggestions included:
- Provide more context for the numbers
- Promote progress via a timeline that outlines LCR requirement vs. city's replacement progress which is ahead of this timeline. % complete bold lettering in comparison to others.
- Colors should be easy to decipher by the public for progress (green = complete, red = incomplete etc)
- Pie charts larger with more context.
- Map smaller, click to enlarge into a new window with address search.
- increase font size of words
- provide a link to more information

B. Service Line Replacement Update

- New service line contractor started in 2022 that is able to increase replacements and keep pace to ensure funds are used and exceed LCR timeline requirements.
- Discussed re-evaluating the city's current LCR website regarding lead risk reality based on water treatment, though other variables exist within the home. These variables are under the home owners control which contribute to risk but are not city service related.

C. Federal LCR Updates

No updates since last meeting.

D. Outreach Updates

Listening sessions were held for ARPA

VI NEW BUSINESS

- A. Review of Wastewater Study Conducted by U of M
 - Chuanwu Xi reviewed where the study is to date.
 - Some results are not published yet, though results so far have provided early warnings of up ticks in diagnosis of COVID cases on campus.
 - The University was able to use the data to determine when to adjust prevention measures such as switching to online classes instead of in person.

- Website with details to date, https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/f2996168197c4bbfa05e76b893fd9a 8e

B. Notice Letter Modifications

- Modifying to communicate a more accurate time frame of replacement and create an urgency for return of signed replacement agreements.

VII NEXT AGENDA ITEMS

PUBLIC COMMENT

ADJOURNMENT

Adjourned at 10:09 am.

Adjourn

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