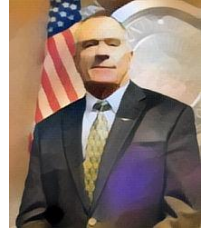




Supervisor Gleason District 1 May 2019

Supervisor Referral



- **Renfro Rd and Palm St**
 - Potholes (Reported by SD4)
 - Action Item: Received by Public works 03/15/2019 WO012626
 - Action Update: Potholes were patched. Bucket patch applied on 04/12/2019. **Completed**

- **Zachary Ave**
 - Homeless Encampment
 - Action Item: Received by Public Works on 04/19/2019 by Leigh Ann Cook. Reported by SD1, located in SD4.
 - Action Update: The Encampment is on private property. Referred to Code.

- **Alley behind 7400 Norris Rd**
 - Alley is extremely muddy due to water diverted from private property.
 - Action Item: Received by Public Works 02/15/19 WO012413
 - Action Update: Referred to Code Compliance. Property owner has removed the drainage pipes. **Complete**



ADMINISTRATION & ENGINEERING

Advanced Planning



- **Emergency Declaration for Sierra Hwy**
 - Due to heavy snow pack, flooding of the Kern River is starting to overflow onto Sierra Hwy that has the potential to fail. Maintenance work to begin this month, which is exempt from CEQA and CDFW.
- **Lake Ming Bike Path**
 - KernCOG has requested that we scope a project to complete construction of two remaining areas around Lake Ming: 2,700 ft south of the Kern River Golf Course and 900 ft on the west side; however, environmental difficulties is the reason it was omitted, originally. Staff to review if same issues exist.
- **Community Development Block Grant Application**
 - ADA project at Circle Park not chosen for funding
- **Lake Isabella Urban Greening Grant**
 - Submitted application to the California Natural Resources Agency (CNRA) for \$529,000 for the Hot Springs Valley Preserve Multi-Use Path Greening Project in Lake Isabella
 - County invited to 2nd phase of grant. Site visit with CNRA staff and the Kern River Valley Heritage Foundation (property owners\ on Wed; May 22.
- **Lake Isabella Grant Request**
 - Submitted application to FEMA (CalOES) in Jan 2019 in the amount of \$698,300 to construct a box culvert improve flow of run-off water at Erskine Creek which commonly floods during rain events.
 - Waiting for results.
- **Projects in Environmental Review:**
 - FY 18/19 - Crosswalk Safety upgrades (County-wide)
 - FY 20/21 - Lake Isabella Pedestrian Path
- **Kern County's Systemic Safety Analysis Report Program (SSARP) Application**
 - Consultant currently conducting an analysis of traffic collisions to develop a strategy for future use of HSIP funds. Meeting to discuss findings on May 15. Final report will be available in June.
- **Road Ratings**
 - Consultant to drive arterial and collector roads in the metro Bakersfield area in July. The automated pavement data collection and road rating service will be used to standardize road maintenance ratings and for project prioritization using GIS mapping. Approx. 200 miles targeted in each supervisorial district, including 3-4 neighborhoods based on Disadvantaged Community Designations as listed by CalEPA.



- **Available on KCOG website impacting regional long term planning**
 - Transportation Improvement Program Policy Update – to include analysis of new state performance measures and asset management
 - SB 375 Greenhouse Gas reduction target update - Reported 15% increase in vehicle miles traveled, need to reduce this as a region.
 - Infrastructure report card for Kern County is “C”, up from “D+” due to completion of 47 new bridges through TRIP. Full report <https://www.infrastructurereportcard.org/kerncounty>
- **Regional Transportation Improvement Plan (RTIP) Update**
 - Policy Update underway to include screening criteria for future regionally significant transportation projects including: Safety, Sustainability, System Reliability, Congestion Reduction, Cost Effectiveness, & Sustainable Communities Strategy.
 - New call for projects currently underway.
- **RSTP and CMAQ** - Project scoping underway. Deadline is Aug. 15.
- **Pilot project**
 - KernCOG seeking local agencies to participate in a Pilot Program with the County to fix right-of-way issues near city limits for coordination of road maintenance activities. City of Bakersfield, Arvin and Delano has expressed interest.

Traffic



- **Quail Creek Road at Hickory Hills Avenue - Northwest Bakersfield**
 - Received a request for an all-way STOP and concern about speeding at this intersection
 - Reviewed accident history. Intersection does not meet the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) accident warrants for all-way STOP installation.
 - Performed a speed profile. The 85th percentile speed for northbound traffic was 49 MPH. The 85th percentile speed for southbound traffic was 43 MPH
 - We placed our radar speed trailer on Quail Creek Road for one week to inform motorists of the speed they are traveling and the speed they should be traveling
- **Wegis Avenue between Stockdale Highway and Rosedale Highway - Northwest Bakersfield**
 - Received a concern about speeding
 - Performed a speed profile. The 85th percentile speed for northbound traffic was 47 MPH. The 85th percentile speed for southbound traffic was 52 MPH
 - Most motorists are not speeding, but informed the California Highway Patrol of the time of day when some motorists were exhibiting excess speed and requested additional enforcement during those times

➤ **Jasmine Avenue – Allen Road to Lassen Drive**

- Received a concern about speeding and a request for Speed Humps
- Performed a speed profile. The 85th percentile speed for eastbound traffic is 26 MPH. The 85th percentile speed for westbound traffic is 27 MPH. This does not meet County policy for speed hump installation.
- Reviewing corridor to see if additional improvements should be made.

➤ **Mohawk Street - Olive Drive to End**

- Received a concern about speeding and a request for Speed Humps
- Sent the Revised Speed Hump layout to the project proponent so she could gather the necessary signatures of approval

Design

➤ **Nord Avenue** - \$1,094,700 Congestion Mitigation Air Quality (CMAQ) Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA/SB 1)

- Construct shoulders and Class II Bike Path from Stockdale Hwy to Reina Rd
- In design for reconstruction of the travel way
- Construct Fall 2019



➤ **Renfro Road** - \$315,400 Congestion Mitigation Air Quality(CMAQ) / Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA/SB 1)

- Construct shoulders and Class II Bike Path from Rosedale Hwy to Hageman Rd
- In design for reconstruction of the travel way
- Construct Fall 2019

➤ **Sierra Drive Drainage – Road Fund**

- Drainage improvements along West side of Sierra Drive in Kernville to address runoff from commercial parcels and direct runoff to Kernville Rd. Additional parameters will need to be reviewed based upon further analysis of runoff quantities.
- In design
- Construction TBD

➤ **Vineland Rd** - \$338,600 Congestion Mitigation Air Quality(CMAQ) / Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA/SB 1)

- Construct shoulders and Class II Bike Path from Edison Hwy to Pioneer Drive
- In design
- Construct Fall 2019

➤ **Breckenridge Rd** - \$1,286,100 Congestion Mitigation Air Quality(CMAQ) / Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA/SB 1)

- Construct shoulders and Class II Bike Path from Monica Street to Comanche Drive
- In design
- Construct Fall 2019

- **Kratzmeyer Rd** - \$1,478,800 Congestion Mitigation Air Quality(CMAQ) / Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA/SB 1)
 - Construct shoulders from Enos Ln to Nord Ave
 - In design
 - Construct Summer 2019
- **Fruitvale Ave** - \$626,000 Congestion Mitigation Air Quality(CMAQ) / Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA/SB 1)
 - Construct shoulders and Class II Bike Path from Norris Rd to Snow Rd
 - In design
 - Construct Summer 2019
- **Oildale Interconnect** - \$605,500 Congestion Mitigation & Air Quality / Regional Surface Transportation Program / Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA / SB 1)
 - Merle Haggard Dr, Airport Dr, and Norris Rd
 - Submitted in April for E76 approval
 - Construction in Fall 2019
- **SWEF Projects**
 - Kern Valley Transfer Station Improvement
 - Diversion Area resurfacing and grading (phase 2) – in preliminary design stage
 - Ridgecrest Burn Dump Remediation – design stage
 - North of the River Burn Dump Remediation – in preliminary design stage

OPERATIONS

Construction

- **Asphalt Concrete Stockpile and Windrow Stockpile at Various Locations in East Kern County** - \$1,386,00 Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA / SB 1)
 - Manufacture and deliver asphalt concrete for road maintenance use
 - Contractor: Granite Construction - \$1,203,500
 - Delivery underway
 - Anticipate completion in June 2019
- **Round Mountain Road** - \$1,186,302 CMAQ / Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA / SB 1)
 - Pave shoulders and install metal beam guardrail
 - Contractor: Griffith Company - \$1,370,605
 - Construction underway
 - Anticipate completion June 2019



Road Maintenance



➤ Roberts Lane Road Yard

- Patched roads:
 - Oildale Streets, Warren St, Plymouth St, Famoso Rd, Kimberly Ave, roads around Standard School District, Wisteria St, Gillum St, E Warren Ave, Superior Rd, Sullivan Rd, Fruitvale Alley, Hageman Rd, Wear St, and Rudd Ave
- Surface grading, clearing debris and wash outs along Rancheria Road



➤ Kernville Road Yard

- Patching Roads
 - Sierra Way, Caliente Bodfish Road from the "Y" to Havilah, Southlake Streets, Old State Road, Kernville Streets, Lake Isabella Blvd, Faye Ranch Road,
- Surface Grading of Old State Road and Piute Mountain Road
- Shoulder Backing along Kelso Valley Road
- Replaced a culvert at Waggy Flat and Old State Road
- Cleaned rock slides along Burlando Road and other area roads
- Reinforced the soil berm along Sierra Way from SR 178 to the South Fork Kern River

➤ Inyokern Road Yard

- Patched potholes
 - Bowman Rd, Searles Station Rd, Cantil Streets, Dolphin Ave,
- Performed Storm Repairs
 - Removed debris and soil from Garlock Rd, Redrock Randsburg Road
- Completed surface grading and cleaning drains on Jawbone Canyon Road

➤ Granite Road Fault North of James Road

- Plans have been made to install advance warning/flashing beacons at this location.
- Beacon shipment received
- Anticipate installation in June

➤ **Supervisor Referrals**

➤ **WO012413 Alley Behind 7400 Norris Rd**

- Robert's Lane Crew patched alley potholes and completed this on 4/11/19
- Maintenance will monitor and make repairs as necessary



Waste Operations

➤ **Semi-Annual Bulky Waste Collection Event**

- 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Saturday, April 13, 2019
- Hosted by Kern County Public Works and Kern Refuse Haulers
- Salvation Army will be onsite to accept item donations
- Drop-off locations - 528 total customers
 - Kern County Fair Grounds - 215 customers - 19.59 Tons
 - Public Works Roberts Ln Transfer Station - 168 customers - 23.42 Tons
 - Kern Medical - 145 customers - 12.51 Tons



➤ **Illegal Dumping Cleanup Event - Kern River Valley**

- Scheduled 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM, Saturday, May 11, 2019
- Meeting location: Kernville Chamber of Commerce
- Hosted by Kern River Conservancy - Gary Ananian
- Approximately 25 volunteers
- Locations to focus efforts to be determined
- Public Works to provide safety briefing, gloves, trash bags, safety vests, and disposal

➤ **R.A.P.I.D. - Removing and Preventing Illegal Dumping**

- Patrol conducted illegal dumping cleanup on Famoso Rd, Granite Rd, Round Mountain Rd, and Golden State Hwy.



- Encampments removed from the road right-of-way or county property
 - 7th Standard Underpass @ Golden State Hwy
 - Referred to Flood Ministries
 - RAPID abated encampment





- 9150 Golden State Hwy
 - Referred to Flood Ministries
 - RAPID abated encampment



Transit



➤ **New Schedules**

- Began Monday, February 25th
- Changes to Route 130 (Bakersfield – Frazier Park)
 - Santa Clarita service began May 1
 - Route 210 (Frazier Park – Pine Mountain Club) schedule has been adjusted to connect with new 130 times
- Changes to Route 140 (Bakersfield – Lamont – Arvin)
 - All trips will serve Arvin (previously mid-day trips only went as far as Lamont)
- Changes to Route 240 (Mojave – Boron)
 - Times adjusted to improve connections with other routes

➤ **Bakersfield College**

- All BC students with a BC ID can ride any Kern Transit “100” bus (buses that serve Bakersfield) for free from the first day of class to the last day of finals.
- Funded through a “Cap and Trade” grant
- Over 13,000 rides were provided during the Fall semester.
 - Free Ride Program resumed on January 12th with the start of the Spring semester.
- Free Rides will also be offered during the Summer session.
- We will have funding available to offer this program again during the 19-20 year. We are working with BC on a grant to extend and expand this program for the future.

BUILDING & DEVELOPMENT

Code Compliance



6561 Valley Avenue, Inyokern – 61634

- Burnt structure, trash, junk and debris, storage of misc. items
- Final Notice mailed and posted on site
- Contractors are being requested for County to proceed with demolition of the primary structure and cleanup of the property
- 30-Day Notice and Order mailed to additional party.
- This project will be carried over to next fiscal year
- This case will be coming before the BOS for approval as the cost will be over \$10,000.00
- Scheduled to go to the Board for abatement approval on April 2, 2019
- **Abatement approved by the Board on April 2nd. Once I receive the Resolution from County Counsel it will need to be posted for 30 days.**
- **Notice of Resolution posted onsite on April 30th. Abatement scheduled for May 30th.**



6666 Patrice Avenue, Inyokern – 64310

- Open and unsecured
- Due for inspection February 24, 2019
- Site inspection on February 28, 2019, violations remain. Final Notice mailed and posted on property on February 28, 2019
- **Contractor is starting to abate violations on April 8, 2018**
- **Violations have been County abated**





747 Redhill Road, Bodfish – 64814

- Open and unsecured, trash, junk, debris, inoperable vehicles, storage of misc. items and weeds
- 30 Day Notice and Order mailed November 14, 2018
- 30 Day Notice and Order posted on site January 18, 2019, next inspection due on or after February 18, 2019
- Unable to inspect due to location and weather
- **Contractors have been requested, bids due back April 12th**
- **Currently being abated. Completion scheduled May 6th**



17006 Laurie Lane, Onyx – 63976

- Trash, junk, debris, storage of misc. items, inoperable/abandoned vehicles, storage of RV, unauthorized use as a recreational vehicle and weeds
- This case will be coming before the BOS for approval as the cost will be over \$10,000.00
- Scheduled to go to the Board for abatement approval on April 2, 2019
- **Abatement approved by the Board on April 2nd. Once I receive the Resolution, from County Counsel, it will need to be posted for 30**
- **Notice of Resolution posted onsite on April 30th. Abatement scheduled for May 30th**



5719 Shoffstall Lane, Weldon – 64509

- Trash, junk, debris, storage of misc. items, inoperable/abandoned vehicles, unauthorized use of recreational vehicles and weeds
- Inspection with KCSO confirmed violations remain. Several RV's and inoperable vehicles were tagged for removal
- 30 Day Notice and Order posted on site January 7, 2019. County to proceed with abatement if violations remain after February 8, 2019
- First Administrative Citation issued February 19, 2019. Next inspection due on or after March 20, 2019
- **Contractors have been requested, bids due back April 15, 2019.**
- **Awarded to Contractor. Abatement scheduled May 8th**



4225 Weiman Avenue, Ridgecrest – 61336

- Inoperable vehicles, storage of RV's, occupied RV's, trash, junk, debris, storage of misc. items
- Owner is in the process of evicting the tenants
- Violations remain, 2nd. Administrative Citation requested.
- This project will be carried over to next fiscal year
- Officer received a call from a party that is attempting to purchase the property, granted EOT to February 15, 2019
- Site inspection on February 26, 2019 confirmed owner has made significant progress, we will continue to monitor
- **80% abated by owner, will continue to monitor.**
- **Owner abated**



724 Wasp Avenue, Ridgecrest – 62246

- Trash, junk, debris, occupied RV, inoperable vehicles, storage of misc. items
- First Administrative Citation issued April 27, 2018
- Inspection on January 10, 2019 confirmed little progress has been made towards the abatement of the violations. Final Notice mailed January 11, 2019.
- Due for inspection on or after February 11, 2019. Additional 30 Day Notice and Order mailed February 1, 2019
- Site inspection on February 26, 2019, violations remain
- Violations have been County abated



3601 S. China Lake Blvd., Ridgecrest – 60017

- Tires, trash, junk, debris, storage of misc. items
- This case will be coming before the BOS for approval as the cost will be approximately \$18,000.00, scheduled for February 26, 2019
- Board approved to proceed with abatement, once we receive Resolution we will need to post for 30 days prior to proceeding
- **Notice of Resolution was posted March 28, 2019, abatement can begin 30 days after the posting.**
- **Currently being abated. Completion scheduled May 6th**



2225 Hinson Street, Lake Isabella – 65133

- Fire damaged structures, trash, junk, debris, weeds and storage of misc. items
- 30 Day Notice and Order mailed February 26, 2019.
- Notice and Order mailed to all parties of interest and posted onsite April 30th



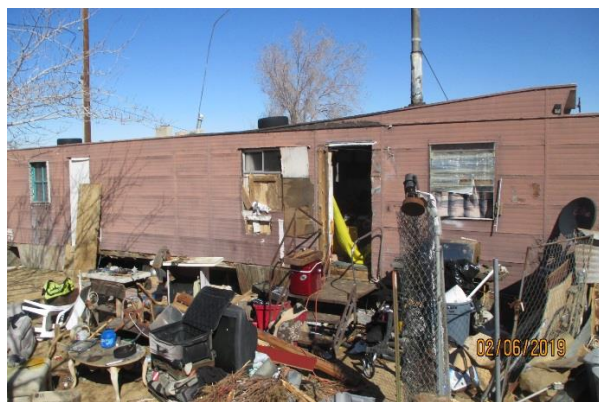
9 Windy Hill Court, Wofford Heights – 64899

- Trash, junk, debris, inoperable vehicles, and lack of utilities
- Property posted “Occupancy Unsafe”.
- Site inspection on February 22, 2019 confirmed some progress is being made towards abatement
- 30 Day Notice and Order mailed March 4, 2019 and posted March 21, 2019
- **80% abated will Continue to monitor**



APN #155-284-08, Comstock Avenue, Johannesburg - 65220

- Trash, junk, debris, storage of misc. items, storage of RV, lack of utilities, inoperable/abandoned vehicles
- On February 6, 2019 property was posted "Occupancy Unsafe", several RV's and vehicles were tagged for removal
- 30 Day Notice and Order was mailed and posted onsite April 18th
- Final Notice will be posted April 18th



APN #155-236-09, Goler Avenue, Johannesburg - 65218

- Site inspection on February 6, 2019 confirmed violations, open and unsecured structures, trash, junk, debris, storage of misc. items, lack of utilities and weeds. Property posted "Occupancy Unsafe"
- 30 Day Notice and Order mailed February 14, 2019
- Next inspection due on or after March 15, 2019
- **Violations abated by the owner.**



Attendees: