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**TO:** Finance Advisory Committee  
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**SUBJECT:** **Agenda Item 5 – 11/02/2020 FAC Meeting**  
Utilities Department Update.

**DESCRIPTION**

This report provides an update on the projects and activities the Utilities Department have been pursuing.

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**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

***Information Only***

**Utility Department Updates**

**1. 8<sup>th</sup> Street Water Yard Building**

Construction of the building is completed. Staff is working through issues on the fire alarm system.

**2. 10<sup>th</sup> Street Exterior Coating Project**

The project commenced as of September 22<sup>nd</sup>; the project was completed on October 3<sup>rd</sup>.

**3. South Bay Well Transmission Main Project**

This project is nearing completion. The pipeline has been laid. There will still be some follow-up work like repairs to pavement etc.

**4. SCADA Project Update**

The Phase I Radio Survey has been completed. The report was received on October 12, 2020 and staff is reviewing for next steps. Next steps would be to begin the design, develop the scope of work and finalize the bid documents.

**5. 10<sup>th</sup> Street Well Issues**

The 10<sup>th</sup> Street well has been out of service since June 15<sup>th</sup>. Staff received a negative bacterial result on October 14<sup>th</sup>. There were issues with getting the well back in service. Spencer Harris recommended we keep it out of service until the lining project is completed. The lining project will begin within the next two weeks dependent upon delivery of materials.

**6. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street Well**

The 3<sup>rd</sup> street well has been out of service since 2015. At that time there was a state regulation for maximum contaminant level (MCL) for Chromium 6 of 10 parts per billion (µg/L). In September 2017 the state repealed the MCL. Recent Chromium 6 sampling at the well site produced a 3.7 µg/L result. Staff conferred with staff from the State Drinking Water Division on the process required to get this well back into service. There are just a few constituents that require sampling and then we will be looking at putting this well back into service.