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City Administrator Report to Mayor & City Council

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WEEKLY UPDATE:

- In-Depth: We are planning an in-depth on the 25th Street South and 47th Ave West issue that keep popping up. Date TBD. We are always looking for in-depth items of interest to council that we can appropriately prepare for and schedule. Please let us know if you have ideas!
- Roundabout: The City of Muscatine has awarded the contract to Heuer Construction for building the roundabout at 2nd & Mulberry. We have scheduled a meeting on Wednesday, September 4th, at 10:00 a.m. in the Board Room at the Musser Public Library to discuss the project. Jamie Heuer (Contractor) and City staff will be present to share anticipated schedules and attempt to answer questions you may have regarding the project.
- Muscabus: Kevin and Amy have created a new Facebook page for Muscabus as an additional resource and "go to" page for updates and notifications (a one-stop shop). Still a work in progress, but we hope it is helpful. <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Muscabus/170106406336217>
- BioCell: DPW staff is down installing the permeable pavers today across from City Hall as process continues not he new BioCell.
- Trail: The IDOT bid letting for the new trail (CAT Grant) came in around \$300,000 high. Staff is reviewing options for funding and whether we may be able to seek an extension from the IEDA for the remaining projects due to cost, the housing project, and the flooding that affected the County's Cabin project. Andrew is checking with County Staff not he status of their project.
- FEMA: FEMA is in town touring various sites today and Monday in an effort to define what projects/repairs will be eligible for reimbursement.

"I remember Muscatine for its sunsets. I have never seen any on either side of the ocean that equaled them" — Mark Twain