

City Administrator's Report

August 1, 2024

Diamond Crest Park Update

During June and July, park staff worked with a local contractor for the Diamond Crest Park Restroom building pad. This contractor underwent a staffing change during the process. After meeting the new team member later in July, we received a quote that exceeded our budget. Staff quickly coordinated internally with other City departments to find another contractor. Information has been sent to a new contractor who is now familiar with the project, and we are currently awaiting their quote to construct the restroom building pad. The restroom delivery was pushed to after Labor Day, as the park will not be as congested, and visitors will not be as affected by construction.

Sewer Line Warranty of America

We have received communications from SLWA to inform us of an upcoming price increase for the City of Smithville. This change will only affect current SLWA customers upon renewal of their existing plans starting in November 2024. Customers will be notified of the \$0.50/month increase at least 30 days prior to their renewal, and at that time they will have the ability to contact SLWA with any concerns or questions they may have.