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P R E S I D E N T ' S D A Y

- **City offices will be closed on Monday, February 20th in observance of the President's Day Holiday.**
- **Please call the Police Department, 654-2131, if you have an emergency such as a water line break or sewer back-up. On-call personnel will be dispatched.**

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Project Updates

The Water and Sewer Division has completed the construction of the new water line on Pine Street from 13th Street to 17th Street. Recently they began flushing the line and taking samples to get the line ready for use. The operating permit application was submitted to the IEPA this week. Once the permit has been issued, crews will begin tying in the individual service lines along Pine Street. With the cooperation of Mother Nature, the entire project should be complete before summer.

Earlier this month Three-Way Creations, the contractor on the Library Landscape project, planted trees and shrubs. At this time all the perimeter landscaping has been planted, landscaping rock will follow. The project will continue with additional landscaping to the main library entrance as well as in the islands. Some new lighting will also be installed. This project is expected to be completed by late spring.



In the past month or so the Street and Alley Division has been helping the Parks & Recreation Department with tree planting along the city right of way on Iberg Road and Frank Watson Parkway. So far 100 red maple trees have been planted along Iberg Road. An additional 200 trees have been planted along Frank Watson Parkway and Koepfli Lane. The addition of trees not only beautifies the area, but the promise of shade will make a summer walk more pleasant.

