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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT - AUGUST 2021

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Most of our time this month continued to be grass cutting. As we had time, we had a crew out doing some roadway patching. The Bike Path was getting a little overgrown so we had a crew move in there with the chipper to cut back the sides and low hanging tree branches particularly from the old railroad bridge toward Sheridan Drive.

A dead tree on Rim Road had to be trimmed back with the use of the bucket truck from PPIS. A small sinkhole in Rexford Drive had to be excavated, repaired and repaved. Continued work on storm inlets that needed repair.

We had 2 large rain events, one on the 18^{th} and another on the 22^{nd} and 23^{rd} , that required barricades of the usual areas. These areas needed cleanup afterwards and the sweeper was sent out to collect debris on various roads of the township.

The Yard Waste Recycle Center recorded 886 visits for the month. We have been keeping up with the tub grinding of the yard waste on a monthly basis and hauling the mulch to Green Pond Nursery as is customary.

Respectfully submitted,

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