

## **TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM**

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## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT MONTHLY REPORT - OCTOBER 2021

Repairs continued to the Tow Path along the river. The surface of the path had to be repaired due to the flood damage and new screenings hauled in to dress up the top in sections that required the additional material.

Grass cutting continued throughout all of the township parks and detention ponds. The radial arm mower was keeping up with cutting roadsides. We had some time prior to the start of leaf season to send out the tar buggy to get some crack sealing completed. There was a report of a dead tree along a pathway at Housenick Park that had to be taken down. A sinkhole in the Oliver Court detention pond had to be repaired.

The contractor has been working on the swale repair in Municipal Park near the Community Center. This project is being done in cooperation with Wildlands Conservancy.

Leaf collection season began in the second week of the month. As we progress through the month, we add trucks depending on the amount of leaves we are seeing out on the road.

The Yard Waste Recycle Center recorded 1148 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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