MEMO

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Mark Gaugh, City Manager

Date: September 17, 2012

Re: Manager's Report

Eighth St. Construction Project – The contractor mobilized his traffic control subcontractor last Wednesday to begin setting the appropriate traffic signs for the project.

Sidewalk Replacements – The next step in continuing the City's sidewalk replacement program is to have the contractor begin working on the remainder of our current list as funds support. We are requesting to approve the bid on this reading in order to take advantage of favorable construction weather.

Grand Ave. Drainage Improvements – City crews began clearing brush and silt from the drainage area on E. Grand. The area already looks much better. We also have some electrical improvements in that area, part of which will be to install at least one new pole and possibly re-route some of the three-phase service there.

Police Department Patrol Car Replacements – In our new budget, we have funded the replacement of one patrol car. We are looking into cost-effective ways to replace part of patrol car fleet, since most of them have high mileage. We may be able to replace several cars at one time without impacting our General Fund to any great extent, if at all. We will schedule a Public Safety Committee meeting to present these options.