
**VILLAGE OF SUGAR GROVE
BOARD REPORT**

TO: VILLAGE PRESIDENT & BOARD OF TRUSTEES
FROM: ANTHONY SPECIALE, DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS
GEOFF PAYTON, STREETS & PROPERTIES SUPERVISOR
SUBJECT: DISCUSSION: VILLAGE SIDEWALK PROGRAM
AGENDA: AUGUST 20, 2019 BOARD MEETING
DATE: AUGUST 14, 2019

ISSUE

Discussion of the Village's Annual Sidewalk Program.

DISCUSSION

In a follow up to the recent Board discussion at the July 16, 2019 Board Meeting, sidewalk repairs are continuing to be a frequently requested service. Currently, there are approximately 20 requests totaling 55 squares of sidewalk that meet the criteria for replacement under the ADA guidelines. In addition, a request has been made to address the specific ADA ramps in Mallard Point. The estimated cost to repair the high priority trip hazards is \$15,800 and the replacement of the ADA ramps is estimated at \$6,400 for a total cost of \$22,100 for the entire program. These costs are only preliminary and may fluctuate as field conditions change.

The Village currently budgets \$10,000 annually for sidewalk work including offering a 50/50 Cost Sharing Program with a maximum participation level of \$2,500 and General Repairs for \$7,500. Given the potential liability for known trip hazards and the importance of ADA ramps, Staff is recommending that the high priority trip hazards throughout the Village and priority ADA ramp concerns in Mallard Point be completed in 2019. This would require additional funding of \$12,200 to complete. The additional funds could come from the Reserve Fund without impacting the 25% funding policy.

COST

The estimated cost of 2019 Sidewalk Program as presented is \$22,200. The Sidewalk budget (\$10,000) is included in the Fiscal Year 19-20 Infrastructure Fund, account number 01-53-6405: Repair & Maintenance Services: Right of Way.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Village Board discuss the proposed 2019 Sidewalk Program and direct Staff how to proceed.