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## Public Works November 2021

We pumped 5,304,000 gallons of water. Unknown amount sold or % of loss.

We have completed 4 sewer taps, 3 water taps, and 5 water leaks. We changed out 5 bad meters with new style radio heads.

At the Gonzales lift station, we had a wear ring come loose on a pump. Our local pump repair company pulled the pump, repaired the pump at his shop, and reinstalled the pump the following Monday. The run time on that one pump is still high, so we are investigating the cause; however, it's functioning well at this time.

The Oak Forest lift station will be repaired within the next few weeks following receipt of a pump control panel.

We have found elevated levels of lead in the water at some sample sites. These samples were collected on 9-30-21. We currently have 10 sites that we test, and 3 came back higher than 0.015 (mg/L). This has required us to post Lead Public Education that has been mailed to every active water meter in town. I have also mailed out a letter to the sites that have exceeded the EPA guidelines. Further testing was completed on 11-30-2021, and we are waiting on the test results. The City will double the number of sample sites to 20 and start testing the water entering the system for lead, as well, along with a comprehensive analysis of the minerals in our water that would affect leaching of lead from old pipes/solder in older homes and businesses.

Public Works is just in the beginning stages of the testing. I have reached out to TCEQ and our local lab for assistance. Please note that this is not a violation. We are doing the Public Education and additional samples as a precaution. If, during the end of 2021 to 2022, all the samples meet the threshold, we will stop the lead Education.

Brent (BJ) Sultemeier

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# POLICE DEPARTMENT

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## Summary of November 2021

JCPD had 143 Calls for service

JCPD made 227 Traffic stops

24 Citations Issued

JCPD Investigated 2 Motor Vehicle Accidents

JCPD made 12 Out of city assists

JCPD made 11 Arrests

- 1 Arrest for Driving While Intoxicated.
- 3 Warrant Arrests.
- 1 Arrest for MIP Tobacco.
- 1 Arrests for Assault Family Violence.
- 1 Arrests for Possession of Drug Paraphernalia.
- 1 Arrest for Possession of Controlled Substance (Methamphetamine).
- 1 Arrest for Possession of Controlled Substance (Cocaine).
- 1 Arrest for Evading Arrest/ Detention in a Motor Vehicle.
- 1 Arrest for Unauthorized Use of a Vehicle.

### Personnel

We are currently doing backgrounds on two applicants for the open Police Officer position. We feel very certain we will have made a job offer to one by the end of the week.

### Public Safety

On November 9<sup>th</sup>, Officer Ethan Bishop was dispatched to an attempt to locate call in to a motor vehicle that fled a traffic stop in the City of Marble Falls. While Officer Bishop was looking for the vehicle, he learned that it had possibly been reported stolen. Officer Bishop found the vehicle as it entered the city limits traveling south on Nugent Ave. When Officer Bishop was able to run the license plate, he learned that the truck had been stolen at gun point in Bexar County. Officer Bishop followed the truck which was now traveling west on US HWY 290 awaiting backup units to arrive. Deputy's from the Blanco County Sheriff's Office caught up to Officer Bishop in Hye, TX and a traffic stop was made just inside Gillespie County. The driver stopped and a felony traffic stop was conducted. The driver complied and was taken into custody without incident.

On November 26<sup>th</sup>, Officer Chad Wiggins was conducting traffic enforcement near the south limits when he observed a vehicle traveling 84MPH in the 55 mile per hour speed zone. When



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officer Wiggins attempted to make a traffic stop for the speeding violation the driver sped up and continued north on US 281. Officer Ethan Bishop intercepted the stop and took over as the lead officer. The driver continued northbound at a high rate of speed. Both JCPD units continued to follow the vehicle with lights and siren activated. Burnet County dispatched was notified of the chase and began sending law enforcement to assist JCPD. I was notified of the vehicle pursuit and began heading north to assist. As the driver entered Marble Falls City Limits, he turned east of HWY 71. I notified JCPD Units to discontinue the pursuit when they reached the Travis County line. I was able catch up to the JCPD units near Spicewood, TX. We were all notified the Texas DPS Troopers were heading our way and would assume the pursuit when we terminated. As we approached the Travis County Line all JCPD Police units terminated the chase. Officer Bishop and I continued to follow the fleeing vehicle at a distance awaiting TXDPS to show up. It was at this time we observed to vehicle pull into the parking lot of a 7-11 Gas Station. We followed and the vehicle came to a stop in front of the store. The driver was taken into custody without incident and Officer Wiggins transported him back to the Blanco County Jail.

If any of you have any questions or feedback on my monthly reports, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,

Chief Ross Allen

City of Johnson City  
Code Enforcement

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Address	Violation #	Warning Type	Date Issued	Officer Issuing	Grace Period	Ext Given	Disposition
102 S. Ave G	Signs 3.06.004	Warning	44531	J. Oestreich 405			
102 Post Oak	Weeds	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
111 N Ave Q	Weeds	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
111 Heritage Dr	Weeds	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
143 Heritage	Weeds	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
204 N. Ave C	Vehicle	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
305 S. HWY 281	Weeds	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
113 Heritage Dr	Vehicle	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
143 Heritage Dr	Rubbish	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
109 Heritage Dr	Vehicles & Rubbish	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
104 Heritage Pt.	Vehicle & Rubbish	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
102 Oak Circle	Rubbish	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
133 Heritage Dr	Vehicles	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
106 Fannin	Vehicle	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
104 Yucca	Vehicles & Rubbish	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
125 Heritage Dr	Vehicle & Rubbish	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			
105 Hill Crest	Vehicle	Warning		J. Oestreich 405			