

CITY OF JOLIET

INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

December 22, 2025

TO: Public Service Committee

FROM: Allison Swisher, P.E., Director of Public Utilities

SUBJECT: Report on Utilities' Maintenance Activities

The following maintenance activities have been conducted since last reported at the December 1, 2025, Public Service Meeting:

Hydrant Repairs: Seventeen fire hydrants have been repaired. There are currently 77 out of service hydrants (0.9% of 8351) and 67 hydrants that are operational but need repairs (0.8% of 8351).

Valve Repairs: One valve has been reset or repaired.

Water Main Breaks: Eight water main breaks have been repaired. For 2025 there have been a total of 149 water main breaks. For the same period of time, we had 171 main water breaks in 2024, 156 in 2023, 207 in 2022, 198 in 2021, 181 in 2020, 240 in 2019, and 247 in 2018.

There were two new contracted services. On November 13th, Camco assisted the Sewer Department with installing new pipe at the Arbeiter ponds near Black Road. On November 26th, Austin Tyler assisted the Sewer Department with a sanitary point repair at 1004 Nicholson due to the presence of a fiberoptic cable and other utilities.