

# CITY OF JOLIET

## INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM

February 13, 2026

**TO: Public Service Committee**

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

**SUBJECT: Report on Utilities' Maintenance Activities**

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The following maintenance activities have been conducted since last reported at the February 2, 2026, Public Service Meeting:

Hydrant Repairs: Four fire hydrants have been repaired. There are currently 75 out of service hydrants (0.9% of 8351) and 67 hydrants that are operational but need repairs (0.8% of 8351).

Valve Repairs: Three valves have been reset or repaired.

Water Main Breaks: Thirteen main water breaks have been repaired. For 2026 there have been a total of 21 water main breaks. For the same period of time, we had 34 water main breaks in 2025, 37 in 2024, 19 in 2023, 69 in 2022, 53 in 2021, 17 in 2020, 63 in 2019, and 76 in 2018.

There were two new contracted services. On January 29<sup>th</sup>, Camco completed a valve repair at the intersection of Connor Ave and State Street due to the depth of the excavation. On February 3<sup>rd</sup>, at 106 Old Elm and Rt 53, Camco completed a water main break repair due to the complexity of the repair.