



City of Loveland

City Manager's Weekly Report

February 6, 2026



New Water Service Truck Delivered this week

Administration

This week, Assistant City Manager Chris Wojnicz participated in a podcast with Chuck Gibson of the Loveland Beacon to give an update on the City's progress with its PFAS remediation efforts. This was followed up with the regular monthly progress meeting for the PFAS design with AECOM and MS Consultants. At this meeting, the draft basis of design report was reviewed and will be finalized within the month. This report is the backbone of the new treatment facility from which the rest of the design will build off of. Several innovative and value engineering concepts were identified and implemented.

Duke Energy conducted their pre-construction meeting with their contractors for the utility pole relocation as part of the Loveland Madeira Phase 1 project. They should begin relocation soon, allowing partner utilities to begin relocating to the new poles. The new pole locations will allow for the new sidewalks to be installed.

Tuesday, Assistant City Manager, Chris Wojnicz, City Engineer, Kelsey Richards and myself participated in a meeting with the Army Corp. of Engineers regarding the Riverside Drive Project. The meeting focused on needed utility relocations and general progress on what will be one of the city's largest capital projects in many years. One of the highlights from the meeting was a determination that one signalized lane of traffic will likely be able to be maintained during construction. This was a concern of the city due to the impact a full road closure would have on our residents and the businesses along Riverside Drive.

Thursday, the Civil Service Commission met voted to close the current eligibility lists for the Police Officer and Mechanic/Maintenance Worker positions, as all candidates have been exhausted. The Commission also approved staff recommendations to begin new hiring processes for both positions.

Building and Zoning

This weeks update from the Building and Zoning Department:

- The tent permit was issued for Loveland Show Choir's Showfest which will run at the High School, 1 Tiger Trail, on February 13 & 14.
- Plans are in review for the construction of a drilled pier wall to stabilize the parking lot of St. Columban, 894 Oakland Rd.
- Schnicke Development Group will be going into the 2nd floor of 209 W. Loveland Ave. They have submitted their plans for some interior alterations to prepare their new space.
- Inspections continue at the new fire station, 220 E. Loveland.

Public Works

Following City Council's authorization at its January 13, 2026 meeting, the city took delivery of a new water service truck this week. Commonly referred to as the "Leak Truck," the vehicle is fully outfitted and stocked to provide crews responding to water main breaks with immediate access to the tools and materials needed to complete repairs efficiently. The city's existing Leak Truck is being repurposed and re-stocked for use in general street maintenance, stormwater operations, and street signage work.

Also this week, Public Works staff treated city roadways on Tuesday to address snow and icy conditions, helping maintain safe travel throughout the community. Staff will also be treating roadways today as conditions require. Staff repaired a water main on Lebanon Road on Thursday evening, restoring service as quickly as possible.

Crews continue to respond to frozen water service lines and meters due to the unusually long cold spell. In addition, staff installed a new water service line at Cappy's on West Loveland Avenue as part of ongoing system maintenance.

Public Safety

Otto J. Huber Fire Station 63 Update

Progress this week focused on completing exterior brick veneer and installation of the LSFDD medallion



Upcoming Meetings & Events

The Beautification Committee will meet on Monday, February 9, at 5:30 p.m.

The Veterans Committee will meet on Tuesday, February 10, at 5:30 p.m.

City Council will meet on Tuesday, February 10, at 7:00 p.m.

The Arts Commission will meet on Thursday, February 12, at 6:00 p.m.

Hearts Afire Weekend Kicks off on Thursday night with a Jazz concert at Prince of Peace and continues throughout the weekend, with most activities scheduled for Saturday, February 14. [Click here](#) to see the full calendar of events.
