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WEEKLY REPORT

TO: MAYOR MITCHELL AND COUNCIL MEMBERS FROM: CITY MANAGER BRYAN LANGLEY

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I. COUNCIL SCHEDULE

All meetings will be held at Kyle City Hall Council Chambers, 100 W. Center St., unless otherwise noted. All meetings conducted in the council chambers will be available via live stream on Kyle10.

TUESDAY, APRIL 15, 2025

COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AT 5:30 P.M.
COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING AT 7 P.M.

TUESDAY, MAY 6, 2025

COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AT TBD

COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING AT 7 P.M.

TUESDAY, MAY 27, 2025

COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AT TBD

COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING AT 7 P.M.

II. STAYING INFORMED ON THE 89TH TEXAS LEGISLATURE



As the 89th Texas Legislature moves forward, staying informed on legislative developments is crucial. Texas Municipal League (TML) Legislative Weekly Update links are below along with a high-level link to their legislative website which provides weekly insights into key legislation, including:

- Bills being written and proposed
- Issues affecting Texas cities
- Legislation TML is advocating for or opposing
- Updates on state policies that impact local governance

With the City of Kyle recently updating its Legislative Program in January and adopting the TML Legislative Program, this resource is very helpful for tracking issues that align with our priorities.

You can access TML's weekly updates here: https://www.tml.org/999/ 2025

Legislative Update - April 11, 2025 Legislative Update - April 4, 2025 Legislative Update - March 28, 2025 Legislative Update - March 21, 2025

III. FERAL HOG UPDATE

Staff Contact: David Lopez

Last week: April 1 - 4, 2025: Lately, recordings have reported only occasional sightings of hogs in passing, indicating relatively subdued activity. As a result, both traps being utilized were moved to new locations to attempt to capture the remaining sounders.

This week: April 7 - 11, 2025: Traps are baited and monitored in new locations. Parks and Recreation Conservation team will continue to gather additional data on the level of hog activity in those areas.

Next steps: The Conservation team will consult with the trapper to evaluate the possibility of scaling back trapping efforts based on this week's data.



IV. PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT UPDATES

Staff Contact: David Lopez

La Verde Park Event Lawn - Maintenance Closure

The La Verde Park event lawn is closed for maintenance to promote healthy turf growth. Work began on March 1, 2025, and included aeration, leveling, overseeding, and fertilization, completed by April 5. The lawn will remain closed for up to six weeks for recovery, and the community is asked to avoid walking on it during this period. Updates on reopening will be provided as progress is made.



Republic Drive Interior Renovation

The new Parks and Recreation Administration offices, located at 208 and 246 Republic Drive, are progressing well. Both buildings have completed priming and ceiling grid installation, and lighting is now fully installed. The following phases are carpet installation and final interior painting, bringing the project closer to the finish line.





Conservation Team Spreads the Native Landscaping Conservation Message



Conservation team members presented "The Benefits of Native Landscaping" during the Plum Creek Watershed Partnership's public stakeholders meeting this week. The event was well attended, and valuable partnerships were created and strengthened.

Summer Programming Takes Shape

Preparations are underway for the May 2 Family Night Out and Movies in the Park event at Gregg-Clarke Park, which will kick off the season with a live DJ, inflatables, and games. The evening aims to encourage outdoor play and foster community connections. Activities begin at 6:00 p.m. and the featured movie, Sonic the Hedgehog 3, will begin at sunset.

Attendees are encouraged to arrive early and bring blankets or chairs to sit on. Personal food and coolers are allowed, but please dispose of items in the trash and recycle bins available at the park. Pets are welcome but must remain on a leash.

More information can be found at <u>CityofKyle.com/Movies</u> and on our social media channels.



Senior Chair Volleyball

The Parks and Recreation Department recently hosted a lively and engaging Senior Chair Volleyball program on Friday that drew 18 enthusiastic participants. The program started with several rounds of 9x9 matches, providing an energetic and fun-filled atmosphere for all involved. The participants were eager to show off their skills and teamwork and played with great enthusiasm and sportsmanship.



Kyle Market Days



The Special Events team will launch Market Days with a Spring/Gardening theme on April 12, 2025, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Mary Kyle Hartson Park, featuring live music, guest speakers, food, and craft vendors.

Monthly events will continue through November, celebrating various themes.

Vendor applications are open at <u>KyleRec.RecDesk.com</u>, with a processing time of 1-2 business days and a payment deadline the Friday before each event. Sponsorship opportunities are available; contact Sheba Aligaweesa for details.

Social Squad and Community Yoga

The Kyle Parks and Recreation Department is excited to launch the Social Squad program in 2025 for individuals 18+ with disabilities. This initiative promotes community and well-being through therapeutic activities, starting with a Hatha yoga session led by a community partner. The session welcomed six participants and two volunteers, focusing on flexibility, stress reduction, and mindfulness in a supportive environment.







Aquatics Team Advances Prep for Spring and Summer

The Aquatics team is preparing for a busy season by finalizing swim schedules and updating the swim team website. They coordinated with Ryte Aquatics for Kyle Kuda's program and discussed regional coverage with the Central Texas Aquatics Association. Meetings focused on improving pool operations, exploring shade options, and technology upgrades. Facility updates included repairs by Oasis and a walkthrough by the City of Kyle technician. A key highlight was onboarding 22 new lifeguards and welcoming pool managers.

V. KYLE/KOHLERS CROSSING SIGNAL UPDATE

Staff Contact: Mike Trimble

On Thursday, April 10, the newly installed traffic signal at Kohlers Crossing and Kyle Crossing was officially online.

The new traffic signal is an actuated traffic signal and is designed and programmed to adjust green time based on real-time traffic conditions detected by sensors, optimizing traffic flow and reducing delays.

The traffic signal and equipment performance will be tested over the next 30 days. During these 30 days, we ask all residents to report any issues with the traffic light via Kyle 3-1-1:

- Call: Dial 3-1-1 to speak with a Customer Service Representative during business hours.
- Click: Visit Kyle311.com and submit a request.
- Connect: Download the Kyle311 Mobile App from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store.

For more information, visit <u>www.cityofkyle.com/cityengineer/project/kohlers-crossing-and-kyle-crossing-traffic-signal</u>.



VI. INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT UPDATES

Staff Contact: Mike Murphy and Mike Trimble



CR 158 Elevated & Ground Storage Tanks Updates:

- Completed grading for base of GST.
- Verified vertical location of dual force mains.
- Preload forming wall panels for GST.
- Continuing electrical duct banks installation at
- Booster Pump Building

Wastewater Treatment Plant Access Road:

- Roadbed select fill is being placed, pending box culvert areas.
- Geogrid is being placed as subgrade sections pass inspections.
- Base placement has commenced excluding structure areas.
- Cattle guard placements for plant security has begun.
- Electric rough is underway.





FM 1626 Ground Storage Tank & Pump Station Updates:

- GST continues to be filled with the distribution system with the water level not at 37 feet 2 inches.
- AW chlorine building concrete placement completed.
- Installation of 36-inch header pipe.
- Well Site #4 electrical duct banks completed.

Plum Creek Retail Roads:

- Avenue A street trail concrete foundation pours are underway.
- Flexible base is being placed and worked on Avenue A.
- Storm box culverts being placed along Cromwell.
- City of Kyle utility lines testing has begun.





La Verde Park Parking:

- Project is substantially complete.
 Contractor is working on punch list items.
- PEC is still in process to get electric connection to the site.

VII. CITY COUNCIL REQUESTS

Council requests from the dais will be documented in the Friday Report until they are completed.

| Item No. | Date of Request | Request | Status | | | | |
|-------------|--------------------|---|---|--|--|--|--|
| 1 | 5/7/24 | Quarterly ARWA Updates | Ongoing | | | | |
| 2 | 11/19/24 | A report regarding implementing a K-9 unit within the Kyle Police Department | Assigned to Jeff Barnett; Consider during upcoming budget process | | | | |
| 3 | 12/12/24 | Provide a report regarding sludge hauling contract | Assigned to Mike Murphy; July 2025 | | | | |
| 4 | 1/21/25 | Initiate an RFQ process to select a design firm based on qualifications from roundabouts regarding Kohlers Crossing interim improvements | Assigned to Mike Trimble; April 15, 2025 | | | | |
| 5 | 1/21/25 | Research options for installing deceleration and acceleration lanes on Roland Lane near to the I-35 Frontage Road | Assigned to Mike Trimble; May 6, 2025 | | | | |
| 6 | 1/21/25 | Proceed with the annexation and clean up | Assigned to Melissa McCollum; Annexation Resolution; Ordinance 2nd Reading will take place June 3, 2025 | | | | |
| 7 | 2/4/25 | Align the Board of Adjustments appointments, terms and vacancies with the general boards and commissions ordinance | Assigned to Melissa McCollum; April 15, 2025 | | | | |
| 8 | 2/4/25 | Present aesthetic design options for roundabouts | Assigned to Melissa McCollum; May 6, 2025 | | | | |
| 9 2/4/25 | | Provide engineering details and options for Silverado Vybe Trail Project | Assigned to David Lopez; June 2025 | | | | |

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| 10 | 2/15/25 | Seek proposals for moving the historic oak tree on Stagecoach Road | Assigned to Mike Trimble; July 2025 | | | |
| 11 | 2/18/25 | Amend the policy around the Peace & Progress series | Assigned to Jesse Elizondo; April 15, 2025 | | | |
| 12 | 3/4/25 | Provide recommendations for improvements at Dacy Lane and Downing Way | Assigned to Mike Trimble; April 15, 2025 | | | |
| 13 | 3/4/25 | Send out a Survey for Goforth renaming options: Paula Alvarez, Becky Selbera and Chevo Pastrano, Senior | Assigned to Melissa McCollum; May 2025 | | | |
| 14 | 3/18/25 | Establish a Kyle Historical Archives Commission | Assigned to Leslie Scott; May 2025 | | | |
| 15 | 3/29/2025 | Public Hearing on proposed Council redistricting | Assigned to Aimee Alcorn-Reed; April 15, 2025, to be followed by action to adopt May 2025 | | | |
| 16 | 4/1/2025 | Adell Hurst plaque for dedicated room at Krug Activity Center | Assigned to David Lopez; June 2025 | | | |

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CHECKIT OUT!



Our Library Director, Leslie Scott, attended the Texas Library Association Annual Conference last week in Dallas from April 1-4. The conference brought together library professionals from across the state to share ideas, explore new trends, and celebrate the important work happening in Texas libraries.

While she was there, she also got to see Kyle Public Library recognized as a 2024 Achievement of Excellence Award winner by the Texas Municipal Library Directors Association! We are so proud of this honor and excited to put what Leslie learned into action to make KPL even better for our community!

Thank you to the City of Kyle Beautification
Team for revitalizing the landscaping in
front of our library! Now our sign is fully
visible and in great condition to welcome
patrons into the library.

Our Butterfly Garden is also beginning to bloom, helping us to fully welcome Spring here at KPL. The Butterfly Garden is a great place to relax, read, and be surrounded by nature. Check it out!





This Saturday, April 12th, is **Drop Everything and Read Day**, a national celebration of reading designed to remind families to make reading a priority activity in their lives. Children (ages 0-17 years) that come to the library and check out a book on this day will receive a voucher for a special treat from Abbott's Frozen Custard! Thank you, Abbott's, for showing support for children's literacy!

One voucher per child, while supplies last. See you on Saturday!

2022 Bond Program
Title: Weekly Status Report
Updated on: 4/8/2025

Prepared By: Front Line Advisory Group



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| Project ID | Council District | Project Name | Project Status | Phase Percent Complete | Project Status Description | Contract Amount | \$ Paid to Date (Sent to COK for payment) | % of Contract invoiced | Project Descriptions |
| CK22RO001D | 6 | Kohlers to Seton (IH 35) | Schematic Design | 45% | Updated 50% Geometric Schematic review by TxDOT completed 3/7/2025. IAJR has been sent back to TxDOT for review. | \$2,158,287.27 | \$370,501.54 | 17.2% | The project includes a 0.13-mile stretch from the IH 35 southbound frontage road to the northbound frontage road. Undermeath IH 35, kohlers features a total of five lanes: a two-way left turn lane at the center, and on each side, a mandatory turn lane, a mandatory straight lane, and an optional lane. |
| CK22RO002D | 6 | Kohlers to Seton (off- system) - PS&E | PS&E Design | 100% | 100% PS&E review completed on 3/19/2025. Bid advertising expected in April 2025. | \$1,367,014.84 | \$1,256,746.19 | 91.9% | The project features a 1.07-mile stretch from the IH 35 northbound frontage road to Seton Parkway, consisting of a 4-lane minor arterial and a 3-lane collector. The 4-lane section includes a median with periodic left turn spaces, and there is a two-lane roundabout at the intersection of Bebee and Kohlers. |
| CK22RO003D | 6 | Bebee Road (West) - PS&E | PS&E Design | 100% | 100% PS&E review completed on 3/18/2025. Bid advertising expected in April 2025. | \$1,021,959.53 | \$651,055.44 | 63.7% | The project includes the new construction and widening of a 1-mile stretch of 4-lane minor arterial road, extending from the IH 35 northbound frontage road to Dacy Lane. Key features include a two-lane roundabout at the intersection of Bebee and Kohlers, as well as acceleration and deceleration lanes at the intersection of the IH 35 frontage road and Bebee. This development aims to enhance traffic flow and safety for all road users. |
| CK22RO004D | 6 | Bebee Road (East) - PS&E | PS&E Design | 75% | 90% PS&E Due 6/17/2025. ROW surveys begin on 4/7/2025. | \$3,547,398.02 | \$1,814,706.82 | 51.2% | This project involves constructing and widening a 1.8-mile section of 4-lane minor arterial road from Dacy Lane to east of Green Pastures Road. It includes the addition of three two-lane roundabouts located at Dacy Lane, Goforth Road South, and Goforth Road North, designed to improve traffic circulation and safety in the area. |
| 3 a | 2,4 | Old Stagecoach Road North (Six Creeks) | PS&E Design | 35% | 60% PS&E due 5/5/2025. Open House completed on 3/25/2025 at Wallace Middle School. | \$1,510,111.20 | \$253,679.30 | 16.8% | This project involves reconstructing and widening a 2.2-mile section of roadway into a 4-lane minor arterial from FM 2770 to Veterans Drive. It includes upgrading Old Stagecoach Road from RM 150 to Center Street into 3-to 4-lane arterials. Additionally, two roundabouts are planned at Old Stagecoach Road with Six Creeks and at Old Stagecoach Road with Center Street (off-system) to enhance traffic flow and safety. |
| 3b | 2,4 | Old Stagecoach Road - PS&E | PS&E Design | 35% | 60% PS&E submitted on 4/8/2025 and currently under review. Open House completed on 3/25/2025 at Wallace Middle School. | \$2,047,287.05 | \$394,676.80 | 19.3% | This project involves reconstructing and widening a 2.2-mile section of roadway into a 4-lane minor arterial from FM 2770 to Veterans Drive. It includes upgrading Old Stagecoach Road from RM 150 to Center Street into 3-to 4-lane arterials. Additionally, two roundabouts are planned at Old Stagecoach Road with Six Creeks and at Old Stagecoach Road with Center Street (off-system) to enhance traffic flow and safety. |
| 3c | 2,4 | Center Street (Off-System) PS&E | PS&E Design | 60% | 90% PS&E due 4/25/2025. All ROW offers expected to go out by end of April 2025. Open House completed on 3/25/2025 at Wallace Middle School. | \$1,799,557.05 | \$865,253.90 | 48.1% | This project involves reconstructing and widening a 2.2-mile section of roadway into a 4-lane minor arterial from FM 2770 to Veterans Drive. It includes upgrading Center Street to Veterans Drive into 3- to 4-lane arterials. Old Stagecoach Road with Center Street (off-system) to enhance traffic flow and safety. |
| CK22RO006D | 2,4 | Center Street (FM 150) (On-System) - PS&E | PS&E Design | 20% | 30% design review meeting set for 5/16/2025. 60% PS&E due 6/16/2025. | \$1,492,833.09 | \$71,420.69 | 4.8% | This project will upgrade Center Street from Veterans Drive to Main Street in downtown Kyle, expanding the roadway from 2 to 3 lanes to enhance traffic flow and accessibility. |
| 4b | 2,4 | Jack C Hays Tr - PS&E | PS&E Design | 20% | 30% design review meeting set for 4/30/2025. 60% PS&E due 5/27/2025. ROW in negotiations. | \$887,275.09 | \$53,336.75 | 6.0% | This project involves widening the intersection from Veterans Drive to north of Witte Road, adding two new lanes and a median to improve traffic management and safety. |
| CK22RO007D | 6 | Kyle Parkway/Lehman Road Extension | PS&E Design | 60% | 90% PS&E currently under review. New task order for Additional storm drainage and PEC utility design approved in City Council on 4/1/25. | \$3,442,306.48 | \$1,908,302.09 | 55.4% | This project involves extending Lehman Road northeast from Bunton Creek Road to Dacy Lane as a 4-lane minor arterial. Additionally, Kyle Parkway will be extended to this new segment of Lehman Road, also as a 4-lane minor arterial. The total new roadway will cover 1.3 miles. The plan includes four planned 2-lane roundabouts at the intersections of Kyle Parkway with Dacy Lane, Kyle Parkway with Lehman Road with Bunton Creek Road, and Lehman Road with Dacy Lane. |
| CK22RO008D | 6 | Marketplace Avenue - Construction | Construction | 40% | Schedule comments being addressed and due 4/11/2025. | \$7,807,404.97 | \$3,621,285.47 | 46.4% | This project includes the construction and widening of a 0.6-mile stretch of roadway into a 4-lane minor arterial from FM 1626 to Marketplace Avenue. |
| CK22RO009D | 2,6 | Bunton Creek Road - PS&E | PS&E Design | 90% | 100% PS&E due 5/8/2025. | \$2,271,230.09 | \$1,122,099.50 | 49.4% | This project involves reconstructing and widening a 1.2-mile section of existing roadway into a 4-lane minor arterial, extending from Lehman Road to Porter Cove. |
| CK22RO010D | 6 | Windy Hill Road - PS&E | PS&E Design | 100% | 100% PS&E approved on 4/4/2025. | \$917,309.44 | \$744,204.25 | 81.1% | This project will reconstruct and widen a 0.6-mile section of existing roadway into a 4-lane minor arterial from Purple Martin Avenue to IH 35 Northbound Frontage Road. |
| | | | | | | \$ 37,360,958.59 | \$19,230,223.73 | 51.47% | |