

MARCH 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2025

Baltic City Council  
130 St. Olaf Avenue  
Baltic, SD

ISG

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RE: ENGINEERS REPORT

BALTIC CITY COUNCIL MEETING - MARCH 11, 2025 @ 7:00 PM

Council,

The following is a status report of current projects and other general engineering projects that ISG has been working on over the past month.

### **Oak & Ash Improvements – Project Construction Phase**

#### **Project Overview:**

- Oak & Ash Utility Improvements will consist of removal and installation of watermain and sanitary sewer along Oak Avenue, Ash Avenue, and 2<sup>nd</sup> Street. The project will provide new utility services as needed. This project is funded through ARPA Grants and SRF Loans. The project has been awarded to Earthwork Enterprise with a total contract amount of \$915,800.65.



#### **Project Status Update:**

- No update.
- Project is substantially complete; roadways and driveways have been paved and reopened to traffic. Site grading is largely complete and will be finalized along with punchlist items in the spring. Site restoration and seeding will be reviewed in the spring to ensure seed has germinated in disturbed areas.
- A project website has been created and is being updated as necessary to track construction progress for all residents.

#### **Project Schedule:**

- A tentative construction schedule was provided by Adam Brown of Earthworks Enterprise.
  - Anticipated Construction Start Date: **June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024**
  - Substantial Completion Date: **October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024**
  - Substantial Completion Date Met: **November 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2024**
  - Final Completion Date: **Spring 2025 – Seeding and restoration will be reviewed before acceptance.**

Project Website can be accessed here: [City of Baltic Oak + Ash Utility Improvements \(arcgis.com\)](https://arcgis.com)

**Council Action for Consideration:** None

### **Main Lift Station Improvements – Project Construction Phase**

#### **Project Overview:**

- The Main Lift Station project will consist of the installation of a Lift Station and necessary sanitary sewer to replace the existing main lift station. The project was bid and awarded to 605 Companies in a total bid amount of \$951,769.50. This project is funded through an ARPA Grant and SRF Loan.

Project Schedule:

- ISG is working through shop drawing review. All long lead time items have been reviewed, and the contractor is working on procuring the necessary equipment. At this time, there have been no effects to the project due to tariffs.
- A preconstruction meeting will occur later this spring. It is anticipated construction will start in the summer and be complete in the fall of 2025.
- A project schedule will be determined in the spring. The following dates are per the project's contract.
  - Anticipated Start Date: **Spring 2025**
  - Substantial Complete Date: **October 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025**
  - Final Completion Date: **November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025**
- ISG will provide on-site construction observation for the project, please do not hesitate to reach out with any questions as this project progresses.

Council Action for Consideration: None

Transportation Alternative Grant

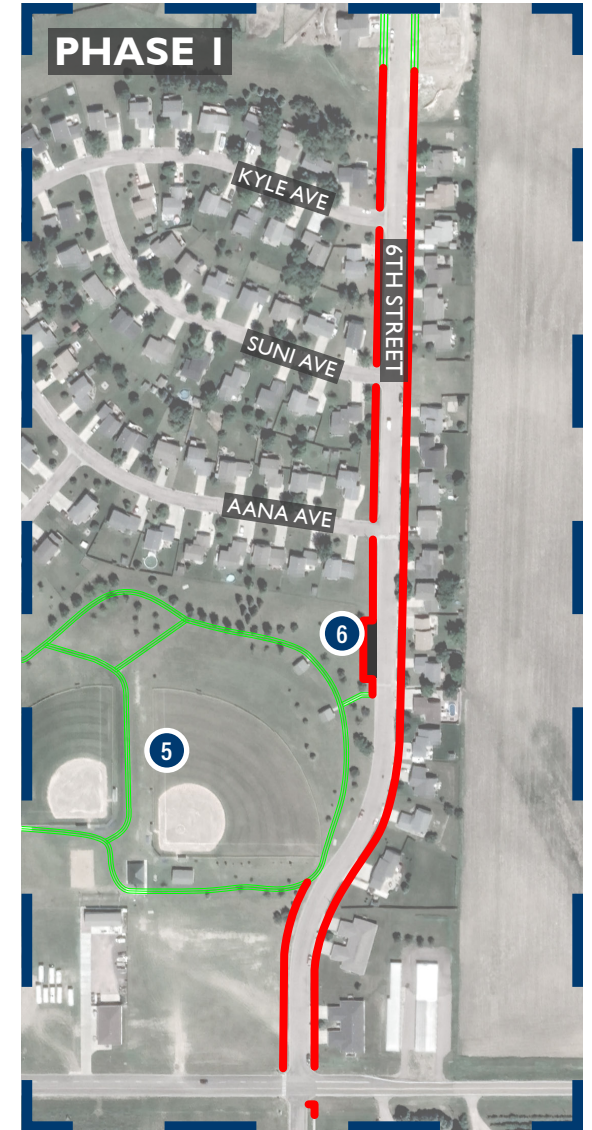
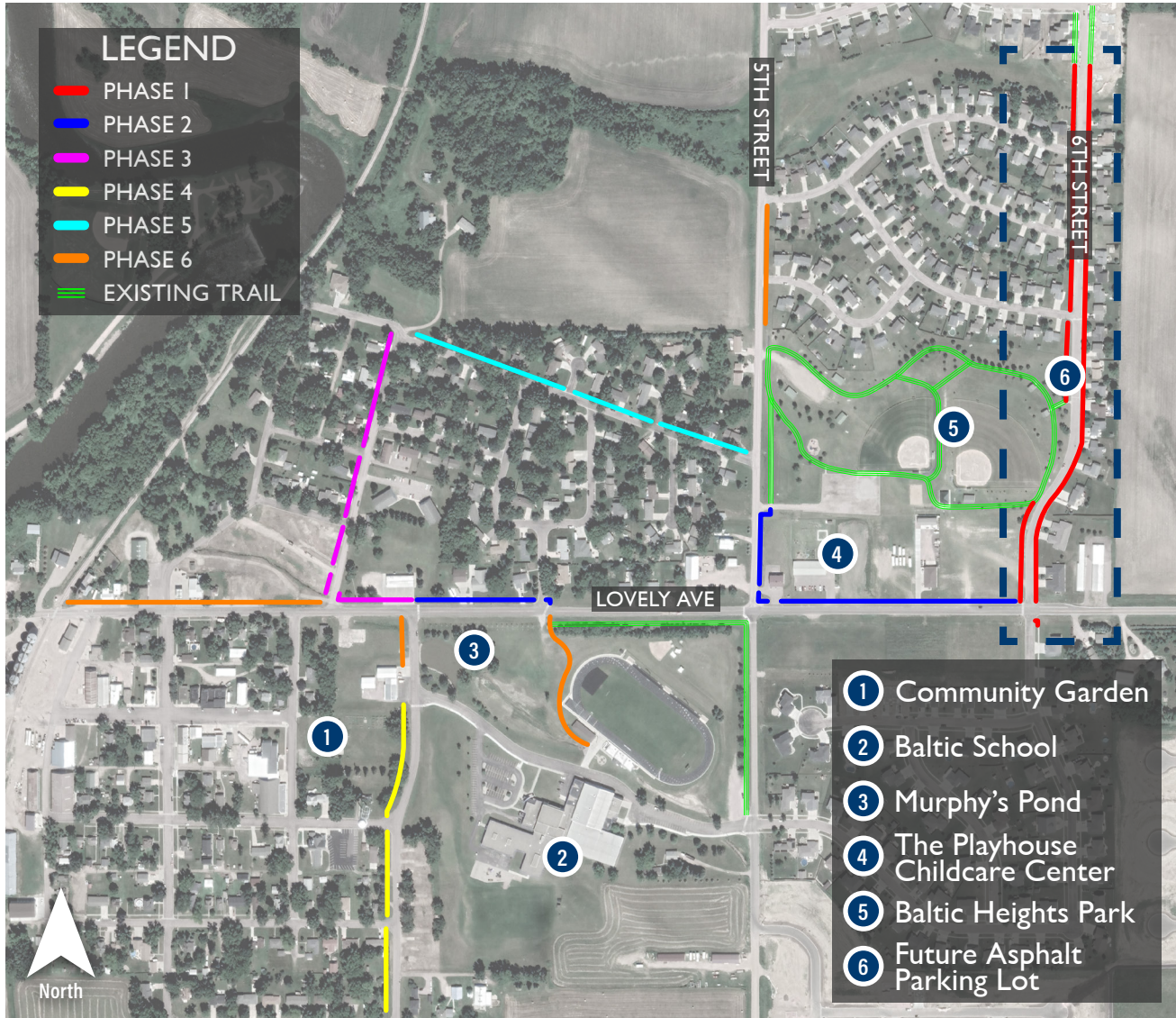
- City of Baltic was awarded the Transportation Alternative Grant
- ISG is composing a proposal for the anticipated project along 6<sup>th</sup> Street
  - Anticipating design in 2025 and construction in late 2025 or 2026.
- Letters with project information will be distributed and a public meeting held to discuss the project with residents adjacent to the project.
- A project map of the proposed sidewalk locations is included in the report.

Council Action for Consideration: None.

5<sup>th</sup> Street Improvements – Project Bidding Phase

- The 5<sup>th</sup> Street Improvements project includes paving operations on 5<sup>th</sup> Street from Valley View Avenue to the Southern City limits. See below for an anticipated project schedule:
  - March 11<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – Council Approval of Plans and Specifications
  - March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2025 – 1<sup>st</sup> Notice of Publication
  - March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Notice of Publication
  - April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2025 – Public Bid
  - April 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – Award Construction Contract
  - 2025 – Project Completion

Council Action for Consideration: Approval of Plans and Specifications



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## TRANSPORTATION ALTERNATIVES PROGRAM

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