



Clearcreek Road Department

Monthly Report

September 2022

The Road department dug 17 ditches and two driveway pipes in September. With recently installed fiber internet cable and access boxes, ditching will be more time-consuming and complicated. For example, the ditch on Bunnell Hill required a lot of hand-digging to avoid a fiber cables installed on both sides of the ditch profile interfering with water flow. Crews relocated the ditch around the fiber boxes and buried cable lines to correct the water flow issue.



The crew assisted the Park Department by digging out three ditch crossings on the walking trails. In addition, crews added stepping stones for deep water crossing and rocks for traction. These projects help the Park maintenance crews cross the creek with their equipment and better maintain the harder-to-reach trails.



In Spring 2022, Road Crews inspected catch basins throughout the township and found several in disrepair. In September, crews began these repairs. Additional assessments show that most of these catch basins need regrouting. The last catch basin regrouting process took place 20 years ago.

Finally, crews completed tree trimming on Harlan Road with the assistance of tree trimmers from a private vendor. Over the past two years, crews trimmed trees on Weidner Road, Dearth Road, and Harlan Road.