



City of Palmer

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Palmer Project Fair Slated

The City of Palmer is hosting a Project Fair Monday, May 23 from 4:00 to 8:00 pm at the Palmer Depot. The Fair provides an opportunity for the community to learn about potential capital projects that were nominated for the 2012 funding cycle. Staff members will be on hand to answer questions about the projects and fact sheets will describe each item along with the estimated costs.

The Project Fair is a part of the Project Development Process adopted by the City Council last May which gives transparency to the selection of capital projects. The goal of the new process is to help the Council make informed decisions on a set time frame annually, and to provide several opportunities for public involvement, input and questions. Each project being considered for the capital budget now goes through a thorough review cycle.

The final steps in the development process will be inclusion in the City's Capital Construction Budget and/or the annual Programs for Progress booklet in November and December.

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