

CITY OF ELKHORN
Municipal Services and Utilities Committee
Lower Conference Room, 9 S. Broad Street, Elkhorn, Wisconsin

May 22, 2006

Chairman Charles Van Dyke called the Legislative and Regulatory Committee meeting at 7:00 p.m. followed by Roll Call.

ROLL CALL

Present: Aldermen Charles Van Dyke, John Karcher, Howie Reynolds

Also present: Mayor John Giese, Alderman Julie Taylor, City Clerk Nancy Jacobson, Public Works Director Terry Weter

YARD WASTE COLLECTION

Public Works Director Weter asked Committee to discuss the yard waste collection program. He said that residents are still placing yard waste at the curbside out after their collection period which causes the crew to take time away from jetting sewers and inspections to do unscheduled pickups. The yard waste also causes plugging of storm sewers that can cause flooding. Committee suggested expanding the schedule to include two weeks before Easter and strengthening the enforcement.

City Administrator Tapson suggested a two-step compliance effort to include a request for voluntary compliance followed up with a formal notice of violation.

N. WISCONSIN ST. – STH 67 PROJECT

Committee authorized Public Works Director Weter to file with the State DOT and its engineers, Ayres and Associates, a request for a variance to standards to leave the width of N. Wisconsin Street at its present width.

LETTER OF SUPPORT FOR WDNR GRANT

Motion (Reynolds/Karcher) to recommend to Council to send a letter in support of a WDNR Urban Storm Water Planning Grant that Walworth County is seeking. Motion carried by the majority present.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion (Karcher/Reynolds) to adjourn at 7:25 p.m. Motion carried by the majority present.

Nancy B. Jacobson
City Clerk