

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

July 25, 2011

The Municipal Services and Utilities Committee was called to order at 4:00 p.m. by Alderman Dunwiddie, followed by roll call.

ROLL CALL

Present: Alderman Dunwiddie, Anderson, and Payson

Also present: Public Works Director, Terry Weter; City Engineer, Gary Welsh; Park and Recreation Director, Jeff Simons; and Deputy Clerk Brenda Neumeister

Others present: Alderman Scott McClory, Kim DeHaan and Elkhorn Resident, Max von Dahlen

Alderman Dunwiddie requested to begin the meeting with Item 4. All were in favor.

VEOLIA REFUSE/RECYCLING SERVICE: RESIDENT MAX VON DAHLEN REQUEST

Resident Max Von Dahlen described his challenging efforts while trying to find an explanation of what was taking so long to have down-sized wheeled carts delivered to those who requested them. He also stated his dissatisfaction and lack of communication when being notified about the new refuse/recycling service. The way Veolia has handled this situation is unacceptable according to Mr. Von Dahlen. Committee members discussed their concerns and agreed. Motion (Payson/Anderson) to direct staff to have legal review done of the contract and provide Committee Members with a contract copy before the next MSU meeting. Motion carried.

N. WASHINGTON RECONSTRUCTION UPDATE

City Engineer, Gary Welsh reported the road portion is complete and paving will begin next Monday. Park and Recreation Director, Jeff Simons received a telephone call regarding whether a tree in the 211 North Washington block will be taken down. Welsh will check into this and get back to Simons.

PARK AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT VEHICLE

Committee Members reviewed the memo from City Administrator Sam Tapson. After some discussion, motion (Payson/Anderson) to recommend to Council to assign the Park and Recreation Department Vehicle to the general fleet and add to that vehicle, City of Elkhorn identification. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion (Payson/Anderson) to adjourn the meeting at 4:30 p.m.

Brenda Neumeister
Deputy Clerk