

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE

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4-4-2022 PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES

Committee Members present: David Armstrong, Brandi Ensor, Robin Blair and Ed Hardesty.

Staff Members present: Zeb Carney, Public Works Director, Greg Dagnan, City Administrator and Rachel Sutherland, Public Works Administrative Assistant.

Citizens: John Hacker

Chairman David Armstrong called the Public Works Committee meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

A motion was made by Ed Hardesty to accept the minutes from the February 7, 2023 Committee meeting. All ayes, motion passed.

New Business:

1. Hay Contract with Jason Peters was discussed; Jason will fertilize and keep up the field. Brandi Ensor made a motion to send to City Council, all ayes, motion carried.

2. Discussion of Sidewalk HH to Fir Rd-TAP #6. This will connect 160 homes in two neighborhoods making it much safer for children.

Robin Blair made a motion to send to City Council, all ayes, motion carried.

3. Vacating Roads McGregor to High. Deed to the Easement would be given to the adjoining property owners direct East and West. This will alleviate the City from having to mow and maintain this property. David feels this will be good for the City.

Ed Hardesty made a motion to send to City Council, all ayes, motion carried.

Staff Reports:

Zeb reported on the following:

- Last Friday Bill Smith and Zeb checked on a report of raw sewage on the ground at a residence for a second time. The homeowner had previously been offered help that would have benefited him greatly for repairs to the home. He refused the help, a No Trespass was posted on the residence and all utilities were pulled.
- Blevins is to have asphalt laid at Oak St., River St., and a section of Grand St. starting April 24th.
- Spire Gas is still replacing gas mains and have a projected end date of the 2nd quarter of 2029.
- 62 loads of shot rock were used at Spring River to stop bank erosion caused from flooding. We have signed a contract with the Army Corp of Engineers for repairs. Greg complimented Zeb on being proactive.
- ESM is requesting Annexation to the City.
- Work on Fir Rd. has been postponed pending a Grant.

Greg reported on the following:

- Waiting on MoDot to call him and discuss the situation with the Railroad and Bridge repair. Working with Melissa Sherman on this.
- All Department Heads have been very helpful in making the budget balance. Zeb commented that this has been the easiest Budget Hearing in a long time.

No further discussion by committee.

Brandi Ensor made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:05 p.m. All ayes, motion carried.