# STREET & SEWER COMMITTEE October 23, 2025

MEMBERS PRESENT

ALSO PRESENT

Acting Chairman Dennis

Mayor Barry

Superintendent Mann

Alderman Driskell Alderman Bryant Clerk Richardson Alderman Budd Tim McArdle

Alderman Brown

Alicia Mayes Jim Morris

**ABSENT** 

Alderman Dorchinecz

Kyle Lester

Alderman Olive

Acting Chairman Dennis called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

### WASTE MANANGEMENT

Superintendent Mann discussed the contract with Waste Management will expire on April 15, 2026 and has received a proposal for an Amended Contract with a 5-year term, which also includes a 5% annual increase. Alderman Dorchinecz would like to have this put out for bid. Alderman Driskell questioned if we could shorten the term. Kyle Lester from Waste Management advised he believes we could shorten the term, he would be happy to discuss that with his team. The Alderman present would like to bring this matter to Council for a vote.

Motion by Alderman Bryant and seconded by Alderman Driskell to recommend to City Council to direct the Mayor to sign the amended contract with Waste Management as proposed and waive the bidding process. Motion Carried 2-1.

## CHANGE ORDER - TAYLORVILLE FOOD CENTER

Jim Morris discussed change order #4 for Taylorville Food Center in the amount of \$26,935.55.

Motion by Alderman Bryant and seconded by Alderman Driskell to recommend to the City Council to direct the Mayor to sign Illinois Valley Paving Change Order #4 for Taylorville Food Center in the amount of \$26,935.55. Motion Carried 3-0.

Motion By Alderman Bryant and seconded by Alderman Driskell to recommend to the City Council to direct the Mayor to sign Illinois Valley Paving Change Order #5 for Taylorville Food Center in the amount of \$22,002.98. Motion Carried 3-0.

#### PAY PROGRESS - TAYLORVILLE FOOD CENTER

Jim Morris discussed Pay Progress for Taylorville Food Center to Illinois Valley Paving in the amount of \$256,004.31.

Motion by Alderman Bryant and seconded by Alderman Driskell to Recommend to City Council to direct the Mayor to sign Pay Request #4 from Illinois Valley Paving, a division of U.C.M. in the amount of \$256,004.31 for the work on the Taylorville Food Center Improvements, this conditioned upon receipt of signed mechanics lien waivers in this amount, certified payroll records and recommendation by the Project Engineer that work has been satisfactorily performed. Funds to come out of line item 190-5-121-605. Motion Carried 3-0.

# VANDEVANTER ENGINEERING-PRICING OF PUMPS OR REPAIR

Motion by Alderman Bryant and seconded by Alderman Driskell to recommend to City Council to approve the ABB VFD option for Heights Lift Station proposal from Vandevanter Engineering for a new Lift Station Pump, as well as repair the current pump not to exceed \$30,000.00. Funds to come out of line item 520-5-430-524. Motion Carried 3-0.

## APPROVAL TO SELL JUNK EQUIPMENT

Motion by Alderman Bryant and seconded by Alderman Driskell to Approve the Sale of the Junk Equipment to the highest bidder, Midstate Salvage Corp. for a total of \$12,988.50. Motion Carried 3-0.

## SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT

Superintendent Mann stated limb pickup for the Wards is going well, they are working on digging ditches, and locating man holes for a potential solar farm was conducted. There are a couple fences in need of repair in the near future.

## ANY OTHER MATTERS

Alderman Driskell inquired into road repairs needed by the Methodist Church. Superintendent Mann advised he will work on correcting this issue.

Jim Morris discussed the Safe Routes to Schools Project (Adams Street) will be on hold until a decision is made regarding the Historic District. Superintendent Mann and Jim Morris will work to clean up the area as best they can to resume functionality during this waiting period.

Motion by Alderman Bryant and seconded by Alderman Driskell to adjourn. Motion carried 3-0. Meeting adjourned at 6:43 P.M.

Steve Dennis, Acting Chairman Street and Sewer Committee