

STREET AND SEWER COMMITTEE

June 23, 2022

MEMBERS PRESENT

Chairman Wilson
Alderman Olive
Alderman Driskell

ALSO PRESENT

Mayor Barry
Superintendent Mann
Treasurer Miles

Tammy Rogers
Bill Sleeman

MEMBERS NOT PRESENT

Alderman Brown

Chairman Wilson called the meeting to order at 6:03 P.M.

REPAIR ALLEY BEHIND MUNICIPAL BUILDING

Mayor Barry stated the Police Department would like to have the alley behind the Municipal Building repaired. After some discussion on the matter, it was decided to have an engineering study done to determine the cost of the project. Benton & Associates will present a cost analysis at the July 5, 2022 City Council Meeting.

Motion by Alderman Olive and seconded by Alderman Driskell to recommend to the City Council to approve the payment of the Engineering Study to repair the alley behind the Municipal Building by Benton & Associates from BDD Funds. Motion 3-0.

NORTH CHENEY AND BIDWELL PROJECT UPDATE

Bill Sleeman with Benton & Associates presented updates on probable costs for the North Cheney and Bidwell Project. He explained that the overall cost for the project would double or triple if the projects are done separately. The matter will be further discussed at the July 5, 2022 City Council Meeting. Mr. Sleeman advised if the Council would like to move forward, Benton & Associates will come up with building plans. The project would likely begin in August or September of 2022 if approved soon.

MFT UPDATES

Bill Sleeman advised the MFT Funds have been approved; we are just waiting on paperwork from IDOT for the oil and rock.

BID AND/OR ADVERTISE HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR A-SEWER DEPARTMENT

Motion by Alderman Driskell and seconded by Alderman Olive to forward the Bid and/or Advertise Heavy Equipment Operator A-Sewer Department to the July 5, 2022 City Council Meeting for approval. Motion carried 3-0.

PROJECT UPDATE- EAST MAIN CROSS IMPROVEMENTS

Bill Sleeman stated the water lines and storm sewers are in, rock is being put down now. The curbing will go down next week.

APPROVE CHANGE ORDER-EAST MAIN CROSS

There are no change orders at this time.

PARTIAL PAY REQUEST FROM TRUMAN L FLATT AND SONS CO. INC

Motion by Alderman Driskell and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to authorize and direct the Mayor to sign Pay Request Number Three from Truman L. Flatt and Sons Co. Inc. in the amount of \$136,492.71 for work on the East Main Cross Street Improvements, this conditioned upon receipt of signed mechanics lien waivers in this amount and recommendations by the Project Engineer that the work has been satisfactorily performed. Motion carried 3-0.

STOP SIGN-SOUTHWEST AND NORTHWEST CORNERS OF 1100 N 1500 EAST ROAD

Motion by Alderman Driskell and seconded by Alderman Olive to direct the City Attorney to prepare an Ordinance to amend the City Code to place a stop sign at the Southwest and Northwest Corners of 1100 N 1500 East Road. Motion carried 3-0.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Superintendent Mann advised Franklin Street in front of Hershey Towers will be closed on Tuesday, June 28, 2022 for replacement of an antenna.

The Illini Drive Project has been completed. Workers have been replacing sidewalks in Kenton Addition, as well as cutting trees in areas throughout town and dragging alleyways.

Alderman Driskell inquired about the status of Ward Four projects. Superintendent Mann advised the study has changed, and with day to day duties his workers have not had time to do the projects. Discussion of hiring out the projects took place.

Sportsman Drive sewers can be lined, and sink holes will be filled.

ANY OTHER MATTERS

Bill Sleeman provided a handout with policies and procedures that need to be followed for the Safe Routes to School Project. He advised that all Federally Funded Grants must follow this same policy and procedure. Mr. Sleeman will provide a copy of the written policy to Clerk Lilly for the file. A resolution to approve the Written Policies and Procedures For Qualification Based Selection Of Engineering Services For Federally Funded Transportation Projects Administered By the Illinois Department Of Transportation will be discussed at the July 5, 2022 City Council Meeting.

Mayor Barry stated that he will be having a meeting with Taylorville High School Principal Matt Hutchison in reference to making Sportsman Drive and Knute Rockne Drive into one-way streets. He will report back to Council with more information when available.

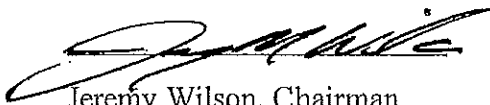
Bill Sleeman advised the Committee that Congressman Rodney Davis has started reporting the names of the Grant recipients, Taylorville is not on the list yet.

Mayor Barry invited anyone who would like to come to the Cemetery at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 30, 2022 to help put up Flags.

Mayor Barry received a call from Principal Matt Hutchison in reference to putting purple and gold street signs around the school. This cost would be paid by the school. Superintendent Mann is going to check on prices.

Bill Sleeman advised the sixth payment from MFT Rebuild has not been received.

Motion by Alderman Driskell and seconded by Alderman Olive to adjourn. Motion carried 3-0. Meeting adjourned at 6:49 P.M.



Jeremy Wilson, Chairman
Street and Sewer Committee