

STREET & SEWER COMMITTEE
January 25, 2018

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Chairman Walters
Alderman Vota
Alderman Dorchinecz
Alderman Olive

ALSO PRESENT:

Mayor Barry
Superintendent Wiseman
Alderman Budd

Marcia Neal
Owen Laswell
Traci Bentley

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

DOWNTOWNTAYLORVILLE.ORG 2018 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Marcia Neal Presented the Committee with Downtown Taylorville.org 2018 Calendar of Events.

Motion by Alderman Dorchinecz and seconded by Alderman Vota to recommend to the City Council to approve the 2018 Calendar of Events for Downtown Taylorville.org, which includes: Farmers Market Saturday mornings late April thru October, Thursday meals May 17th, June 21st, September 20th and October 18th, History Walk/Chalk Art Contest June 2nd, Meet the Machines September 8th, Dog Daze September 15th, and Twilight Christmas Parade December 1st. Motion carried 4-0.

SPRAY MATERIALS FOR BUGS AND LARVACIDE

Superintendent Wiseman stated he received a quote from Mug-A-Bug for 5 barrels of Larvacide and 5 boxes of Briquets in the amount of \$9,571.25.

Motion by Alderman Olive and seconded by Alderman Dorchinecz to recommend to the City Council to allow Superintendent Wiseman to purchase 5 barrels of Larvacide in the amount of \$9,065.00 and 5 boxes of Briquets in the amount of \$506.25 from Mug-A-Bug not to exceed the total amount of \$9,571.25. Motion carried 4-0.

PUMPS FOR THE NORTHWEST LIFT STATION, RE-BUILDING COST FOR BUDGET

Superintendent Wiseman advised the Committee that the Northwest Lift Station is the main lift station that all of the others dump into. It is 20 years old and has never been rehabbed. Superintendent Wiseman advised he spoke with Vandventer Engineering and received a quote of \$150,000.00 to update it, this includes a new generator. Superintendent Wiseman stated he is going to put this in the FY 2018/2019 Budget.

NEW CONTROL CABINET FOR LONG/CLEVELAND LIFT STATION

Superintendent Wiseman advised the Cleveland/Long Lift Station Cabinet has not been replaced since it's been installed in 1997. Superintendent Wiseman estimated \$30,000.00 to replace this. Superintendent Wiseman stated he is going to put this in the FY 2018/2019 Budget.

NEW CONTROL CABINET FOR PRISON

Superintendent Wiseman advised the Prison Lift Station Cabinet has not been replaced since it's been installed in 1991. Superintendent Wiseman estimated \$30,000.00 to replace this. Superintendent Wiseman stated he is going to put this in the FY 2018/2019 Budget.

REQUEST FOR EIGHT COLLEGE STUDENTS

Superintendent Wiseman is requesting to have 8 college students this year to keep up with the clean up. He advised last year the department had 6 and they were unable to get the striping done or curbs painted.

Motion by Alderman Dorchinecz and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to allow Superintendent Wiseman to hire 8 college students for the Street Department for summer help. Motion carried 4-0.

SCHOOL ZONE SIGN-CHEROKEE & BIDWELL

Chairman Walters advised Central School currently has no school cross walk signs. Also, the standard color for the signs has changed. Chairman Walters is recommending to update all school zone signs and have some put up at Central School. Mayor Barry would also like no texting or cell phone usage signs put up in the school zones. Superintendent Wiseman received a quote from Hall Signs in the amount of \$3,862.41 to replace all school zone signs and a quote from Rice Signs in the amount of \$962.50 for 25 no texting or cell phone usage signs. Mayor Barry suggested for Superintendent Wiseman to receive quotes from local business for the signs. Alderman Olive recommended the lighted solar powered signs; he stated they are very eye catching and cost approximately \$1,752.00 per sign.

Motion by Alderman Vota and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to allow Superintendent Wiseman to receive local quotes for school zone and no texting or cell phone usage signs and present to the Committee at the next Council Meeting. Motion carried 4-0.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Superintendent Wiseman advised the department has been tearing down houses, cutting trees on Stevenson, hauling dirt to fill in holes from the houses that have been tore down, patching streets and having plows out for the ice & snow.

Superintendent Wiseman advised the Aldermen that it is time to purchase CA7 rock to start filling in the alleys if needed.

Alderman Vota suggested Superintendent Wiseman to check Sangamon Road where the culverts were put in, as it is starting to settle.

ANY OTHER MATTERS

Chairman Walters spoke about the up coming March clean up days. Superintendent Wiseman suggested to have it in April this year. The Committee agreed with this. Superintendent Wiseman advised this would be all 4 Saturdays in April from 7 A.M. – 3 P.M.

Mayor Barry stated he spoke with the restaurant chain engineer and a road will need to be put in and it would be on Kim Morton's property. He has spoken with her and so far she seems to be ok with this. Superintendent Wiseman stated the next step is having the traffic study with IDOT done, and advised this can take 3-4 months so it would be best to get this going as soon as possible. Also, the Traffic Study, Topographic Survey, Hydraulic Study, Construction Plans, Intersection Design Study, and Signal Plans are reimbursable through the TIF District.

Motion by Alderman Dorchinecz and seconded by Alderman Vota to adjourn. Motion carried 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 6:40 P.M.

Earl Walters, Chairman
Street & Sewer Committee