

May 24, 2021
City Council Worksession

A Worksession of the City Council was held at City Hall, 200 S. Main Street, on May 24, 2021 at 5:00 p.m.

Present were Mayor Malewski and Councilpersons Colestock, Politza, Steele, and Wichman.

Administrative Staff Present were City Manager Desentz, Clerk Boomer, Fire Chief McNutt, Public Works/Utilities Director Moss, Police Chief Weeks, and Quality of Life Director Zeller.

Purpose of the meeting was a worksession. Notice of the meeting was duly given.

Mayor Malewski called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

Public Comments:

Larry Nolan, 239 S. Main St., appeared before Council and commented on the dismissal of an employee.

Unfinished and Special Business: None

New Business:

1. Public Works/Utilities Director Moss presented and reviewed with Council the bids for sidewalk replacement for the 2021 Sidewalk Replacement Program. He recommended the lowest bid submitted by Mata Brothers be approved. It is on the formal agenda for approval.
2. Quality of Life Director Zeller presented and reviewed with Council the 4th of July fireworks permit. It is on the formal agenda for approval.
3. City Manager Desentz presented and reviewed with Council the adult use commercial marijuana facilities ordinance. Council discussed the ordinance.
4. City Manager Desentz introduced Jim Minster, C2AE Engineer, who presented and reviewed with Council the CWSRF (Clean Water State Revolving Fund) application process. He reviewed the proposed projects at the wastewater treatment plant and the timeline for completion. The Public Hearing and resolution is on the formal agenda.
5. City Manager Desentz presented and reviewed with Council the CDBG Water Resiliency and Infrastructure Grant Program project and process. The Public Hearing and resolution is on the formal agenda.

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Training Attendance Update:

Public Works/Utilities Director Moss reported that he is attending a media communications training.

Staff Reports:

Quality of Life Director Zeller reported that the human foosball court construction has begun. A grant was received to replace a swing at the Playground of Dreams with an accessible swing.

Public Works/Utilities Director Moss reported that DPW has been busy getting the cemetery ready for Memorial Day. He reported that the Water Plant line repairs should be complete by the end of the week. He credited staff's quick response with preventing water pressure and quality issues due to the break.

City Manager Desentz reported that he is reviewing the MIOSHA updated COVID-19 rules that were released today. He is working on an updated plan for the City.

Politz moved, Steele seconded, PASSED, to adjourn. The meeting adjourned at 6:11p.m.

Paul Malewski, Mayor

Laura Boomer, City Clerk