

City of Rock Falls Public Works/Public Property Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: 04/04/2024 Time Meeting Started: 8:15 a.m. Time Meeting Ended: 9:32 a.m.

	Members		Also Attended	
Chairman Wangelin		P	Administrator Robbin Blackert	
Alderman McKanna		P	Mayor Rod Kleckler	
Alderman Dowd		P	Street Superintendent, Dave Miller	
Alderman Byrd		P	Corey Buck, Willett Hofmann & Assoc.	
			Brian Frickenstien, BF Engineerng	

Topic	Discussion	Plan of Action
1. Call to Order	• Alderman Wangelin called the meeting to order with a quorum present at 8:15 a.m.	
2. Minutes	Review of the March 7, 2024, Public Works/Public Property minutes as presented. Motion was made by Alderman Wangelin; second by Alderman Dowd. 4 ayes, motion approved.	Minutes approved
3. Engineer's Report	 Corey Buck stated that Porter Brothers would be starting on the E 2nd Street Parking Lot in the next few weeks. There was a pre construction meeting last week on the Avenue A project, it should be starting by May 6, 2024. Demolition for the Micro Building need to be reviewed and then the bid will be let. 	No Action
4. New Business	 Committee reviewed financing for the purchase of 2 new snowplows. The interest rate right now is high but it will take approximately 18 months for the trucks to be delivered. Administrator Blackert will check into different financing options. Motion was made by Alderman Dowd and second by Alderman McKanna to approve the purchase of the 2 new snowplows and send to City Council for approval. 4 ayes, motion approved. Committee reviewed the bids for Solid Waste & Recycling. Jim Pozzi from Republic Services addresses the Committee about Republic Services. Committee members questioned him on the reoccurring problems that have been going on and the lack of resolution regarding these issues. Derick Humphrey, owner of Midwest Disposal addressed the committee about Midwest Disposal and answered questions from the Committee. Motion was made by Alderman McKanna and second by Alderman Wangelin to make the recommendation to the City Council to accept the Solid Waste & Recycling Bid from Midwest Disposal. 4 ayes, motion carried. 	Send to City Council for approval to purchase 2 snowplows Send to City Council recommendation to accept the Solid Waster & Recycling bid from Midwest Disposal.
5. Street Department	Street Superintendent, Dave Miller informed the committee that they are getting ready to rent a Crack Filling Machine. They have been taking care of filling pot holes.	No Action
6. Adjournment	A motion was made by Alderman Wangelin and second by Alderman McKanna to adjourn. 9:32 a.m.	

Bill Wangelin, Committee Chairman