

Chilton, Wisconsin
October 15, 2019

The regular meeting of the Chilton Common Council was called to order at 6:30 p.m. with Mayor Rick Jaeckels presiding in the council chambers at the Chilton City Hall.

AGENDA POSTING:

On 10/11/19, copies of the agenda were delivered to the Mayor, Aldermen, City Attorney, and City Department Heads, were made available to the media, and posted on the City Hall bulletin board and city web page.

COMMON COUNCIL ROLL CALL:

Mayor Rick Jaeckels and eight members of the Council were present at roll call:

Council Member Clayton Thornber	Council Member Andrew Deehr
Council Member Mike Goebel	Council Member Kathy Schmitzer
Council Member Mark Willems	Council Member Tom Reinl
Council Member Ron Gruett	Council Member Kevin Johnson

Other city officials present were Police Chief Craig Plehn, City Attorney Derek McDermott, Director of Public Works Todd Schwarz and Deputy City Clerk Lisa Meyer.

General attendance: Delta Publications Dave Kohls, Betty Schilling and Ron Wolf from McMahan Associates.

Those in attendance recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Moved by Gruett, seconded by Reinl and carried to approve the minutes of the council meeting held on October 1, 2019.

REPORT OF OFFICERS:

MAYOR:

Mayor Jaeckels contacted Tammy Pethan and Jerry Mallmann from the Chilton Chamber of Commerce advising them they may need to change the Summerfest Parade route next June due to the North State Street reconstruction project.

DEPUTY CITY CLERK:

👉 Halloween Trick or Treat will be on Sunday, October 27 from 3 to 5 pm.

APPROVE OPERATOR LICENSES:

Moved by Reinl, seconded by Schmitzer to approve the two-year license applications to serve fermented malt beverages and intoxicating liquors from October 15, 2019 to June 30, 2020 for Soni Crabb Jetton and Jordan Appel. Deputy Clerk Meyer noted the applicants have been approved by the Chilton Police Department. Motion carried.

DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS:

- The Street Department is in the process of closing the bathrooms at all the parks.
- Greg Kubichka contacted DPW Schwarz regarding Delightfully Chilton. They will be placing the crane by the Hobart Field ball diamond this year instead of by the band stand.
- Curbside leaf pickup began yesterday and will run through Thanksgiving, weather permitting.
- The city will be issuing final payment to the contractor for painting the Breed Street water tower last year. The contractor finally submitted paperwork to close out the project.
- Tonight at 7:30pm will be the second informational meeting regarding the North State Street reconstruction project for homeowners to attend.
- Well #9 is back in service. We will be testing the water to make sure all the issues with the biofilm have been taken care of.

FIRE CHIEF: No Report.

AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION:

Betty Schilling reported on a new weekly newspaper that will be available in November. The “Chilton Journal” will only cover news from Chilton and possibly Stockbridge. Nannette Jodar will be the editor and the paper will be printed by Printing Express. The weekly newspaper will be free for the month of November and future publications will be available by subscription.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES:

Chairman Gruett reported on the October 8, 2019 Public Safety committee meeting. Jason Lehman requested and was granted a waiver of sex offender residency.

The Housing Authority September 11, 2019 minutes were reviewed.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None.

NEW BUSINESS:

Deputy City Clerk Meyer reviewed the quarterly general fund financial report. There are various accounts that have negative balances but most have non lapsing funds to apply so the accounts will not go over budget. Motion by Thornber, seconded by Gruett to approve the quarterly financial report. Motion carried.

The City received nine bids ranging in price from \$644,000.00 to \$1,195,205.00 for the North State Street utility reconstruction project.

Moved by Reinl, seconded by Schmitzer to approve the bid from Kruczek Construction Inc from Green Bay, WI for \$644,000.00 for North State Street utility reconstruction.

Roll call vote.

Gruett – aye	Willems – aye	Reinl – aye	Thornber – aye
Schmitzer – aye	Goebel – aye	Deehr – aye	Johnson - aye

Eight votes cast. Eight votes aye. Motion carried.

APPROVE PAYMENT OF BILLS:

Moved by Thornber, seconded by Reinl to pay the bills. Voucher No. 84326 through Voucher No. 84386 or accounts payable and payrolls totaling \$309,483.16. Roll call vote.

Gruett – aye	Willems – aye	Reinl – aye	Thornber – aye
Schmitzer – abstain	Goebel – aye	Deehr – aye	Johnson - aye

Eight votes cast. Seven votes aye. (Schmitzer-abstain) Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT:

Moved by Schmitzer, seconded by Reinl to adjourn at 6:47 p.m. on October 15, 2019. Motion carried.

Lisa Meyer
Deputy City Clerk