

MINUTES
PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING
NOVEMBER 1, 2021, 6PM
CITY HALL - COUNCIL CHAMBERS
5 E. BUTLER ROAD
3rd committee meeting

Committee Members: Jason Kraeling (Chair), Carol King, Michael Reynolds
Others present: PW Director Matt Fleahman and City Administrator Brandon Madden

1. Call to Order- Chairman Kraeling
2. Public Comment- None
3. Reading and Approval of Minutes
 - a. Public Works Committee Meeting: October 4, 2021

Motion: Councilwoman King made a motion to approve the minutes with Councilman Reynolds seconding.

Vote: The vote was unanimous (3-0).

4. Reports or Communications from City Officers
 - a. Public Works Director Matt Fleahman
Budget Review

Mr. Fleahman reported all of his divisions are under budget at this time.

Councilman Reynolds asked Mr. Fleahman to give an update on the new Public Works facility. Mr. Fleahman answered the facility is almost completed. There are a few more updates to do. All of the Public Works divisions are working out of the new facility.

5. Unfinished Business- There is no unfinished business.
6. New Business
 - a. Purchase of Public Works Equipment

Purchase of a day-cab truck and 75-yard dump trailer to improve the efficiency of the manner in which yard trimmings are collected, managed, and transported within the City. The City has utilized two haulers to transport yard trimmings to the landfill. In fiscal year 2020-2021, the City of Mauldin Sanitation Division spent in excess of \$125,000 to pay these two contractors. This value was determined to be fixed for a ten-year cycle for a total cost of \$1,250,000. Buying equipment will save the City approximately \$850,000 in tipping fees over 10 years.

Councilman Reynolds said normally he is not in favor of making capital purchases outside of the budget process, but this will save the money and is made possible with the flexibility of the new building.

Motion: Councilman Reynolds made a motion to send this item to Council with Councilwoman

King seconding.

Vote: The vote was unanimous (3-0).

7. Public Comment- None

8. Committee Concerns- None

9. Adjournment- Chairman Kraeling adjourned the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cindy Miller

Municipal Clerk