

MINUTES  
PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING  
AUGUST 1, 2022, 6PM  
CITY HALL - COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
5 E. BUTLER ROAD  
2<sup>nd</sup> committee meeting

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

1. Call to Order- Chairman Kraeling
2. Public Comment- None
3. Reading and Approval of Minutes
  - a. Public Works Committee Meeting: July 5, 2022

**Motion:** Councilwoman King made a motion to approve the minutes with Councilman Kraeling seconding. Councilman Reynolds was not present at the July committee meeting and will not vote.

**Vote:** The vote was unanimous (2-0).

4. Reports or Communications from City Officers
  - a. Public Works Director Matt Fleahman  
Budget Review- Mr. Fleahman reported all Public Works divisions are at least 96-98% of their budgets.

Mr. Fleahman reported the sewer lines at Bridgeway Station have been relined.

Basin 5 point repairs were completed last week.

Road paving will begin next week.

A third side-arm truck is on the road and the fourth should be here in about a week.

Enterprise Asset will be onsite to start implementation of the new software.

Chairman Kraeling asked if the sidearms would replace our entire sanitation truck fleet. Mr. Fleahman answered yes. The older trucks will be sold to help offset some of the expenditures.

Chairman Kraeling asked about implementation of a fee if Public Works has to make an extra trip to pick up a resident's trash when they forget to put their trash can out. Mr. Fleahman said it would be hard to do, but he would compile some information on what other municipalities do.

5. Unfinished Business- There is no unfinished business.
6. New Business- There is no new business.

## 7. Public Comment

Diane Kuzniar: I am Diane Kuzniar from 503 Knollwood Drive. If their cans are not put out, the trash doesn't get picked up. If I forgot to put my can out, I am not going to call and say come back and get it.

## 8. Committee Concerns

Councilman Reynolds asked about the mosquito spraying. Chairman Kraeling said he did some research on one of the concerns, which was the chemicals being harmful to bees. The chemicals we use are not strong enough to cause them harm. Mosquitoes are much smaller than bees. The City is still looking at other options. There are other chemicals that could be used. There is money to purchase something different if council wants to change. Mr. Fleahman said he should have information for committee next month, to include staff time and truck costs for spraying.

9. Adjournment- Chairman Kraeling adjourned the meeting at 6:28 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,  
Cindy Miller  
Municipal Clerk