

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS MEETING HELD AT THE GREENFIELD CITY HALL
ON TUESDAY, AUGUST 22, 2023

1. Call to order

The meeting was called to order by Bruce Bailey at 6:32 pm.

2. Roll Call

Present: Alderperson Bruce Bailey, Alderperson Pam Akers, Alderperson Andrew Drzewiecki; Citizen Members: Denise Collins, John Graber

Also present: Jeff Katz, Director, Neighborhood Services; Randy Esch, Superintendent of Public Works; Bryan Haas, City Engineer

3. Approval of the June 27, 2023 meeting minutes

Motion by Alderperson Pamela Akers, seconded by Alderperson Andrew Drzewiecki to approve the June 27, 2023 meeting minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

4. Citizen Commentary

None

5. Adopt an ordinance amending Section 8.04 of the Greenfield Municipal Code regarding parking restrictions on South 27th Street.

Mr. Katz stated that it has come to the City's attention that there is a parking problem on the west side of South 27th Street. Trucks are stopping in the active lane to unload cars. He stated that the current ordinance specifies, "no parking at any time on the west side of South 27th Street." The proposed ordinance will specify, "no parking, stopping or standing at any time on the west side of South 27th Street." Motion by Alderperson Pamela Akers, seconded by Denise Collins to adopt an ordinance amending Section 8.04 of the Greenfield Municipal Code regarding parking restrictions on South 27th Street. Motion carried unanimously.

6. Adopt a resolution, recognizing International Migratory Bird Day and authorizing the Pollinator Protection Committee to continue participation in the Wisconsin Bird City program.

Motion by Denise Collins, seconded by Alderperson Andrew Drzewiecki to adopt a resolution, recognizing International Migratory Bird Day and authorizing the Pollinator Protection Committee to continue participation in the Wisconsin Bird City program.. Motion carried unanimously.

7. Superintendent of Public Works report

Mr. Esch stated the DPW staff attended a Smart Salting Workshop. Public Works finished landscape improvements at City Hall, repaired concrete sidewalks throughout the City, working on improving the entrance to Konkel Park, and tree pruning. Mr. Esch said DPW responded to 675 Diggers Hotline requests and 311 Services Requests.

8. Engineering Report

Mr. Haas provided an update on the Greenfield construction projects. The 90th St / Waterford Ave reconstruction is progressing on schedule with completion by the end of September. The Howard Ave spot concrete replacement is on-going with completion by the end of September. He also stated that sanitary improvement projects will occur this fall. The 68th Street concrete project and asphalt street resurfacing projects are complete.

Minutes are not official until formally approved by the Board of Public Works at the next scheduled meeting.

Mr. Haas gave an update on other agency projects. Milwaukee Water Works (MWW) replaced the water main on Bottsford Ave and 72nd St and this project is nearing completion, with landscape restoration still to occur. The Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT) will be resurfacing I-894 and replacing the Loomis Road bridge beginning this fall and next year. We don't know the schedule yet, but a preconstruction meeting will be held later this week.

9. Other topics for future agendas

Ald. Akers mentioned the parking issue at intersections in her neighborhood during Konkel Park events.

10. Adjournment

Motion by John Graber, seconded by Denise Collins to adjourn at 6:50PM. Motion carried unanimously.

Minutes transcribed by Stefanie Richter, Administrative Assistant, Engineering, 9/5/23