

Madison City Council  
Minutes  
January 17, 2023

The City Council meeting was called to order by Mayor John Hamm at 6:00 p.m.

Follow by request for roll call. Present were Alderperson Browley, Jenkins, Johnson, Morris, Haynes, Crochrell and Hampsey. Absent: Dixon

All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

It was moved by Alderperson Browley, seconded by Alderperson Hampsey, to approve the minutes of the regular Council meeting held on January 3, 2023. Voice vote as follows: Seven(7) ayes; no nays Absent: Dixon Motion Carried

It was moved by Alderperson Haynes, seconded by Alderperson Hampsey, to approve the presentation of the Comptroller's Report as submitted and that bills be allowed as drawn on the treasury and presented to the Council, unless there are any questions of the Summary of Expenses for the period of January 3, 2022, through January 17, 2023 in the amount of \$430,833.76. The Comptroller's Report was accepted as presented, to be placed on file. Roll call as follows: Browley, Jenkins, Johnson, Morris, Haynes, Crochrell and Hampsey Absent: Dixon Motion carried

Members of Public:

Mrs. Murphy spoke on property being destroyed, trash cans being left out in the street, cars parked on grass and toys and trash left in front line. She would like for her alderperson or anyone within the city to help resolve this issue with her neighbors.

Reports of Department Offices:

Building Inspector Lester Buckles spoke on the issue regarding Mrs. Murphy. Lester advise these issues are being addressed throughout the City of Madison by writing tickets to the landlords and tenants. It is a long process. However he encourages everyone to inform him of any issues and he will be able to address them as they are being reported. He advise he will look into Mrs. Murphy issue as well.

Commissioner Turner advise they have 1 lateral for hire eligible. They will start the process with the background check, etc.

It was moved by Alderperson Hampsey and seconded by Alderperson Johnson to accept reports from department officer: Voice vote as follows: Seven (7) ayes; no nays Absent: Dixon Motion Carried

It was moved by Alderperson Hampsey, seconded by Alderperson Morris to approve the RFQ for the Recreation Center from Formation Architects, Inc. Roll call as follows: Browley, Jenkins, Johnson, Morris, Haynes, Crochrell and Hampsey Absent: Dixon Motion carried

Streets & Alleys---Mayor Hamm spoke about the sewer under Madison Avenue collapsing and possible cost it would be to the city. Alderperson Crochrell asked if the City of Madison can hold GC Steel accountable.

There being no further business before the council meeting was adjourned at 6:20 p.m. by Alderperson Morris seconded by Alderperson Hampsey Voice vote as follows: Seven (7) ayes; no nays Absent: None Motion Carried

The next Council meeting will be held on February 13, 2023.

City Clerk: Celina Bowley  
Mayor: John Hamm  
Date: January 30, 2023