

Madison City Council
Minutes
September 16, 2024

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

All present recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Follow by request for roll call. Present were Alderperson Dixon, Browley, Crawford, Crochrell, Garrett, Miller, Johnson and Morris Absent: none

It was moved by Alderperson Crochrell, seconded by Alderperson Browley, to approve the minutes of the regular Council meeting held on September 3, 2024. Voice vote as follows: Eight (8) ayes; no nays Absent: none Motion Carried

It was moved by Alderperson Morris, seconded by Alderperson Miller, 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 September 3, 2024 through September 16, 2024 in the amount of \$177,313.75. The Comptroller's Report was accepted as presented to be placed on file. Roll call as follows: Browley, Crawford, Crochrell, Garrett, Miller, Johnson, Dixon and Morris Absent: none Motion carried

Report of Department Offices:

Chief of Police reported suspect was in custody regarding the Homicide that took place in Madison on Saturday.

Director of Public Works advised Phase 1 of the Third Street Project was on the way.

City Engineer advise the Fibro Optics company is being working on its project now.

It was moved by Alderperson Browley seconded by Alderperson Dixon to accept the reports of Department Officers Voice vote as follows: Eight (8) ayes; no nays Absent: none Motion Carried

It was moved by Alderperson Miller, seconded by Alderperson Crochrell to approve request from Rivers of Water Worship Center to block off streets on the corner of 800 Jackson & Webster on September 21, 2024 for an outside event Roll call as follows: Browley, Crawford, Crochrell, Garrett, Miller, Johnson, Dixon and Morris Absent: none Motion carried

It was moved by Alderperson Miller, seconded by Alderperson Crochrell to approve request from Holy Trinity Bulgarian Eastern Orthodox Church for the 5th Annual Bulgarian Festival to be held on September 28th, 2024 with the understanding that the Church must keep the upkeeps of the property by cutting the grass regularly Roll call as follows: Browley, Crawford, Crochrell, Garrett, Miller, Dixon and Morris one nay Johnson Absent: none Motion carried

Aldersperson Johnson asked if they can keep the property up throughout the year and not just when the Festival comes up. Tyrone advise the city cut the grass recently and not the Church.

Aldersperson Johnson advise they have one other person working on the CDL. She also reported that when Erwin Baker came and asked for help for the area football team, she received donations from Mayor Hamm, Juneau, Madison Meat Market and herself(Aldersperson Johnson).

Aldersperson Morris asked if some of her residents can get new trash cans.

Aldersperson Crochrell asked about the high grass ordinance. The Attorney will get something drafted.

It was moved by Aldersperson Crochrell, seconded by Aldersperson Johnson to Approve A Resolution Authorizing The Mayor to Apply for Illinois Transportation Enhancement Program Funds(ITEP) Roll call as follows: Browley, Crawford, Crochrell, Garrett, Miller, Johnson, Dixon and Morris Absent: none Motion carried

Aldersperson Miller asked to table#7 for additional questions.

Mayor Hamm asked Alderman to make a decision.

Aldersperson Crochrell asked if we can put it on the ballot for the citizens to vote.

Aldersperson Morris asked if it would be fair if the citizens vote.

American Water rep said they will have to go back to see how the company would like to proceed.

It was moved by Aldersperson Crochrell, seconded by Aldersperson Miller to table the Ordinance on an Asset Purchase Agreement with Illinois American Water Company Roll call as follows: Browley, Crawford, Crochrell, Garrett, Miller, Johnson, Dixon and Morris Absent: none Motion carried

There being no further business before the council meeting was adjourned at 6:29 p.m. by Aldersperson Garrett seconded by Aldersperson Crawford Voice vote as follows: Eight (8) ayes; no nays Absent: none Motion Carried

The next Council meeting will be held on October 21, 2024.

City Clerk:

Alena Bowles

Mayor:

John C. H. [Signature]

Date:

10-7-2024