# STREET & SEWER COMMITTEE February 27, 2025

MEMBERS PRESENT Chairman Wilson Alderman Brown Alderman Olive Alderman Driskell	ALSO PRESENT Mayor Barry Superintendent Mann Clerk Richardson Alderman Dorchinecz Lori Lynch Brian Lynch	Brent Windell Jim Morris Tammy Nicol Babe Assad Bud Altman Marcia Neal Steve Dennis	Carol Gowdy Chris Bridges Lee Skinner Gail Lumb Keith Boston
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Chairman Wilson called the meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

## SPECIAL EVENTS PERMIT SMALL TOWN TAYLORVILLE

Chairman Wilson presented the Special Events Permit for Taylorville Main Street. There are a couple of changes that will be corrected before Council. The name on the permit and the name on the insurance will both state Taylorville Main Street. Dan McNeely from Dimond Bros. Insurance will send the updated insurance certificate.

Motion by Alderman Driskell and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to approve the Special Events Permit for Taylorville Main Street. Motion carried 4-0

### VANDEVEER SUBDIVISION

Superintendent Mann advised he spoke with Babe Assad and Brent Windell about the subdivision they want to build on Vandeveer Street. Mr. Assad will purchase all materials for the sewer, and would ask the City provide the labor to install it. This will add five homes to the City for additional tax revenue and growth. Mr. Windell presented a survey of the area. There is one area that would require 235 feet of sewer main, while the other area would require 350 feet. Superintendent Mann advised the taps are already there, so it would just be installation of the sewer main. After some discussion among Committee Members, it was decided to assist with installation for this project.

Motion by Alderman Brown and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to approve the Street/Sewer Department to provide the labor for the sewer main installation on Vandeveer Street Subdivision contingent upon all requirements for building being met. Motion carried 4-0

### SEWER IMPROVEMENTS ON MADISON STREET

Superintendent Mann and Jim Morris from Benton & Associates explained what will need to be done for the Madison Street Sewer Improvements.

Motion by Alderman Driskell and seconded by Alderman Olive to recommend to the City Council to wave the mandatory statutory bidding process, and approve E.L. Pruitt to proceed with the Madison/Franklin Sewer improvements at a cost not to exceed \$27,500.00. Motion carried 4-0

Motion by Alderman Brown and seconded by Alderman Driskell to recommend to the City Council to wave the mandatory statutory bidding process, and approve E.L. Pruitt to proceed with the Madison/Main Cross Sewer improvements at a cost not to exceed \$75,500.00. Motion carried 4-0

#### SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Superintendent Mann advised workers have been trimming trees. There were two big snow storms in the past month that required a lot of extra work from the Street Department. The Street Sweeper is up and running again. Concrete and Sidewalk bids will be going out soon. The Trac Loader is down, as well as 3 of the Tandem Trucks.

#### ANY OTHER MATTERS

Alderman Brown received a call from a resident in regards to adding a Stop or Yield sign at the intersection of West Poplar and Morton Street. This item will be forwarded to the Ordinance Committee.

Mayor Barry received and email from a resident asking for the 800 block of West England Street to be re-oiled and re-rocked. Superintendent Mann will look into taking care of that area,

Bud Altman gave a presentation on adding bike routes through the City. He would like to have routes to connect the area by Wal-Mart to the Bike Trail on Paw Paw Street. He recommended bicycle education, as well as a proposed ordinance for gas powered and electric bicycles. He provided a sample map of the routes he is proposing.

Motion by Alderman Driskell and seconded by Alderman Brown to adjourn. Motion carried 4-0. Meeting adjourned at 6:38 P.M.

Jeremy Wilson, Chairman

Street and Sewer Committee