

PUBLIC WORKS AND TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE MINUTES

October 20, 2015

In Attendance

Councilman Ken Smith, Committee Chair, called the meeting to order at 3:07 p.m. A quorum was present, including Council Chairwoman Carol Berz, Vice Chair Moses Freeman and Council members Chris Anderson, Russell Gilbert, Larry Grohn, Chip Henderson and Jerry Mitchell. Also present was City Attorney Wade Hinton. Councilman Yusuf Hakeem was not present.

Others in Attendance

Public Works: Lee Norris, Administrator; Tony Boyd, Deputy Director; and Brendan Cleary; GIS Analyst;
Transportation: Blythe Bailey, Administrator; Council Office: Keren Campbell, Council Support Specialist

Approval of Minutes

On motion of Councilman Anderson and seconded by Councilman Gilbert, the minutes of the last meeting (October 6, 2015) were approved as published.

Next Week's Agenda: October 27, 2015

Resolutions- Agenda Items 7C, D, E & F

Mr. Norris discussed these items. Upon no questions, these issues were closed.

Resolutions- Agenda Items 7G

Mr. Norris discussed this item and responded to a question about the start date for the improvements. Upon no further questions, the issue was closed.

Resolutions- Agenda Items 7H

Mr. Bailey discussed this item and responded to a question regarding matching funds. Upon no further questions, the issue was closed.

PRESENTATION – Loose Leaf Collections Operation

Mr. Boyd presented a slide show on last year's work and changes that will be made as the project will soon be starting.

A discussion ensued and included the following:

- Tons of loose leaves
- Truck loads
- Manual collection operations
- Automated collection
- Water quality
- End product
- Online map
- Routes from 1-99
- Constituents with no computer access
- Sweeping of streets
- Where leaves go
- Loading leaves
- Estimated date for high 70 routes
- Preference on how leaves are placed

Mr. Cleary gave a demonstration of how to find the online map allowing people to view the collection routes and location of trucks.

Adjournment

There being no further business, Councilman Smith adjourned the meeting at 3:33 p.m.