



Public Safety Committee Agenda
West Peoria City Hall
Wednesday, March 15, 2023 at 6:30 p.m.

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Additions to/or Deletions from the Agenda
4. Motion to Approve Minutes from the Regular Meeting of **February 15, 2023**
5. Motion to Receive and File the Financial Reports from **January 2023**
6. City Administrator's Report
7. Public Comment
8. Code Enforcement Report
 - a. Permit List
 - b. Work Order List – No new list at this time
 - c. Foreclosure/Vacant Structures List
 - d. Nuisance Properties – No list at this time
 - e. Case Detail Report
 - f. Case Summary List
9. Unfinished Business
 - a. Motion to recommend to Finance Committee FY2024 Budget
 - b. Slow Down West Peoria discussion
10. New Business
 - a. Clean Up Day – April 29th
 - b. Commercial Container Enclosures
 - c. Trees discussion – Replacement possibilities
11. Public Comment
12. Motion to Adjourn

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In accordance with the provisions of 5 ILCS 120 (the Illinois Open Meetings Act), notice is hereby given that a majority of a quorum of the West Peoria City Council and its Committees may attend this meeting.

This event is designed to discuss City matters according to Committee descriptions.



Public Safety Committee Official Minutes
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Wednesday, March 15, 2023 at 6:30 p.m.

1. Chair Reagan called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.
2. Members present were Chair Reagan and Alderperson Thomas. Alderperson Edmonds was absent. Also present were Mayor Dillon, City Administrator Krider, Alderpersons Abraham and Dohm, residents Marlene Carter, Bonnie Farrell, Priscilla Peterson, and Clerk Barnes. Resident Susan Schlupp attended remotely.
3. There were no Additions to/or Deletions from the Agenda.
4. A Motion to approve the Minutes from the **February 13, 2023** regular meeting was made by Alderperson Thomas and seconded by Chair Reagan. **Motion carried.**
5. A Motion to receive and file the Monthly Financial Report from **January 2023** was made by Alderperson Thomas and seconded by Chair Reagan. **Motion carried.**
6. City Administrator's Report included working on the Ordinances that were passed at the Council meeting on March 14th and finalizing the Budget for FY2024.
7. Public Comment: Question: Is the first Friday in April the day Lawn Waste begins again? Yes. This year the actual date is April 7, 2023.
Comment about the garbage between Casey's gas station on Farmington Road and the Liquor Store next door. Lots of garbage behind the dumpster. **Administrator Krider will have Code Enforcement work on it.**
8. Code Enforcement Report:
 - a. Permit List was reviewed.
 - b. Work Order List – No new list at this time.
 - c. Foreclosure/Vacant Structures List was reviewed.
 - d. Nuisance Properties – No list at this time.
 - e. Case Detail List was reviewed.
 - f. Case Summary List – Year-to-Date there have been 171 violations: Snow ban-42, Garbage & Weeds-41, Wrong way parking-31, and Parking on Unpaved Surfaces-14, were the highest numbers.
9. Unfinished Business
 - a. A Motion to recommend the FY2024 Budget to the Finance Committee was made by Alderperson Thomas and seconded by Chair Reagan. **Motion carried.**
 - b. Slow Down West Peoria discussion
It is not quite time for the radar signs to return to the streets, but in the next few weeks or a month they should be up and running again. Radar data will be collected once again, and it will continue to be from both directions on a street.

10. New Business

a. Cleanup Day – April 29th – Discussion

Alderperson Silver joined the meeting remotely at 6:40 p.m.

Clean Up Day will be conducted as in the past, with all things like electronics, white appliances, furniture, etc. being accepted. Tires will have an additional charge - \$3 for car tires, \$5 for truck tires. Once again it will be held down at the City Maintenance Building.

Question: Will our Walk the Wards days continue this year? Yes. **Next month come prepared to make up a calendar for which wards, which months, what time of the month, etc.**

Council members will be alerted as to times and dates for their wards.

Walk the Wards will be put on the agendas from now until fall again. Administrator Krider shared that the Street Department has been doing some litter cleanup, especially on Sterling and Nebraska. There are also a couple of volunteers right now that have been doing some work on litter cleanup as the weather has permitted.

b. Commercial Container Enclosures – Discussion was held about what was decided the last time this came up. It was decided at the time to handle the couple of problem cases through Code Enforcement because some of the smaller businesses were having a difficult time surviving COVID-19 problems.

After some discussion, **Administrator Krider will ask Code Enforcement to do another comprehensive check into the conditions of all the dumpsters and report back for next month.**

c. Trees discussion – Replacement possibilities


There is nothing more at this time to present. More research is being done.

11. There was no Public Comment.

12. A Motion to Adjourn was made by Alderperson Thomas at 7:04 p.m. and seconded by Chair Reagan.
Motion carried.

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Respectfully submitted,


Mary M. Barnes, Clerk

