



**Transportation Committee Agenda
West Peoria City Hall
Wednesday, July 19, 2023 at 5:30 p.m.**

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Additions to/or Deletions from the Agenda
4. Motion to Approve Minutes of the Regular Meeting of **June 21, 2023**
5. Motion to Receive and File the Financial Report from **May 2023**
6. Administrator's Report
7. Street Department Manager's Report
 - a. Idaho Sidewalk update
 - b. Other
8. Public Comment
9. Unfinished Business
 - a. Waverly/Callender Safety Study Grant update
 - b. Rebuild IL Project update
 - c. Monthly Radar review
 - d. Vaughn/Magnolia update
10. New Business
11. Motion to go into Executive Session for the purpose of Reviewing Previous Minutes 5 ILCS Section 2 (c) (21) (Illinois Compiled Statutes)
12. Return from Executive Session
Roll Call
13. Actions Arising from Executive Session
 - a. Motion to Approve the Minutes of the **January 18, 2023** Executive Session
 - b. Motion to Release/Retain the Minutes of the **January 18, 2023** Executive Session
14. Public Comment
15. Motion to Adjourn

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FY 2024 Goals

- 1) Continue the new sidewalk program and persist with ongoing sidewalk repairs.
- 2) Pursue storm sewer improvement projects as needed throughout the City.
- 3) Pursue projects to continually improve roads and alleys throughout the City.
- 4) Work with the Finance Committee and investigate possibilities where TIF funds can be used to support public infrastructure projects.
- 5) Continue working on Illinois Environmental Protection Agency/National Pollution Discharge Elimination System & Storm Water Management Plan (IEPA – NPDES – SWMP).
- 6) Research other cities, similar in size and potentially develop alternative (outside-the-box) solutions to issues we are dealing with.
- 7) Continue to work with the Residents' Association and fellow Council members on City-wide initiatives specific to transportation.
- 8) Continue working with Public Safety to Slow Down West Peoria.
- 9) Develop and maintain a 5–10-year plan for Street Department types of equipment and vehicles.

Notice of Potential Majority of Quorum of the City Council and its Committees

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.



Transportation Committee Official Minutes

West Peoria City Hall

Wednesday, July 19, 2023 at 5:30 p.m.

1. Chair Silver called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.
2. Members present were Chair Silver and Alderperson Abraham. Alderperson Menke was absent. Also present were Administrator Krider, Street Department Manager Hess, Alderperson Dohm, residents Marlene Carter, Bonnie Farrell, Priscilla Peterson, and Clerk Barnes. Residents Susan Schlupp and John Siewert II attended remotely.
3. There were no Additions to/or Deletions from the Agenda.
4. A Motion to approve the Minutes from the **June 21, 2023** regular meeting was made by Alderperson Abraham and seconded by Chair Silver. **Motion carried.**
5. A Motion to receive and file the Monthly Financial Reports from **May 2023** was made by Alderperson Abraham and seconded by Chair Silver. **Motion carried.**
6. Administrator's Report – to come during Number 9 on the agenda.
7. Street Department Manager's Report
 - a. Idaho Sidewalk update – Miller & Son should begin work in 7-10 days from now.
 - b. Other – Spray patching began today, and sealcoating will be done later.
 - c. Streets that are good candidates for sidewalk projects in the new year are the following:
 - Avon Curve and Ashland – on the north side.
 - Wendarm – whole cul-de-sac
 - Cortland – 900 block
 - Heading – 2600 block, south side
 - Laura – 2500 and 2600 blocks
 - Downs Circle – whole cul-de-sac
8. Public Comment – **Could the street work being done be put on Facebook so residents will know when it is beginning?** Thank you.
9. Unfinished Business
 - a. Waverly/Callender Safety Study Grant update – There is one more approval to get, but it looks as if we will be granted \$30,000.00 for a core study for this area. Tri-County Regional Planning Commission will oversee the study, sending their suggestions to us about what can be done in the area to improve the congestion. Chair Silver thanked the City Administrator for her efforts along with the engineers that helped to get the application done for this project.
 - b. Rebuild IL Project update – This is a wait and see at the moment. There are some issues that arose with the Ayres part of the project. IDOT has some requirements that will be difficult for the City to assume. Plan B is being looked into. Perhaps Ayres will have to be dropped, and just continue with the other two streets.

- c. Monthly Radar Review – This month’s review was of Sterling Avenue from Heading Avenue to Rohmann Avenue and Rohmann Avenue to Heading Avenue. There were several speeders, but the daily average was still under the posted limit.
There was also a review of Rohmann Avenue from Sterling Avenue to Swords Avenue and Rohmann Avenue from Swords Avenue to Sterling Avenue. There were many speeders, but the daily average was still under the posted limit.
- d. Vaughn/Magnolia update – A copy of the letter that was mailed in May to 18 residents was included in the packet for tonight’s meeting. Only 8 responses were received, all of which were in the Vaughn/Magnolia streets area. 5 responded they were willing to sign a permanent easement, 3 wanted additional information, and one left no response.
There have been discussions about where to go from here. There may be a cheaper solution than the engineers put forth. Nothing can happen until the leaves are gone. Discussions continue.

10. There was no New Business.

11. A Motion to enter into Executive Session for the purpose of Review of Previous Minutes 5 ILCS Section 2 (c) (21) (Illinois Compiled Statutes) was made by Alderperson Abraham at 5:44 p.m. and seconded by Chair Silver. **Motion carried.**

12. Return from Executive Session at 5:49 p.m.
Roll Call: Chair Silver, Alderperson Abraham

13. Actions Arising from Executive Session

a. A Motion to Approve the Minutes of the **January 18, 2023** Executive Session was made by Alderperson Abraham and seconded by Chair Silver. **Motion carried.**

b. A Motion to Release the Minutes of the **January 18, 2023** Executive Session was made by Alderperson Abraham and seconded by Chair Silver. **Motion carried.**

14. Public Comment – What is going on Magnolia Street? Spray patching will be done there next week or the one thereafter.

15. A Motion to Adjourn was made by Alderperson Abraham at 5:54 p.m. and seconded by Chair Silver. **Motion carried.**

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Respectfully submitted,


Mary M. Barnes, Clerk

