

PUBLIC PROTECTION AND SAFETY COMMITTEE

MINUTES

DATE: Wednesday, March 27, 2013

TIME: 5:00 p.m.

PLACE: Lower Level Training Room, City Hall

MEMBERS PRESENT: Alderpersons Van Akkeren, Heidemann, Lessard and Carlson

MEMBERS ABSENT: Alderpersons Wangemann

Call to order – The twenty-first meeting of the 2012-13 Public Protection & Safety Committee
The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Vice Chairperson Carlson.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Approval of the minutes of the Public Protection and Safety Committee meeting from March 13, 2013. Alderperson Carlson moved to approve. Seconded by Alderperson Lessard. All ayes, motion carried.

1. **Gen. Ord. No. 55-12-13 (7.1)** by Alderpersons Lessard and Carlson. An ordinance amending Section 26-1008 of the Municipal Code relating to certificates of compliance with Clearwater requirements so as to exempt certain transactions. A motion was made to file the present ordinance by Alderperson Carlson, seconded by Alderperson Lessard. All ayes, motion carried. A motion was also made for the City Attorney to draft an ordinance that provides an exemption for the permit fee to people who meet all of the following requirements:
 1. There has been a clear water inspection at the property since the Clearwater Inspection went into effect in 1998
 2. That people actually show up for the clear water appointment
 3. That the transfer is a transfer due to death or divorce
 4. That the burden is on the person requesting the exemption to provide documentation to show that is why the transfer was done
2. **R. O. No. 304-12-13 (4.5)** submitting a communication and a petition from David Sommer et al., requesting that the Quality Addiction Management Clinic be removed from the Greater Sheboygan Area. A motion was made to file the document by Alderperson Carlson, seconded by Alderperson Heidemann. All ayes, motion carried.
3. **R. O. No. 305-12-13 (4.6)** submitting a communication from Mary Bermke stating that the fire hydrants should be marked with a red, flexible flag and is concerned about the streets and alleys regarding how they are deteriorating. A motion to file this document was made by Alderperson Lessard, seconded by Alderperson Carlson. All ayes, motion carried
4. **R. O. No. 306-12-13 (4.7)** submitting a communication from Mary Bermke addressing several concerns regarding getting cars off of the street during a snow storm to allow Public Works to plow and checking when people renovate the insides of their homes and

don't get any permits. A motion to file this document was made by Alderperson Lessard, seconded by Alderperson Carlson. All ayes, motion carried

5. **Discussion and possible action** – The Chief of Police submitting the Sheboygan Police Department Annual Report from 2012 for discussion and possible action. The Chief pointed out a few items on the Annual Report to the committee and comments were made commending the good job the Police Department was doing.

A motion to adjourn at 6:20 p.m. by Alderperson Lessard, seconded by Alderperson Carlson. All ayes, motion carried.

DAVID VAN AKKEREN - CHAIRMAN

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