

FINANCE, PERSONNEL & SAFETY
Markesan City Hall

September 3, 2019
Immediately following Public Property & Health Meeting

MINUTES

Call to Order- At 7:46 pm

Roll Call – By Sign-In.

Citizen's Comments – Cheryl Koos-Abendroth a daily dog walker reported being afraid to walk in the city after having a non leashed dog attack her dogs. She questioned if city had a vicious dog law, an insurance requirement for dog owners, and any ordinance for dog control. Also questioned if home owners could have excess vehicles in and on there front yards. Dave Brinkman reported having a loose dog run out and charge his dog.

Emergency Management Report – None

Review and Approval of Vouchers Payable – After review motion by Ald. Bieszki & 2nd by Ald. Triemstra to approve vouchers payable. Motion passed.

Police Report & Schedule – Chief Pflum reported;

- Dogs At Large – The current fine schedule, reported dog issues, and possibly a 2 tiers of dog at large violations. This department understands a change must be made to get the attention of the small minority that fail to keep control of their dogs.
- Vehicles Parking In Yards – From what the department can tell there is nothing prohibiting vehicles that are registered and fully functional from parking on the property of a homeowner. The Chief will research how surrounding communities handle this issue.

New Business

- Discussion and Action on Mobile Home Taxes – These taxes are paid up to date.
- Discussion and Action on Recycling Funds Reflected on Budget- Motion by Mayor Slate & 2nd by Ald Bieszki to follow the auditor recommendation to budget these revenues and expenditures at Gross, instead of netting the receipts against expenses. Motion passed.
- Discussion and Action on Street Outlay Bond Funds Reflected on Budget – Motion by Ald Bieszki & 2nd by Ald Triemstra follow the auditor's suggestion to list the Bond Street money from 2018 on the 2020 budget under revenue-other financing resources, as Bond Income for 2020 Streets. Passed.
- Discussion and Action on 3 Year Comparison for Ordinance Violations, Interest Earnings and Cemetery – Moved to next month meeting.
- Discussion and Action on Guidelines for Public Comment at Governmental Meetings – Ald Henke will bring sections of Roberts Rules of Order that she felt the committee needed for next meeting.

Old Business - None

Adjournment – Motion by Ald Triemstra & 2nd by Mayor Slate to adjourn at 8:06 pm. Passed.