



Monday, June 11, 2020
City of Troy - Public Hearing

Due to Special Circumstances regarding the spread of the COVID-19 virus, this Public Hearing took place at 5:45 pm with options of joining in person or online/via telephone through Zoom.us. The physical location was the Troy Municipal Building Council Chambers at 116 E. Market Street, Troy Illinois, 62294. Executive Order 2020-07 suspended the Open Meetings Act requirement for a physical quorum. (All participation information was included in the newspaper publication, and on the agenda posted both online and on City Hall doors.)

1. Call to Order / Pledge of Allegiance

The meeting was held online via Zoom.us and in the Council Chambers in the City Municipal Building, 116 East Market Street, Troy, Illinois, 62294. It was called to order by Mayor Allen Adomite at 5:45 p.m. Everyone was led in the pledge of allegiance by Mayor Allen Adomite.

2. Roll Call in Alphabetical Order

Present: Dan Dawson, Nathan Henderson, and Debbie Knoll. **Other Officials Present:** Mayor Allen Adomite, City Administrator Doug Partney (City Hall), City Treasurer David Roady, Public Works Director Rob Hancock (joined online at 5:52pm), and City Clerk Andrea Lambert (City Hall).

3. Comments and Presentation of Wastewater Plant Improvements for grant application

Chris Bergmann with TWM explained that the purpose of this first hearing is for allowing public comment as well as meeting requirements for 3 separate Rebuild Illinois Grant programs. By applying for these grants, Troy is committing approximately \$500,000 or 51% for upgrades to the sludge processing system at the water treatment facility. The grants include Competitive Infrastructure, Shovel Ready, and Fast Track. Considering Troy's treatment facility is at max capacity now, these grants could help the City by allowing for the treatment of future growth. If no changes are made, Troy will eventually be put in a position to take solids from our treatment facility to a landfill, further impacting the cost of running the treatment plant. By investing in this and other improvements, we can expect a longer life from the treatment plant, the ability to accommodate future growth, and 'Class A' sludge rating. Mayor Adomite added that Resolutions will follow at the next Council Meeting.

4. Request for Anyone Wishing to Speak During the Hearing to Sign In - none

5. Swearing in of Persons Who Wish to Speak - none

6. Comments of Petitioner and/or Representative or Attorney, If Present - none

7. Comments from Members of the Audience - none

(No one present in Council Chambers. No one chose to speak via Zoom.us.)

8. Discussion by the City Council – none

9. Motion to Approve or Deny Request – none

10. Adjournment with Voice Vote

Motion: To Adjourn the Meeting at 5:58 p.m.

Moved by Dawson; **Seconded by** Henderson. **Vote:** Motion passed

Aye: Dawson, Henderson, Knoll, and Mayor Adomite. **Absent:** Hellrung, Levo, Italiano, Manley, and Turner.

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Andrea D. Lambert
City Clerk