

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

October 19, 2009

The meeting was called to Order by Ald. Moede with the following Roll Call at 6:31 p.m.

Members Present: Ald. Moede, Ald. Smith

Members Absent: Ald. Voss

Others Present: Deanna Boldrey, Kathie Wild, Ald. Hoy, Ald. Gering, Ald. Pasbrig, Chris MacNeill, Mike Kurutz, Sue Smith, Sally Kahlhamer, Matt Kuehn, Laurie Bellino, Sean Hansen, Frank Fischer, Ed Fischer

Item #2–Approve the minutes of the September 21, 2009, meeting.

Motion by Ald. Smith, second by Ald. Moede to approve the above minutes. Motion carried unanimously.

Item #3–Citizens Comments.

Matt Kuehn of 810 Bridge Street had comments of the noise and vibration from MEC. He stated that the problem was to be solved by September 15, 2009, and then MEC asked for a two week extension. Matt discussed that as the temperature drops there is concern that the vibration will travel. Matt noted that the Council needs to understand that they are tax paying citizens.

Item #4–Monthly Fire Department Report.

No Report.

Item #5–Monthly EMS Report.

No Report.

Item #6–Monthly Police Department Report.

No Report.

Item #7–Emergency Government Report.

No Report.

Item #8– Discussion of Noise Level MEC’s Horicon Street Location.

Ald. Moede commented that he was at MEC’s Horicon Street Location last Friday for a presentation, and he saw that three of the four presses had the pads installed. The fourth pad was to be installed and may have been installed today. Ald. Moede noted that he was there and the presses were not any noisier than any other presses that he had been around. It was stated that it will never be perfectly quiet and the noise will not go away completely. The area is zoned industrial. Ald. Smith noted that it seems after some delay that the shock absorbers are here. He noted to keep on the agenda until attempts are fulfilled, and then discuss the degree. The MEC Corporation does employ engineers and this should solve the problem to the best extent that they can. Ald. Smith noted that MEC is trying to be a good neighbor.

Item #9–Discuss/Approve Picnic License for St. Mary’s Church & School Spaghetti Dinner/Angus Beef Raffle.

Ald. Smith made a motion to approve the Picnic License for St. Mary’s Church & School Spaghetti Dinner/Angus Beef Raffle. Motion seconded by Ald. Moede. The Spaghetti Dinner/Angus Beef Raffle will be on November 7, 2009. Motion carried unanimously.

Item #10–Adjournment.

Motion by Ald. Smith, second by Ald. Moede to adjourn at 6:45 p.m. Motion carried unanimously.

Deanna Boldrey, City Clerk