

Reedsburg, WI
April 21, 2021

The Public Works Committee for the City of Reedsburg convened for a regular meeting, on April 21, 2021 at 5:30 p.m. at the Reedsburg Center Conference Room with the following members present:

Members Present: Dave Knudsen, Craig Braunschweig, Charlie Backeberg and Phil Peterson

Also Present: Steven Zibell and Tim Becker

Motion by Peterson seconded by Backeberg to approve the minutes from March 17, 2021 meeting.

Becker discussed the City owned Cemetery and that we may need to take over management since the existing Cemetery Association would like to disband at the end of this year. Becker stated the City would probably need to budget another \$40,000 on top of the existing \$20,000 we already budget. This would be used for lawn mowing, general maintenance and wages. Becker stated we would keep the current part time employees for mowing and general operations. Becker stated he would like to see the operation fall under Public Works since Public Works already plows and maintains the driveways. Motion by Backeberg seconded by Peterson to recommend to Council taking over the Greenwood Cemetery under Public Works.

Motion Carried

Zibell discussed the Block Grant application for N. Oak Street, Third Street, Laurel Street and the central ditch. Zibell stated if this grant is approved the project would be completed in the summer of 2022. Zibell stated the grant is a 2/3rd grant so every dollar the City puts in the Grant will put in two dollars up to a million dollar grant amount. Motion by Peterson seconded by Backeberg to proceed with the grant application.

Motion Carried

Zibell gave a general update on current projects.

No Action

Motion by Backeberg seconded by Braunschweig to adjourn.

Motion Carried

Adjourned at 6:20 p.m.
Respectively Submitted,

Steven T. Zibell, Public Works Director/City Engineer
City of Reedsburg