

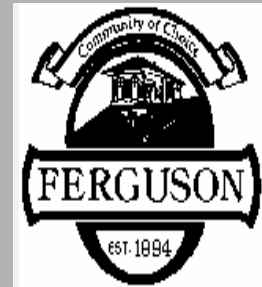
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FERGUSON CITY COUNCIL

**Council Meeting
July 25, 2006**

**WORK SESSION, 7:00 P.M.
COUNCIL MEETING, 8:00 P.M.**

**CITY HALL
110 Church Street**



The regular meeting of the Ferguson City Council was called to order at 8:00 p.m. on July 25, 2006 by Mayor Brian P. Fletcher, in the Council Chamber of City Hall, 110 Church Street, Ferguson, Missouri. Mayor Fletcher requested that everyone stand for a moment of silent prayer, after which the Pledge of Allegiance was recited. On roll call, the following Council members were present:

Mayor Brian P. Fletcher
John Corson
Michael Salant
James W. Knowles III
James Hines
Peggy Faul
Tim Larson

Also present were City Manager A.J. Krieger, City Attorney Stephanie Karr, and City Clerk Debbie Matthies. Mrs. Matthies declared a quorum was present.

Mayor Fletcher welcomed all present.

Mayor commented that the severe weather that hit the City the past week is probably the greatest damage seen as far as trees and electricity in most of our lifetimes.

The City's first priority was to get the streets cleared, and answer emergency telephone calls for those who rely on electricity for oxygen and ventilators.

Mayor Fletcher stated emergency action is being taken to assist residents with street clean up and City Staff has been in contact daily with Ameren UE and government emergency branches.

The Mayor commented that City Staff is extremely tired but doing a diligent job and assured the City that staff is doing everything humanly possible in cleaning up our City and getting the City past these tough days to be able to get on with our daily lives.

Mayor thanked City Staff, the residents for their patience, and for neighbors helping neighbors by checking on and taking in family, friends and neighbors in their time of need and to City businesses by staying open extra hours.

Mayor then explained the Council meeting would have three Public Hearings, the Public Portion and the Business Portion.

8:00 PUBLIC HEARINGS - Mayor opened the Public Hearings.

City Manager, A.J. Krieger explained public hearings per the requirements of Chapter 49 all three hearings are for special use permits. The public hearing packets contain site plan and Plan Commission Minutes. The Petitioners are present for questions or comments. There will be a roll call vote for each special use permit and staff recommends approval of all three special use permits.

- ❖ SPECIAL USE PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A 123 FOOT TELECOMMUNICATION TOWER AND AN ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT SHELTER AT FLORISSANT VALLEY COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT 3402 PERSHALL ROAD.

Mr. Krieger explained that the special use permit is to construct a 123 foot communication tower at Florissant Valley Community College at 3402 Pershall Road.

Brick Storts, representative of C.I.S. Communications, LLC, explained that the College is looking to erect a new telecommunications facility of a flagpole style design that is on the campus by the athletic field and will provide coverage for the area. The tower will be structurally designed to accommodate a minimum of three canisters and a maximum number of shared users technologically possible.

Tower location, elevation, structure, flag proportion and grommets were discussed along with the tower being well anchored. Mr. Storts commented the sites are designed for zone four earthquake ratings and are generally very safe structures.

There being no public comments or suggestions for the proposed telecommunication tower and accessory equipment shelter at Florissant Valley Community College – 3402 Pershall Road. Mayor Fletcher declared the 3402 Pershall Road Public Hearing portion closed at 8:20 p.m.

A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines to approve the special use permit for a telecommunication tower at 3402 Pershall Road. On roll call vote the motion carried as follows:

AYES – 7 – Corson, Salant, Knowles, Hines, Fletcher, Faul, Larson

NOES – 0

Special Use Permit approved.

❖ SPECIAL USE PERMIT TO CONSTRUCT A 130 FOOT TELECOMMUNICATION TOWER AND AN ACCESSORY EQUIPMENT SHELTER AT CITY OF FERGUSON MUNICIPAL GARAGE AT 901 FERGUSON AVE.

Mr. Krieger explained that the special use permit is to construct a 130 foot communication tower at 901 Ferguson Ave. just as the City did for the tower in January Wabash Memorial Park, the proposal tonight is for the special use permit only, if Council approves the special use permit staff will, at a later date, bring a ground lease for Council approval. The tower cannot be constructed until permission is granted.

Council discussed the amount of rent for the ground lease. Mr. Krieger responded negotiations have not been completed.

Mr. Knowles questioned if the tower would infringe on any future plans for City property.

Mr. Krieger responded there is enough room for City expansion and the length of proposals/renewals usually do not go outside twenty years.

Mr. Knowles confirmed that at the end of the lease the tower will be taken down by U.S. Cellular.

Dave Proost – 202 Bruce Ave. questioned the remuneration to the City for erecting the tower.

Mayor responded that at this time the special use portion is for approval, at a later date, U.S. Cellular will negotiate a lease with the City for Council approval.

Mr. Storts commented that in addition landscaping will be installed to screen the road subject to approval of the Director of Public Works.

There being no further public comments or suggestions for the proposed telecommunication tower and accessory equipment shelter at the City of Ferguson Municipal Garage – 901 Ferguson Ave. Mayor Fletcher declared the Public Hearing portion closed at 8:25 p.m.

A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Larson to approve the special use permit for a telecommunication tower at 901 Ferguson Ave. On roll call vote the motion carried as follows:

AYES – 7 – Salant, Knowles, Hines, Fletcher, Faul, Larson, Corson
NOES – 0
Special Use Permit approved.

❖ SPECIAL USE PERMIT TO OPERATE AN AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR SHOP AT
9422 W. FLORISSANT

Mr. Krieger explained that the special use is for the operation of an automotive repair facility at 9422 W. Florissant – the property fronts Northwinds.

Petitioner Majid Sadri was present for Council questions. Mr. Sadri explained he is relocating from the North Park area and the business will be for minor repairs, tune up, oil changes, and brake repair, the business name is Auto Treatment and hours of operation will be 7 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Mr. Corson questioned the vehicles long-term storage.

Mr. Krieger explained this special use is for short-term storage and what is permitted is automotive repair not auto salvage.

Council discussed parking as indicated on the site plan.

There being no public comments or suggestions for the proposed automotive repair shop – 9422 W. Florissant. Mayor Fletcher declared the Public Hearing portion closed at 8:30 p.m.

A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Faul to approve the special use permit for an automotive repair facility at 9422 West Florissant Ave. On roll call vote the motion carried as follows:

AYES – 7 – Knowles, Hines, Fletcher, Faul, Larson, Corson, Salant
NOES – 0
Special Use Permit approved.

Council congratulated and welcomed Mr. Sadri.

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS - Pride of the City

Public Works Director, Terry O'Neil gave a background of the Pride of the City Program. Mr. O'Neil and Mayor Fletcher introduced the July and August Pride of the City winners.

The July winners are Ward 1- Tim and Barb Hartmann at 26 N. Elizabeth Ave., Ward 2 – Ron and Laura Livingston at 313 Mueller Ave., and Ward 3 – Tony and Nancy Underhill at 106 Tiffin Ave.

The August winners are Ward 1 – Patrick and Carla Sanders at 421 Averill Ave., Ward 2 – David and Beverly Proost at 202 Bruce Ave., and Ward 3 – Lynette Kern at 246 S. Hartnett Ave.

Winners will receive a Certificate and City Flag. Pride of the City signs will be placed in their yards. Council congratulated the winners.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Martin Pion – thanked the City for the quick response in cleaning up the storm debris in the area. Mr. Pion reviewed and gave a report on Bike parking, Bike education, Loaner bikes, promotion and other activities of the bike education program. The program is getting wide exposure and publicity.

Council Member Salant questioned the loaner bike program and bid process and requested that City Staff oversee the bike project.

Ms. Glenda Wuertenberg - 13 ½ N. Hartnett – is a participant and completed the bike education class and thanked the City for their participation and funding for the bike program and recommended more publicity on the website and more information throughout the City. Ms. Wuertenberg was informed of the program by Martin Pion at the Farmers' Market. It is a new outlook on biking and a good opportunity for exercise and thanked the City for the program.

Mike Gray – 620 Darst – thanked the Council and City on the quick response in the storm clean up. Thanked the Public Works Department for working long hard hours and to keep up the good work.

There being no further public comments, Mayor declared the Public Comment portion closed at 8:50 p.m.

BUSINESS PORTION

MINUTES

Council Special Meeting Minutes – July 18, 2006. A motion was made by Council Member Larson, seconded by Council Member Knowles and carried to approve the Council Special Meeting Minutes of July 18, 2006 and file as appropriate.

CONSENT AGENDA

Minutes

Traffic Commission Minutes – May 16, 2006. A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines, and carried to receive the minutes as presented and file as appropriate.

Housing Board of Appeals Minutes – April 17, 2006. A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines, and carried to receive the minutes as presented and file as appropriate.

Park Board Minutes – June 20, 2006. A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines, and carried to receive the minutes as presented and file as appropriate.

Landmarks Commission Minutes – June 19, 2006. A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines, and carried to receive the minutes as presented and file as appropriate.

Library Board Minutes – June 19, 2006. A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines, and carried to receive the minutes as presented and file as appropriate.

APPOINTMENTS

A motion was made by Council Member Faul, seconded, to appoint Kathy Snaffstall to the Park Board. Motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Council Member Faul, seconded, to re-appoint Theresa Smythe to the Library Board. Motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Mayor Fletcher, seconded, to appoint Ann Ernst to the Senior Citizen Commission. Motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Mayor Fletcher, seconded, to re-appoint Cynthia Dorsey to

the Personnel Board. Motion passed unanimously.

A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Larson to accept the appointments as named. On voice vote motion passed unanimously.

PROCLAMATIONS

The Proclamation for National Night Out was read by Mayor Fletcher.

RESOLUTIONS

#2006-18 – A Resolution for the City Manager to execute a contract for Accounting Services was introduced by Council as a whole and read by City Attorney, Stephanie Karr.

Council Member Larson questioned if training was included, the amount of the yearly maintenance charge for the software and will existing computers be used.

Finance Director, Joan Jadali responded that training is a part of the total contract and will not exceed the amount. The maintenance charge is approximately the same as the current charge and the current computers will be used.

A Motion was made by Council Member Larson, seconded by Council Member Knowles to approve Resolution #2006-18. On roll call vote, the motion carried as follows:

AYES: 7 – Corson, Salant, Knowles, Hines, Fletcher, Faul, Larson
NOES: 0
Resolution passes. 7-0

#2006-19 - Application for Downtown Revitalization Economic Assistance for Missouri (DREAM) Initiative was introduced by Council as a whole and read by City Attorney, Stephanie Karr.

Mr. Krieger explained the DREAM initiative as proposed by the Governor contemplates the State of Missouri stepping in and helping communities that are actively engaged in downtown redevelopment and providing technical assistance and, for some, financial assistance. It is a competitive application and Staff believes, based upon the community's commitment to downtown redevelopment, the City is in a good position in terms of the criteria established by the program. Support by the Council by a Resolution is required. Mr. Krieger pointed out that the Planning Coordinator, Drew Awsumb did an outstanding job in writing the draft application.

On roll call vote, the motion carried as follows:

AYES: 7 – Salant, Knowles, Hines, Fletcher, Faul, Larson, Corson

NOES: 0

Resolution passes. 7-0

#2006-20 A Resolution for the appointment of a Municipal Judge was introduced by Council as a whole and read by City Attorney, Stephanie Karr.

Mr. Krieger commented that Judge Brockmeyer has done a very good job. The Court setting is orderly and progresses at a rapid pace.

A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines to approve Resolution #2006-20. On roll call vote, the motion carried as follows:

AYES: 7 – Knowles, Hines, Fletcher, Faul, Larson, Corson, Salant

NOES: 0

Resolution passes. 7-0

#2006-21 A Resolution for the City Manager to execute a contract with Hardin Tree Service for Emergency Tree Removal was introduced by Council as a whole and read by City Attorney, Stephanie Karr.

Council Member Knowles questioned how the City contracted with Hardin Tree Service.

Mr. Krieger explained the City used their service over the weekend with tree removal from the severe weather, but has used their service in the past and staff is happy with their work. A related agreement is drafted to go along with the Resolution and is open-ended in terms of dollar amount but limits it to a range of \$200-\$300 per hour, per equipment used.

Discussion regarding removal and clean up of debris, City trees which are in the right of way and the City's liability.

A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Faul to approve Resolution #2006-21. On roll call vote, the motion carried as follows:

AYES: 7 – Hines, Fletcher, Faul, Larson, Corson, Salant, Knowles

NOES: 0

Resolution passes. 7-0

#2006-22 A Resolution declaring a State of Emergency in Ferguson was introduced by Council as a whole and read by City Attorney, Stephanie Karr.

Mr. Krieger explained that the City of St. Louis and St. Louis County have been declared disaster areas. The City is following through with a Resolution declaring a state of emergency in Ferguson.

Mr. Krieger attended a public agency briefing by FEMA (Federal Emergency Management Agency) and SEMA (State Emergency Management Agency) which provided information on how cities and public agencies can get reimbursed for emergency response activities and for tree removal as a result of the storm that began on July 19, 2006.

Mr. Krieger commented that the City needs to show that there is a state of emergency in Ferguson and authorize Mr. Krieger as representative to apply for State and Federal assistance. Resolution #2006-22 will be in support of the application.

Mr. Krieger further explained the process of the reimbursement.

Mayor Fletcher commented that the Governor granted the calling of the National Guard for clean up and questioned if any of the municipalities will be receiving their assistance. Mayor is in favor of any efforts in getting debris cleared in the City as soon as possible. Mayor asked for consensus in authorizing the City Manager to request assistance.

Council Member Knowles feels that the National Guard should be used in a more life threatening situation and not for aesthetic purposes of cleaning. Mr. Knowles feels that Public Works along with Hardin are doing a good job.

Council Member Hines feels the City should ask the National Guard be deployed for City clean up.

Council Member Larson questioned financial assistance for the additional overtime and contracts with Hardin. Mr. Larson is not exactly sure how the National Guard, as a practical on the ground process, would assist with the clean up of debris.

The Mayor's understanding was that the declaration allowed for both life and removal of debris and debris is being removed in the City of St. Louis. Mayor feels that if there is a way to remove the debris faster with the assistance that the Governor has offered the City should seek that assistance.

Mr. Krieger commented the Resolution is in anticipation for an application for assistance.

Council questioned if Staff could find out, if called, what the National Guard parameters would be.

Mayor wanted to give the Council's authority to Mr. Krieger to ask for help if it is offered. There will be other briefings staff will be attending as the weeks go on addressing this issue.

City Attorney, Stephanie Karr commented that in calling out the National Guard, the Resolution references Chapter 44 of the Revised Missouri State Statutes, one of the provisions Ms. Karr called to Council's attention is if the City asks the Governor to bring in the National Guard to assist with debris removal there is a provision that requires the City to basically turn over employees to the Governor and, in that instance, if the City would get extra help from the National Guard, the State would then come in and take over the employees of the City and direct them as to what to do.

Mayor requested Mr. Krieger to see how it is working in assisting the residents of the City of St. Louis.

Mr. Krieger will confirm the process and inform the Council.

A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Larson to approve Resolution #2006-22. On roll call vote, the motion carried as follows:

AYES: 7 – Fletcher, Faul, Larson, Corson, Salant, Knowles, Hines
NOES: 0
Resolution passes. 7-0

Mr. Krieger commented that the application for State Federal Assistance will be filed.

REQUESTS

A motion was made by Council Member Larson, seconded by Council Member Knowles to approve the temporary Liquor License for Ferguson Station Business Association (FSBA) - Ferguson Streetfest - September 22, 23 and 24. William Scheffer is the applicant. Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

A motion was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines to approve the Liquor License renewal for A&D Mini-Mart, 1130 N. Florissant Road. Deon Williams is the applicant. Motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

BILLS REQUIRING FIRST READING

BILL NO. 6755 AN ORDINANCE FIXING THE RATE OF AD VALOREM TAXATION FOR THE YEAR 2006 BY LEVYING A TAX FOR GENERAL AND OTHER PURPOSES ON ALL PROPERTY MADE TAXABLE BY LAW WITHIN THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF FERGUSON, MISSOURI; AND LEVYING A TAX FOR FREE PUBLIC PARKS IN THE CITY OF FERGUSON, MISSOURI. Introduced by Council as a whole.

Mr. Krieger explained that the numbers are subject to change and the Public Hearing and second reading will be held on August 22, 2006.

BILL NO. 6756 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING SPECIAL TAX BILLS AGAINST CERTAIN PROPERTIES FOR COSTS OF CUTTING AND REMOVING WEEDS AS PROVIDED UNDER CHAPTER 46. VEGETATION, ARTICLE III. WEEDS AND VINES, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FERGUSON, MISSOURI. Introduced by Council as a whole.

BILL NO. 6757 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING SPECIAL TAX BILLS AGAINST CERTAIN PROPERTIES FOR COSTS OF BOARDING UP BUILDINGS AS PROVIDED UNDER CHAPTER 7. BUILDINGS AND BUILDING REGULATIONS, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FERGUSON, MISSOURI. Introduced by Council as a whole.

BILL NO. 6758 AN ORDINANCE LEVYING SPECIAL TAX BILLS AGAINST CERTAIN PROPERTIES FOR COST OF REMOVING TRASH AND DEBRIS AS PROVIDED UNDER CHAPTER 28. NUISANCES, OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FERGUSON, MISSOURI. Introduced by Council as a whole.

BILLS REQUIRING SECOND READINGS

BILL NO. 6753 AN ORDINANCE APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY AND THE BOARD OF CURATORS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI FOR THE PURPOSE OF IMPROVEMENT OF PROPERTY WITHIN THE CITY AND THE LOCATION OF AN ART STUDIO AND EXHIBITION FACILITY WITHIN SUCH PROPERTY. Introduced by Council as a whole and read the first time.

A motion to read the Bill a second time and place it upon its passage was made by Council Member Larson, seconded by Council Member Faul. On roll call vote, the motion carried as follows:

AYES: 7 – Faul, Larson, Corson, Salant, Knowles, Hines, Fletcher
NOES: 0

Bill No. 6753 was declared passed and sent to the Mayor for signature. Bill No. 6753 thus became Ordinance No. 2006-3277 and is permanently recorded in Book 28 on page 22.

BILL NO. 6754 AN ORDINANCE AMENDING PARAGRAPH (a) OF SECTION 13-70 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES FOR THE CITY OF FERGUSON BY ADDING A NEW SUBPARAGRAPH (11) RELATING TO A TWO DOLLAR SURCHARGE TO BE COLLECTED AS PART OF THE COURT COSTS ON MATTERS BEFORE THE MUNICIPAL COURT. Introduced by Council as a whole and read the first time.

A motion to read the Bill a second time and place it upon its passage was made by Council Member Knowles, seconded by Council Member Hines. On roll call vote, the motion carried as follows:

AYES: 7 – Larson, Corson, Salant, Knowles, Hines, Fletcher, Faul
NOES: 0

Bill No. 6754 was declared passed and sent to the Mayor for signature. Bill No. 6754 thus became Ordinance No. 2006-3278 and is permanently recorded in Book 28 on page 23.

MISCELLANEOUS

Mr. Corson – still no electricity at his home and thanked all of City Staff for all of their hard work as well as neighbors helping each other and asked residents to be patient, the City is trying to meet the needs of everyone.

Mr. Krieger pointed out that Council Members Corson and Salant helped City Staff in cutting up trees on Highmont and, in doing so, freed up other crews to work on other trees. Mr. Krieger thanked the Council Members.

Mr. Salant – echoed Mr. Corson and thanked Staff for doing an outstanding job during the storms and hopes the community appreciates everyone pitching in and helping.

Mr. Knowles – thanked the group of people helping in Jeske Park, one person who owns a tree service was picking up debris from yards and running it through his shredder and loading it onto his truck. Mr. Knowles had comments regarding a City tree in the right of way on Renshaw, which is now in the resident's car.

Mr. Knowles would have like to have seen the CERT Team activated and why they weren't? Other cities were using this disaster as a dry-run for bigger disasters.

Mr. Krieger responded that he and Chief Moonier discussed activating CERT and determined at the time there was Police coverage on the streets responding to emergencies along with the Fire Department. At that time, there was a need for traffic control and the Police Department is better suited for traffic control than CERT. Another storm was expected and it was determined not to send volunteers out and place them in harm's way. It was discussed and the decision was not to activate CERT.

Mr. Hines – comments and concerns regarding why the City was so high in electricity outage and why it is taking so long on getting the power back on.

Mr. Krieger will request assessments and reports and will forward them to Council.

Ms. Faul – thanked Public Works as well as the whole City, Nez and everyone involved with the cooling stations, for their diligence during the storms. Ms. Faul commented it will be important to meet your neighbors on National Night Out and supports getting more advertisement out on the bike project.

Mr. Krieger responded that the cooling stations will continue until everyone has power.

Ms. Faul is glad to see the Landmarks Commission looking to strengthening and amending the Ordinance for Certified Local Government. The Landmarks Commission is drafting a letter to the School Board regarding the Vogt School and it will be disseminated to the Council. Ms. Faul is in support of the letter and their request to the School Board to look at properties that are historic landmarks in a different light and asked the City Council to consider backing their letter. Ms. Faul also thanked Robert-Superior for having their camp for kids, which was a lot of hard work.

Mr. Hines – thanked Public Works for the wonderful job they are doing in cleaning up the debris in the City.

Mr. Larson – thanked the citizens for their good attitude they presented in spite of adversity. It is distressing that the citizens are without power this many days and appreciates the work of Ameren but would like to understand better why it is taking them so long. Mr. Larson appreciated the comments on the bike project, and took the class and looks forward to hearing more about the loaner bike program.

Mr. Larson requested an update on the Robert-Superior safe street sign and Darst traffic calming project.

Mr. Krieger responded that the Darst improvements were included in the last round of concrete and he will send an email updating Robert-Superior street sign.

Mr. Krieger presented and reviewed a hand out proposing the creation of a Forestry Maintenance Fund, which would conceptually be a special dedicated revenue fund of the City dedicated to maintenance of the City's urban forestry. The revenue from the Fund would engage in both proactive and reactive forestry maintenance. Mr. Krieger further explained and discussed the proposal with Council. Mr. Krieger asked for Council direction to proceed with the Forestry Maintenance Fund plan. Council requested more research and further discussion on the proposal.

Mr. Krieger commented that it was remarkable on what City Staff did during the severe weather. Mr. Krieger commended the entire City Staff for all of their hard work.

The Public Works Department, along with Municipal Service Manager, Ed Giancola in managing his crews; Mechanic Supervisor, Dave Jenkins in working on the Police Department generator.

The Fire Department over a 36 hour period responded to over a 142 calls; Firefighter Steve Fair did not go home for two days; Assistant Chief Rosenthal and Firefighter John Hampton and other Firefighters who came in on their days off to help the City respond to an abnormal amount of calls.

The Police Department did an outstanding job with security and anticipating and responding to problems and Police Officers working overtime.

Community Relations Coordinator, Nez Savala in keeping contact with the news media informing them of the City cooling stations and making sure the stations had supplies; Planning Coordinator, Drew Awsumb was sent on missions to find ice.

The Parks and Recreation Department fed and kept people cool; the Jolly Trolley was made available to a nursing facility for transportation of patients.

Mr. Krieger was very proud of the entire City Staff in going above and beyond in this time of need.

Mr. Krieger explained the clean up efforts will continue and instructed everyone to take care of their own safety first and people in need, when able, get debris to the curb or public right of way for pick up. The cooling station will continue at January Wabash Park until everyone has power.

Mr. Krieger commented that the City is doing a systematic search of each street for

debris; residents do not have to call City Hall. The City will inform residents where they may drop off debris.

In the future, Council Member Corson would like to review and evaluate the emergency response.

Mr. Krieger commented staff will be requesting the purchase of generators for City facilities.

Mayor requested any type of contacts or organizations in helping residents with personal needs be placed on the City website.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to consider, Council Member Knowles moved to adjourn, seconded by Council Member Corson. The meeting adjourned at 10:10 p.m.

Deborah L. Matthies, City Clerk