



City of Racine

Meeting Report

Committee of the Whole

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Alderman Robert Anderson, Alderman Tim Hermes,
Alderman Jim Kaplan, Alderman David L. Maack,
Alderman Raymond DeHahn, Alderman Q.A. Shakoor, II,
Alderman Pete Karas, Alderman Thomas Friedel,
Alderman Gregory Holding, Alderman Aron Wisneski,
Alderman James T. Spangenberg, Alderman Ronald D. Hart,
Alderman Thomas M. Sollman*

Monday, August 14, 2006

7:00 PM

Room 205, City Hall

06-2159

Subject: Communication from the Alderman of the 14th District wishing to discuss combining the Department of Public Works and the Parks Department.

Recommendation: that the pending audit of the Department of Public Works be expanded to determine if it is feasible to combine with the Parks Department.

FISCAL NOTE: to be determined.

A motion was made by that this file be Recommended For Further Consideration

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06-2161

Subject: Communication from Alderman Holding proposing the License and Welfare committee change the name to the "Public Safety and Licensing" Committee.

Recommendation of the License & Welfare Committee 07/10/06:

That the License and Welfare Committee change of name to "Public Safety and License" Committee.

Recommendation of the Committee of the Whole 08/14/2006: That the License and Welfare Committee be changed to "Public Safety and Licensing" Committee.

Fiscal Note: N/A

A motion was made by Maack, seconded by DeHahn, that this file be Recommended For Acceptance .

06-2162

Subject: Communication from Alderman Shakoor requesting to have the License and Welfare Committee name changed to the "Public Protection and License Committee.

Recommendation of the License & Welfare Committee of 07/10/06:

That the item be received and filed.

Recommendation of the Committee of the Whole of 08/14/2006: That

the item be received and filed.

Fiscal Note: N/A

A motion was made by Holding, seconded by Wisneski, that this file be Recommended to be Received and Filed .

Ord.33-06

ORDINANCE NO. 33-06

To amend Secs. 2-77, 2-411, 6-18, 6-56, 6-85, 6-102, 6-132, 6-166, 22-83, 22-87, 22-180, 22-349, 22-357, 22-505, 22-617, 22-769, 22-807, 22-834, 22-840, 22-924, 22-925, 22-1031, 34-27, 34-56, 38-30, 42-136, 42-167, 42-185, 70-37, 70-86, 82-153, 82-155, 82-226 and 102-28 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine, Wisconsin relating to License and welfare committee.

The Common Council of the City of Racine do ordain as follows:

Part 1:

Secs. 2-77, 2-411, 6-18, 6-56, 6-85, 6-102, 6-132, 6-166, 22-83, 22-87, 22-180, 22-349, 22-357, 22-505, 22-617, 22-769, 22-807, 22-834, 22-840, 22-924, 22-925, 22-1031, 34-27, 34-56, 38-30, 42-136, 42-167, 42-185, 70-37, 70-86, 82-153, 82-155, 82-226 and 102-28 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine are amended by deleting the words "license and welfare" wherever it appears in the section and inserting the words "public safety and license" in its place.

Part 2:

This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and the day after publication.

Passed by the Common Council:

Approved:

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

FISCAL NOTE: N/A

Recommendation: That Public Safety and License be amended to Public Safety and Licensing, and that the Ordinance be adopted as amended.

FISCAL NOTE: N/A

A motion was made by Holding, seconded by DeHahn, that this file be Recommended For Approval .

Ord.28-06

ORDINANCE NO. 28-06 TO AMEND SEC. 2-118, REPEAL SEC. 2-120 AND AMEND SEC. 2-121 OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE RELATING TO ADMINISTRATION.

To amend Sec. 2-118, repeal Sec. 2-120, and to amend Sec. 2-121 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine, Wisconsin relating to Administration - Actions on resolutions; Alderman included in reference; notice of consideration; Motions which take precedence.

The Common Council of the City of Racine do ordain as follows:

Part 1:

Sec. 2-118 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine is hereby amended by deleting the second sentence in the paragraph.

Part 2:

Sec. 2-120 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine is hereby repealed.

Part 3:

Sec. 2-121 of the Municipal Code of the City of Racine is hereby amended by adding the phrase "to receive and file," before the phrase "to lay on the table" in the third line.

Part 4:

This ordinance shall take effect upon passage and the day after publication.

Passed by the Common Council:

Approved:

Mayor

Attest:

City Clerk

FISCAL NOTE: N/A

Recommendation: That the ordinance be adopted.

FISCAL NOTE: N/A

A motion was made by Holding, seconded by Friedel, that this file be Recommended For Approval .

06-2240

Subject: Communication from the Alderman of the 6th District on behalf of Mr. John Mozol, 565 Harvey Drive, requesting the appropriate Resolution supporting the USS Edson Project be created.

Recommendation: to adopt the following resolution:

WHEREAS, many coastal cities in the United States have converted retired naval vessels into successful tourist attractions; and
WHEREAS, the USS Edson is an historic U.S. Navy destroyer, which served three tours of duty in Vietnam and was named after a winner of the Medal of Honor; and
WHEREAS, the USS Edson has previously served as a floating naval museum; and
WHEREAS, this project will not involve any public funding or expenditure.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Racine go on record strongly supporting the Wisconsin Naval Ship Association's USS Edson Project and encourages its citizens and veterans groups to generously provide funds to assist in establishing the USS Edson as a training and living history platform.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the City of Sheboygan and the County of Sheboygan as evidence of Racine's support.

FISCAL NOTE: N/A

A motion was made by Holding, seconded by Shakoor, II, that this file be Recommended For Approval .

06-2211

Subject: City Clerk submitting a petition received from Racine Coalition for Peace and Justice, "To Bring The Troops Home!"

Recommendation of the Committee of the Whole on 8-14-06: That the petition submitted, "To Bring The Troops Home!", be placed on the ballot for the November 7, 2006 General Election.

Fiscal Note: N/A

A motion was made by Holding, seconded by Spangenberg, that this file be Approved .

06-2321

Subject: (Direct Referral) Communication from Wilbur Jones, 1615 Linden Avenue, requesting permission to address the Committee regarding incidents that occurred at his establishment, Viper's, 509 High Street.

Recommendation: that the Item be received and filed.

Fiscal Note: N/A

A motion was made by Holding, seconded by Shakoor, II, that this file be Recommended to be Received and Filed .