

**CITY OF GILLETT
PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE MEETING
Council Chambers – Municipal Building
150 N McKenzie Ave – Gillett, WI 54124
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 2024 AT 5:35 PM
MINUTES**

Chairperson Drake called the meeting to order at 5:35 pm.

Roll Call

Present: Alderpersons Irene Drake and Jerry Luther

Also Present: David Bunker, Nanette Mohr, and Ashley VanStraten, Mayor Jon Blaskowski, Clerk Treasurer Chelsea Anderson, and Public Works Foreman Nate Anderson.

Public Input: None

AGENDA ITEMS:

1. Discussion and Possible Action on November 7, 2024, 2024 Minutes

MOTION: Mohr/Drake

Motion to approve November 7, 2024 Minutes.

Voice Vote: All Voting Aye – **MOTION CARRIED**

2. Discussion and Possible Action on cold storage building- Our building inspector gave us a report on our cold storage building and noted many problems with its condition. In conclusion, he states we should look to replace the building, as much as it would take to repair, we could build new. The building houses our skid steer attachments, excavator, extra pipe, signs, garbage bins, leaf vacuum, street sweeper, and other expensive equipment. Mayor asked if we could build new by the fire department, or another location that does not require \$27,000 worth of fill. The current location is in a low spot. A location near City Hall would be convenient, but the area is quite cluttered with the fair buildings, scout cabins, and atv/snowmobile trail. The Fire Department parcel on West Park Street is also near salt shed storage. Explore other options for placement, look over quotes, and budget for 2026.

3. Discussion and Possible Action on Leaf Pickup- looking to add a spring leaf pick up day. The committee discussed how expensive it would be to clean the leaf vacuum, and would not be worth it for one pickup. There has been many requests to have this service added in spring by citizens. Committee will add leaf pick up dates to May 5 and May 12, 2025.

MOTION: Luther/Bunker

Motion to add leaf pick up dates to calendar, May 5 and May 12, 2025.

Voice Vote: All Voting Aye – **MOTION CARRIED**

4. Discussion and Possible Action on Robinhood Lane Dead End- move Texas blocks to the end of the city property on the road, add a “No Thru Street” sign on the road and “No Parking” signs to the Texas blocks at the end of Robinhood Lane. This is to deter ATV/UTVs from going around the Texas blocks on private property grass.

5. Set Next Meeting Date –To Be Determined.

6. Adjournment at 6:17 PM.

MOTION: Luther/Drake

Motion to adjourn.

Voice Vote: All Voting Aye – **MOTION CARRIED**

Respectfully Submitted by
Clerk Treasurer Chelsea Anderson