

Public Hearing
Amend 48-Hour Parking Section of the
Village of West Salem Code of Ordinances

February 7, 2023

Public hearing called to order at 6:50 p.m. by Village President Schumacher. Trustees present: Curtis, Hennessey, Lautz, Leicht, and Twining. Also present: Public Works Director Loren Schwier, Village Attorney Bryant Klos, and Village Administrator Teresa DeLong.

This public hearing concerns Ordinance No. 512, which, if adopted, will amend Section 6.05(l)(3) to prohibit vehicles from stopping or parking at any time for more than forty-eight hours at one time on any public parking lot.

There were no citizens present to speak for or against the proposed Ordinance.

Motion by Trustee Twining, seconded by Trustee Hennessey to close the public hearing at 6:55 p.m. Motion unanimously approved by voice vote.

Teresa L. DeLong, Village Administrator

Regular Meeting

February 7, 2023

Regular meeting called to order at 7:00 p.m. by Village President Schumacher. Trustees present: Curtis, Hennessey, Lautz, Leicht, and Twining. Also present: Troy Gunderson, Public Works Director Loren Schwier, Village Attorney Bryant Klos, and Village Administrator Teresa DeLong.

Public Comment

Troy Gunderson appeared before the Village Board to again pledge his support and volunteer to educate and work toward passage of the upcoming Village referendum. Mr. Gunderson stated the Village Board has a lot of educating to do. The public does not know why the Village needs more police officers. He asks "what does the future of the Village look like, what does the Village want to look like?" Mr. Gunderson recommended obtaining last year's voter list for the April election and start contacting those people asking for their vote. He will serve on an ad hoc referendum committee.

Minutes

Motion by Trustee Hennessey, seconded by Trustee Curtis to approve the minutes of the January 17, 2023, meeting as written. Roll call vote: Unanimous aye. Motion approved.

Claims

Claims were presented for payment totaling \$181,355.20. Motion by Trustee Leicht, seconded by Trustee Lautz to approve the payment of all claims as listed. Roll call vote: Unanimous aye.

A resident asked to be included on the Village Board agenda to request the Village consider allowing chickens. The resident took ill, and he was unable to attend the meeting.

Ordinance No. 512

Motion by Trustee Leicht, seconded by Trustee Twining to approve Ordinance No. 512 Amend 48-hour Parking Section of the Village of West Salem Code of Ordinances. Roll call vote: Unanimous aye. Motion approved.

Referendum Community Input Ad Hoc Committee

President Schumacher is compiling a list of Village residents willing to work on educating and distributing information to the public on the upcoming Village levy increase referendum question that will be on the April Spring election ballot. A final list will be completed soon.

Motion by Trustee Leicht, seconded by Trustee Hennessey to convene in closed session at 7:20 p.m. pursuant to Wis. Stat. Sec. 19.85(1)(e) for the purpose of deliberating or negotiating the purchase of public properties, investment of public funds, and transfers of public properties, to-wit: Lakeview Business Park update and possible land sale. Roll call vote: Unanimous aye. Motion approved.

Motion by Trustee Leicht, seconded by Trustee Curtis to reconvene in open session at 7:56 p.m. Unanimously approved by voice vote.

Motion by Trustee Leicht, seconded by Trustee Curtis to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 p.m. Approved by voice vote.

Teresa L. DeLong, Village Administrator