

**PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING
CITY OF WISCONSIN DELLS
JANUARY 21, 2019**

Chairperson Anchor called the meeting to order at 5:45PM. Notice of the meeting was provided to the *Dells Events*, WNNO Radio, and posted in accordance with State Statutes.

1. Members Present: Ald. Dan Anchor, Mayor Ed Wojnicz, Ald. Brian Holzem, Ald. Ben Anderson

Others: Ald. Jesse DeFosse, Ald. Terry Marshall, Ald. Mike Freel, Police Chief Jody Ward, City Clerk/Coordinator Nancy Holzem, Fire Chief Pat Gavinski, City Planner/Zoning Administrator Chris Tollaksen, City Attorney Joseph Hasler, and Christopher Jardine from the *Dells Events*.

2. Motion by Ald. Holzem seconded by Ald. Anderson to approve the November 13, 2018 meeting minutes. Motion carried unanimously.
3. The city received a request for a controlled intersection at Capital and Iowa Streets from Anthony Harris, who resides at 316 Capital Street. Harris stated that the intersection was dangerous with a lot of children in the area. Chief Ward confirmed it was one of a few uncontrolled 4-way intersections in the city. Motion by Ald. Holzem seconded by Ald. Anderson to recommend an ordinance to the Legislative Committee that would add yield signs on Iowa at Michigan Avenue. Motion carried unanimously.
4. The committee reviewed a proposed ordinance Attorney Hasler drafted to regulate commercial pedal tour quadricycles. Hasler stated that the proposed ordinance leaves open the option to allow a motor and it gives the Police Chief final say on the route. Ald. Anderson noted concerns with the safety of the route and the noise it would generate in residential areas with microphones and speakers being used. Mayor Wojnicz stated that he did not want these quadricycles on Broadway. Chairperson Anchor asked that committee members take a time to review the information and address it again at next month's meeting. Motion by Ald. Holzem seconded by Mayor Wojnicz to table proposed ordinance. Motion carried unanimously.
5. A request from the Columbia County Emergency Management Department to complete a Natural Hazards Preparedness & Mitigation Questionnaire was reviewed. This is part of a PDM planning grant that the county received to update their county-wide All-Hazards Mitigation Plan. Fire Chief Pat Gavinski presented a copy of a survey that was done back in 2016. He stated that the Fire Department should be removed from the list as a tornado shelter. Motion by Mayor Wojnicz seconded by Ald. Holzem to have Chief Gavinski and Chief Ward make the necessary updates and submit the information to the county by the January 31, 2018 deadline. Motion carried unanimously.

6. Next meeting was scheduled for Monday, February 18, 2019 at 5:30pm.
7. Motion Ald. Holzem seconded by Ald. Anderson to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously and the meeting adjourned at 6:10PM.

Nancy R. Holzem
City Clerk/Coordinator