

**CITY OF RIPON  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
Conference Room, City Hall  
Monday, March 25, 2013  
6:30 p.m.**

- I. Call to order/roll call
- II. Thomas Street reconstruction project
- III. Downtown sidewalk repairs
- IV. Adjourn

**COMMON COUNCIL MEETING  
Council Chambers, City Hall  
Monday, March 25, 2013  
7:00 p.m.**

- I. Call to order/roll call
- II. Pledge of Allegiance/Invocation – Pastor Gary Miller
- III. Approval of agenda
- IV. Public communications and comment
- V. Action Items
  - 1. Consider bid – Final surface paving for Gateway Drive  
(Staff note: As noted on the attached document from the Public Works Director, the City received 2 bids for the final surface paving of Gateway Drive in the Business Park. The low bid was from MCC, Inc. of Appleton at a price of \$30,934.50. This is within the amount budgeted for this work. Staff recommends approval of the bid from MCC, Inc. as presented.)
  - 2. Consider borrowing \$150,000 to relocate Water Department  
(Staff note: With a developer interested in purchasing the Chamber/Water Dept. site on Jefferson, the Water Department will need to relocate. The estimated cost of building an addition to the WWTP is \$150,000, which could be funded through a State Trust Fund loan or by including the \$150,000 in the upcoming Water Revenue Bond refinancing. An analysis is attached comparing the two options. Staff recommends including the \$150,000 with the bond refinancing.)

VI. Discussion Items

1. Cost of large recycling bins for citizens  
(Staff note: At the last council meeting Klein requested that the cost of large recycling bins for citizens be put on the agenda. The cost to switch to Singlestream Recycling, including 95 gallon totes, would be \$3.50 per month per household, which is \$1.00 more than we are currently paying. This would be \$31,000 extra every year, or a one-time payment of approximately \$150,000.)
2. Hall Street parking  
(Staff note: Council member Klein requested an update regarding Hall Street parking. As noted on the attached document from the Police Chief, the Police Department has received no complaints regarding parking on Hall Street and recommends no additional parking restrictions in the area at this time.)

VII. Project updates & staff reports

VIII. Mayor's communications and appointments

IX. Agenda items for future Council meetings

X. Adjourn