

**CITY OF RIPON  
COMMON COUNCIL MEETING  
Council Chambers, City Hall  
Tuesday, September 9, 2014  
7:00 p.m.**

- I. Call to order/roll call
- II. Pledge of Allegiance/Invocation – Don Deike
- III. Approval of agenda
- IV. Public communications and comment
- V. Accept informational reports from standing committees and staff
  1. Common Council minutes – July 8, July 21, August 21 Committee of the Whole, August 25
  2. Historic Preservation minutes – July 1, August 5
  3. Ripon Public Library minutes – July 29, August 26
  4. Park & Recreation minutes – August 27
  5. Plan Commission – August 20
  6. Building Inspector report – July and August
  7. EMS report – July and August
  8. Police Department report – July
  9. Ripon Area Fire District report – June, July and August
  10. Ripon Taxi – June, July and August
  11. Senior Center report – August
  12. City Administrator report – August
  13. City Administration reports
    - a. Treasurer’s report – July and August
    - b. Budget report – July and August
    - c. Check register – July and August
- VI. Consent calendar
  1. Operator Licenses for the 2014/2015 licensing period (see attached listing)
  2. The following business has applied for a Taxicab Operator License within the City of Ripon for the 2014/2015 licensing period: Brown Cab Service Inc., 313 Watson St, Ste D, Ripon, WI 54971, Karl J Schulte, 735 Madison Ave, Fort Atkinson, WI, Agent.

VII. Action Items

1. Ordinance –Create Subsection 12.34.015 Underage Persons Under the Influence
2. Ordinance –Repeal 6.34.015 Prohibited  
(Staff note: The above two ordinances move the “Under the Influence” ordinance out of the “Outdoor Premises/Beer Garden” section of the code and into the “Intoxicants” section of the code, which is a more appropriate location. Staff recommends approval of this item, which is a housekeeping item and is not substantive.)
3. Request for street closures – Ripon Noon Kiwanis Club  
(Staff note: The Ripon Noon Kiwanis Club is seeking approval of street closures and parking restrictions in conjunction with its Children’s Halloween Parade on Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup> from 10:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. See attached memo and map. Staff has no objections.)
4. Park & Recreation Committee minutes – August 27<sup>th</sup>
  - a. Policy for Park & Recreation Temporary Advertising  
(Staff note: On August 27<sup>th</sup> the Park & Recreation Committee recommended approval of the attached Policy for Park & Recreation Temporary Advertising. The Park & Recreation Committee seeks Council’s approval.)

VIII. Discussion Items

1. Proposed collaboration with Agnesian for enhanced ambulance services  
(Staff note: EMS Chief John Teachout and Ripon Medical Center Chief Operating Officer Katherine Vergos will present a proposal to add paramedic services to the City’s ambulance services.)
2. Reconsider local historic designation for Haas Brewery Stable  
(Staff note: On February 11, 2014, the Historic Preservation Commission recommended local historic designation for the Haas Brewery Stable. Council directed the Commission to investigate if the building is structurally sound and give ideas of potential uses of the building to the Council. Per the attached memo the Commission’s recommendation is to “mothball” the structure.)
3. Review snowmobile trail  
(Staff note: Last year the snowmobile club requested permission from the City to designate a new official snowmobile trail, which would cross Oshkosh Street near Redman Drive. Council approved the new trail, subject to review in one year. Staff has no concerns.)

IX. Project updates & staff reports

X. Mayor’s communications and appointments

XI. Agenda items for future Council meetings

XII. Adjourn