



UTILITIES COMMISSION

Friday, March 8, 2013, 7:15 A.M.

Evanston Water Treatment Plant, 555 Lincoln St., Large Conference Room

AGENDA

1. CALL TO ORDER / DECLARATION OF QUORUM

2. APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES OF DECEMBER 14, 2012

3. COMMITTEE REPORTS 7:20 to 8:00 a.m.

- a. Work plan item 1.1 Update on development of a building energy rating system – Next steps – Follow-up to letter to the Evanston Chamber of Commerce – Chair Lanyon
- b. Work plan item 1.2 Develop a plan to reduce energy consumption at the water treatment plant – Status of additional response from Baxter & Woodman – Mr. Stoneback.
- c. Work plan item 1.3 Develop a baseline for energy consumption in municipal buildings update – Response from Northwestern University to the scope of work for updating the Aukeman report – Chair Lanyon and Ms. Baxter
- d. Work plan item 2.1 Investigate the potential for water conservation and wastewater reuse in City owned buildings update – Report on meeting with the Evanston Public Library and additional water consumption data for city-owned buildings – Chair Lanyon, Mr. Freeman and Mr. Stoneback
- e. Work plan item 2.2 Reduce the amount of stormwater entering the combined sewers in sandy subsoil areas of the City – Receipt of final report from Hey & Associates – Mr. Stoneback
- f. Work plan item 2.3 Develop long term needs for municipal sewer and water infrastructure – Status of implementing projects approved for the 2013 budget – Mr. Stoneback
- g. Work plan item 2.4 Evaluate the potential impact of pending USEPA sewer/water regulations on the sewer system and water treatment plant – No action
- h. Report on ComEd tour of electrical distribution system improvements on January 24 – Chair Lanyon

4. STAFF REPORTS 8:00 to 8:40 a.m.

- a. Recent Electric System Outages, Basement Flooding Concerns, and Water Service Interruptions – Mr. Stoneback
- b. Potential New Wholesale Water Customers and Cost of Service – Status of engineering studies and/or negotiations – Mr. Stoneback

- c. Community-wide Water Conservation Initiative – Status of actions to implement recommendations in CMAP report – Ms. Baxter
- d. Utilities Department participation at community events – Mr. Stoneback
- e. Status of the second year contract for community aggregation electrical energy supply – Ms. Baxter and Mr. Stoneback

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS 8:40 to 8:45 a.m.

- a. None

6. NEW BUSINESS 8:45 to 8:50 a.m.

7. ANNOUNCEMENTS/COMMUNICATIONS 8:50 to 9:00 a.m.

- a. Forthcoming Utilities Department activities – Mr. Stoneback

8. ADJOURNMENT 9:00 a.m.

Next Meeting: FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 2013, 7:15 A.M.