

The meeting was called to order at 6:25 PM by Chair Gene Frings with the following roll call:

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Gene Frings	Chair	Present	
Jack Abbott	Aldersperson	Present	
Joseph Riese	Aldersperson	Present	

Others present: Ald. Olson, Ald. Smith, Mayor Boelk, Jack Hurst, Chief Ketchem, Chris Neu, Dale Klueger, Wendy Klueger, Elijah Riese, Carol Billington, Brian Ade, Ray Banaszak, Roger Billington, Amy Banaszak, Nick Chikowski, Sara Decker

Meeting conducted in person and via zoom.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approve the Minutes of the June 28, 2021 Meeting

RESULT:	APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Joseph Riese, Aldersperson
SECONDER:	Jack Abbott, Aldersperson
AYES:	Frings, Abbott, Riese

CITIZEN COMMENTS

Chris Neu-on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce would like to see the city allow UTV access. He has spoken to the business community and there is strong favor of allowing it as it would encourage people to visit. It is a growing recreational activity and DNR has been allocating funds. He discussed Chief Ketchem's concerns on safety. He noted that mopeds and motorcycles are allowed in town with no helmets or safety gear. Juneau opened city to UTVs.

Roger Billington 870 Circle Drive-He noted that he has to trailer his UTV for 2 blocks to be able to use the trails. It is a waste of time and gas. It would be much quicker and easier if he could just drive them the 2 blocks.

Christine Churchill-753 Emmer Street-She noted that she is in favor of UTVs. She has spoke with Waupun since opening their city to UTVs and have had no complaints or issues. There have only been minor accidents.

MONTHLY EMS REPORT

Christine and Julie gave report.

Calls for Service Report

They have been extremely busy. They are 118 calls ahead of last year and last year they were 100 calls ahead of the previous year. The trend is going up and they expect it to continue.

Staffing Update

They are happy with current staffing numbers. Julie has been conducting the classes at the station and they have gotten fantastic candidates. They discussed the difficulty of the class and the benefit of holding it locally.

Training Update

They recently attended Traumas ABCs and they will be training on specialty patients this week.

MONTHLY FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Sara read report.

Equipment Update

All 5 vehicles PM's are completed. 3 units passed their DOT inspections, 2 had failed. Failures were exhaust violations. These units are okay to run. These exhaust repairs will be done by the middle of August. Pumps testing needs to be completed yet. Replacement hose is starting to come.

Staffing Update

We have drop down to 22 members. We had 1 member retire and 1 newer hire resign. (new job, more family events happening, no time available for department, and new baby on way, new job requirements)

4 members will be starting class on 8/25/21. 2 members will be in the complete FF1 class and 2 members will be finishing the Hazmat & Part C class. The Hazmat class and FF1 class will be held at fire station. Classes will run until the end of the year. So there will be vehicles at station Wednesday and Thursday nights.

Fire Call Update

YTD we are at 60 calls. We are still on pace for a record year for the number of calls.

Since the last meeting we had 7 calls

3 fire alarms, 3 EMS lift assist and 1 Car versus bicycle.

MONTHLY POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

Chief Ketchem gave report.

Equipment

They purchased all the equipment for the year. Their 2 squads should be done soon.

National Night Out – August 3, 2021, 5P-8P Foster Park

The PD, Fire, EMS and Library will participate along with representatives from DOC. DCERT Will be the recipients of any donations.

Main Street Mayville Sizzlin' Summer Shindig – August 6, 2021, 2:30P-8:00P

They will be shutting the road down from 3pm-8pm and have contacted the DOT to get a parade permit. This is the same event as last year. DCERT will be assisting. DPW will assist with signage for the detour.

OTHER ITEMS OF DISCUSSION/POSSIBLE ACTION

Discuss with Possible Action Ordinance 397-13 Snowmobiles and All-Terrain Vehicles

Chief Ketchem sent out a report. He made recommendations to include in the ordinance if the council decides to go through with it. Most all recommendations match the county, except for the noise time frame. The areas of town that are county highways with speed limits over 40 can't be designated. There is a concern for safety because of the truck traffic on the highways in town. Ald. Frings addressed the fact that scooters and motorcycles are allowed, but they aren't that safe either, but 2 wrongs don't make a right. UTVs are by definition an off road machine and are not made for highways. Ald. Riese questioned if the ordinance is protecting people from

themselves. If we are saying no, why are we saying no? There was discussion on the noise of traffic and alcohol use on UTVs.

Carol Billington spoke regarding her desire to open the roads up to UTVs as did Brian Ade. Ald. Abbott noted that we want people to come to the city, so if this would attract more business it is all good. There was discussion on signage and speed limits. There are clubs in the area that would pay for the fees. Dangerous intersections in town were discussed. Insurance and drivers license requirements were discussed. The addition of golf carts was addressed. The alderpersons discussed the input from constituents in their wards. The fines for not following the ordinance would be the same as those in a vehicle.

Motion to send it to the attorney to modify the ordinance with the addition of all off road and electric vehicles.

RESULT:	APPROVED [UNANIMOUS]
AYES:	Frings, Abbott, Riese

ADJOURNMENT

Motion

Adjourn at 7:27 p.m.

RESULT:	CARRIED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER:	Jack Abbott, Alderperson
SECONDER:	Joseph Riese, Alderperson
AYES:	Frings, Abbott, Riese

Sara Decker, City Clerk