AUGUST 28, 2007

1. Roll call:

The regular meeting of the Common Council was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Larry Fanta with Alderpersons Marc Polsean, John Bjerke, Gary Krause, Weston Mack, Roger Hatlem, Gail Frie, Jeff Clifton and Terry Noble present. Alderperson David Tryggestad was absent. Also present were City Administrator Jeff Gohlke, Assistant Administrator Matt Giese, City Clerk John Severson, City Attorney David Jenkins and Police Chief Mark Rahr.

2. Approval of the August 14, 2007 Regular Council Minutes.

Motion by Alderperson Mack to approve the minutes of the August 14, 2007 regular meeting. Seconded by Alderperson Polsean. All voted aye on voice vote. Motion carries.

3. First period for public comment.

No comments.

4. An Ordinance regarding private fire hydrants – Second reading.

Motion by Alderperson Hatlem to approve the second reading of Ordinance No.07OR006. Seconded by Alderperson Krause. All voted aye on voice vote. Motion carries.

5. Operator licenses.

Motion by Alderperson Mack to issue operator licenses to Joan Tromp conditioned upon Chief Rahr's report and to Jessica Steiger. Seconded by Alderperson Bjerke. All voted aye on voice vote. Motion carries.

6. Discussion on the proposed Viroqua-Westby multi-use trail along Hwy 14 and associated agreements.

Alderperson Frie announced that the Viroqua City Council is invited to a joint meeting with the Westby City Council at 6:00 pm September 4, 2007 to discuss the multi-use trail.

7. Payment of bills.

Motion by Alderperson Frie to approve payment of the bills as presented on payment reports dated August 27 & 28, 2007 in the amounts of \$2,410,105.77 and \$3,434.45. Seconded by Alderperson Mack. All voted aye on roll call vote. Motion carries.

8. Second Period for Public Comment.

Library Director Lisa Solverson informed the Council that children's afternoon programs would not begin until after October 1st when Shirley Creager returns to work after surgery.

9. Adjournment.

Motion by Alderperson Polsean to adjourn the Council meeting until 7:30 pm September 11, 2007. Seconded by Alderperson Krause. All voted aye on voice vote. Motion carries.

John Severson Clerk