

CITY OF DARLINGTON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS
REORGANIZATION MEETING
APRIL 20, 2010

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Dave Breunig at 6:30 PM. Present at roll call were: Dave Gough, John Sonsalla, Don Osterday, Steve Pickett, Bev Anderson and Cindy Corley. Absent: None. Also present were: Bob Salmi and Phil Risseeuw.

Motion by Sonsalla second by Anderson that the meeting notice and agenda were properly posted. Motion carried.

Council President Dave Gough then administered the Official Oath of Office to the newly elected Mayor and Alderpersons. At the April 6, 2010 election, David J. Breunig was elected Mayor; Cindy Corley was elected Alderperson, First Aldermanic District; Stephen Pickett was elected Alderperson, Second Aldermanic District; and John Sonsalla was elected Alderperson, Third Aldermanic District.

Mayor Breunig then asked for nominations for Council President. Motion by Corley second by Sonsalla to nominate Dave Gough for Council President. Motion carried. Motion by Pickett second by Anderson to close nominations and cast unanimous consent for Dave Gough for Council President. Motion carried.

Discussion was held concerning the designation of the official newspaper for the City. Mayor Breunig asked if the City's website could substitute for publishing items in an official newspaper. It was reported that issue has been discussed at the state level, however, since not every household has a computer and internet access; a website cannot be substituted for an official newspaper. After discussion and consideration, motion by Anderson second by Corley to designate the Republican Journal as the official newspaper for the City of Darlington. Motion carried.

Motion by Corley second by Sonsalla to designate the following banks, depositories, and investment institutions for deposit of City funds: Citizens Bank – Darlington; First National Bank at Darlington; First Banking Center – Darlington; Benton State Bank; State of Wisconsin Local Government Investment Pool; League of Wisconsin Municipalities Wisconsin Investment Pool; and Wayne Hummer and Co., Inc., for investment in U.S. Treasury Securities. Motion carried.

Mayor Breunig then presented his recommendations for Committee appointments. A copy of the committee appointments was included in the agenda packet. Alderperson Corley asked if someone else on the Street and Public Works and Solid Waste Committee would like to be Committee Chairman instead of her; due to her involvement in other committees. Alderperson Pickett volunteered to be Committee Chairman for this coming year. After review and consideration, motion by Gough second by Anderson to approve the committee appointments as recommended by Mayor Breunig, with the agreed upon change in Chairman of the Street and Public Works and Solid Waste Committee. Motion carried. A copy of the approved committee appointments is attached to these meeting minutes for reference.

Mayor Breunig the reported on current projects for new Council members. He commented on the recent election results; state budget concerns about shared revenues, and how that will affect our local budget. Alderperson Anderson reported they now have two occupants in the Main Street condos.

There being no further business for this meeting, motion by Sonsalla second by Anderson to adjourn the meeting at 6:45 PM. Motion carried.

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Philip A. Risseuw, Clerk-Treasurer