

**MINUTES OF MEETING
PUBLIC WORKS & PARKS COMMITTEE
June 26, 2023**

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A meeting of the Public Works & Parks Committee was held on Monday June 26, 2023. This was a hybrid meeting held both in person and electronically via ZOOM. The meeting was called to order at 8:16 PM by Cory O'Brien, Majority Leader.

MEMBERS PRESENT: Kristen Zaehringer; Adrian Webber; Katie Kiely; Cory O'Brien

MEMBERS ABSENT: Betty Wetmore, Chair; Jeron Alston, Vice-Chair; Bob Anthony

Public Input: None

The following items were addressed:

1. Order approving and authorizing the Mayor to enter into an agreement with ARC Mechanical-Public Works (Ice Rink)

--Moved by Mr. O'Brien and seconded by Ms. Kiely. DISCUSSION: Mr. O'Brien asked for an overview and the purpose of this agreement. Public Works Director Joe Colello explained this is the company that takes care of the compressor that keeps the ice frozen at the Ice Rink. They have been doing this for a number of years. They fell out of contract and we are trying to get them back in contract. They were the only ones to bid on it. Mr. O'Brien asked do we have any current issues or this mostly for maintenance? Mr. Colello said maintenance. It is a very old system which at some point will need to be addressed, but at this time, we need to maintain it properly in order to keep the ice frozen. Mr. Farmer asked what was different in this contract? Town Attorney Ms. Gruen she needs to look back in her notes, but she believes it basically clarified what was covered. She will go through her notes and send info to him.

A vote was taken. The item passed unanimously.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 8:21 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Kim Renta, Clerk
Rose Lion, Assistant
for Cory O'Brien, Majority Leader