Cuyahoga Falls City Council Minutes of the Public & Industrial Improvements Committee Meeting June 3, 2013

Members: Carrie Snyder, Chair

Mark Ihasz Mary Ellen Pyke

Mrs. Snyder called the meeting to order at 6:40 p.m. All members were present.

The minutes from the May 6, 2013 Committee meeting were approved as submitted.

Legislation Discussed

Temp. Res. B-33

Discussion

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A resolution authorizing the Director of Public Service to apply for and accept a grant from the Ohio Public Works Commission for replacement of existing 4" and 6" water mains with 8" water mains in portions of Chestnut Boulevard, 8th Street and Olive Place, and declaring an emergency.

Mr. Demasi stated this is needed for an application with the Ohio Public Works Commission. This project will install over 2,000 feet of 8" ductile water line. The existing lines were installed in 1936. After frequent main breaks and valve repairs in the last couple years, they felt it would be a good idea to replace it. Construction is estimated at \$435,000, and applications are due June 28. Preliminary scores will be available October 11 and final scores available in late November. If the City is successful, the money would be available on July 1, 2014. The City would then bid the project and construction would begin mid to late next year. Mrs. Snyder stated this was budgeted for \$435,000 but the grant would pay half, which would save the City \$217,000. That is a good thing even though the project is being pushed back to a later date. Mrs. Pyke asked what size pipe the new 8" pipe would be connecting into. Mr. Demasi replied the 8" would be on Chestnut and will be connecting to existing 6" lines, which have had no breaks. The line being replaced is on the south side of the street and is located in the tree lawn. If the project does not receive grant money, the City will still proceed with it this year. Mrs. Pyke stated if the City can get some money to help, that would be great.

Mr. Ihasz moved to bring out Temp. Res. B-33 with a favorable recommendation, second by Mrs. Pyke. Motion passed (3-0).

Meeting adjourned at 6:46 p.m.