

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM by Mayor Tutaj. Following the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence for the community, roll call was taken.

Present: Mayor Tutaj, Alderpersons Brickner, Wattawa, Calderon, Feirer, Damon and Fliss

Also Present: City Administrator Johnsrud, City Attorney Alexy, City Clerk/Treasurer Uecker, City Engineer Dejewski, Police Chief Hunter, Fire Chief Poplar and interested citizens

Statement of Open Meetings Compliance:

City Clerk/Treasurer Uecker stated that the meeting had been properly posted and noticed.

Public Hearing:

- None

Presentation:

- None

Consent Agenda:

Moved by Alderman Wattawa, seconded by Alderwoman Fliss to place on file with reference in the minutes and approve all items listed under Consent Agenda on the March 15, 2022 Common Council agenda. Motion carried.

Recommendation of Action from Committees/Commissions/Boards:

Moved by Alderman Brickner, seconded by Alderman Damon to approve Beverage Operator's Licenses – New for Christine Lombardi and Idalis Salazar. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Feirer, seconded by Alderman Wattawa to accept the recommendation of the Park Commission to approve the 2022 Tree Planting Program purchases. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Feirer, seconded by Alderwoman Fliss to accept the recommendation of the Park Commission to approve the 2022 Park Applications including Concerts in the Park and any future applications being approved by staff. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Feirer, seconded by Alderwoman Calderon to accept the recommendation of the Board of Public Works to participate in the 2022 Connecting Highway Pavement Treatment program. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Feirer, seconded by Alderwoman Calderon to accept the recommendation of the Board of Public Works to amend the 5 Year Capital Road Plan to include streets eligible for funding under the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Feirer, seconded by Alderwoman Fliss to accept the recommendation of the Board of Public Works to approve the use of \$117,107.02 of the City's MMSD Green Solution allotment for stormwater improvements at Willow Glen and St. Francis High School sites. Motion carried.

Moved by Alderman Wattawa, seconded by Alderman Feirer to concur with the recommendation of the Finance Committee to approve the American Rescue Plan expenditures as presented not to exceed \$750,000 in 2022. Motion carried.

Resolutions and Ordinances:

Moved by Alderman Brickner, seconded by Alderwoman Fliss to introduce and adopt an Ordinance to Repeal and Recreate Section 180-1 of the City of St. Francis Code of Ordinances Concerning Annoying and Rabid Dogs. Motion carried. **Ordinance No. 1489**

Discussion Items with Possible Action:

- None

Appointments to Committees/Commissions/Boards:

- None

Correspondence with Possible Action or Referral to Committees/Commissions/Boards:

Moved by Alderman Brickner, seconded by Alderman Feirer to place on file with reference in the minutes the correspondence dated March 9, 2022 from the City Engineer regarding Project 1-2022 Catch Basin Repair Project and to award the contract to Milwaukee General Construction Company, Inc. in the amount of \$118,712.50. Motion carried.

Unfinished Business:

- None

Adjourn:

Moved by Alderwoman Fliss, seconded by Alderman Feirer to adjourn. Motion carried.

Time: 7:15 p.m.

STATE OF WISCONSIN

CITY OF ST. FRANCIS

MILWAUKEE COUNTY

ORDINANCE NO. 1489

**AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL AND RECREATE SECTION 180-1 OF
THE CITY OF ST. FRANCIS CODE OF ORDINANCES
CONCERNING ANNOYING AND RABID DOGS**

WHEREAS, Chapter 180 of the City of St. Francis Code of Ordinances, establishes regulations pertaining to animals in the City of St. Francis; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council finds that the revisions to regulations in § 180-1(D) of the Code concerning annoying and rabid dogs within the City of St. Francis are necessary to reflect current practices by the City and to eliminate duplication and/or potential conflicts between the provisions of § 180-1(D) and the more specific provisions in § 180-5 pertaining to “Dangerous and vicious dogs, unlicensed dogs, and animals running at large”; and

WHEREAS, the Common Council finds that revisions to § 180-1(D) will promote the public health, safety and welfare;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Common Council of the City of St. Francis, Wisconsin does ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 180, “Animals”, Article I, “Dogs and Cats”. Section 180-1(D) “Annoying or rabid dogs” is hereby repealed and recreated to read as follows:

D. Annoying or rabid dogs.

- (1) It shall be unlawful to own, harbor or keep any dog which habitually barks, howls, or yelps, or which causes serious annoyance to the neighborhood or to persons passing to and from the street.
- (2) Any person who shall have in his or her possession a dog which has contracted rabies or which has been subjected to the same, or which is suspected of having rabies, or which shall have bitten any person, shall upon demand of any member of the Common Council, Police Department or Milwaukee Area Domestic Animal Control Center produce and surrender up such dog to the Milwaukee Area Domestic Animal Control Center to be held for observation and treatment.

SECTION 2: SEVERABILITY.

The several sections of this ordinance are declared to be severable. If any section or portion thereof shall be declared by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, unlawful or unenforceable, such decision shall apply only to the specific section or portion thereof directly specified in the decision and shall not affect the validity of any other provisions, sections or portions thereof of the ordinance. The remainder of the ordinance shall remain in full force and effect. Any other ordinances whose terms are in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance are hereby repealed as to those terms that conflict.

SECTION 3: EFFECTIVE DATE.

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication as provided by law.

Passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of St. Francis this 15th day of March 2022.

CITY OF ST. FRANCIS

BY: /s/Ken Tutaj
Ken Tutaj, Mayor

ATTEST:

/s/Anne B. Uecker, MMC/WCPC
Anne B. Uecker, MMC, WCPC,
City Clerk/Treasurer