



City Council Meeting – Oct. 7, 2019 Staff Responses to Questions

Before each Committee of the Whole or City Council meeting, questions that have been posed by the City Council relating to [the agenda](#) for that evening will be posted to the City's website. Below are the responses to this week's questions.

Agenda Item 10: Municipal Bills for Payment

- 1) Annual Fire Sprinkler System Inspection: \$575

Q: Where was the annual sprinkler testing performed?

A: In the City's parking deck.

- 1) Dodson Water Tower Painting: \$5,666.69

Q: As there is a new agenda item to approve a Rempe Sharpe Dodson water tower painting contract, what was this invoice related to?

A: This invoice is related to a contract previously approved by the City Administrator to prepare bid specifications and plans for the water tower painting project.

Agenda Item 12: Presentation of Ordinances, Resolutions, Petitions, Bids

- A) Consider Resolution No. 2019-88 Reversing the Sept. 17, 2019 Determination of the Historic Preservation Commission to Deny the Removal of Historic, Exterior Siding and Trim and the Installation of Similar, New, Composite Siding and Trim at the Larrabee House, 327 S. Fourth St., Geneva.

Q: In section 1, there is mention of "composite" replacement siding. Where in the packet, or in the Historic Preservation Commission minutes, is the discussion of what constitutes "composite" siding?

A: The reference to "composite" siding in the resolution is an error and should be replaced with "wood" siding. The error stems from the use of composite siding that was approved under the planned unit development for the new addition. The new siding material was not heavily discussed by the Historic Preservation Commission because the discussion primarily concerned the preservation and rehabilitation of the authentic siding material and trim.