

**Elmhurst City Council**  
**November 6, 2006**  
**7:45 to 9:42 p.m.**

**Absent: Tranter, Hipskind**  
**Public: (ca) 50**  
**M. Costello, Observer**

League Member Phyllis Carroll received the 2006 Studs Terkel Humanities Service Award, in recognition of her long-standing volunteer service in the Arts and Humanities, including her efforts for the Elmhurst Historical Museum, Elmhurst College Scholarship program, annual film discussions, bus tours and Friends of the Library.

During **Public Forum**, Council heard from speakers concerning water problems, including flooding on October 2, which ruined two autos. (Com Ed has described storm as the worst since 1998.)

**Accounts Payable** dated 10-31-2006 totaled \$2,042,355.63 and included:

- Allied Waste Service, disposal and refuse collection, \$198,800.
- AT&T, monthly service/phones, \$11,286.
- Cerniglia Construction, watermains and fire hydrant repairs, \$10,643.
- Com Ed, monthly electric, \$46,797.
- Du-Comm, quarterly share, \$189,362.
- Elgin Sweeping Services, street sweeping, \$14,475.
- Fifth Third Bank, loan payment, \$200,000.
- Freeway Ford, replacement for vehicle E16 F-150, \$15,760.
- G&M Cement Construction, Inc., 2006 concrete pavement, \$89,073.
- Gerardi Sewer & Water Co., water main improvement project, \$18,981.
- Globe Construction, Inc., installation, new public sidewalk, \$70,523.
- Health Care Service Corp., health insurance, \$294,093.
- Hewitt-Packard Co., Compaq DC5100 PC's, \$83,300.
- Lampignano & Sons, street repaving, Geneva Ct. reconstruction, \$197,539.
- M-M Concrete, sidewalks replacement, \$16,100.
- Metro Paramedic Services, Inc., ambulance service, \$19,674.
- Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., dental insurance, \$18,129.
- Poco Paulson Oil Co., fuel, \$14,948.
- Sauber Mfg. Co., saw trailer, \$10,681.
- Sungard Hte, Inc., help card, maintenance plans, 10/06 to 9/07, \$51,329.
- Synagro Central, digester cleaning, sludge hauling, \$20,818.
- Victorin Business Machines, monitors, \$25,060
- Walter Daniels, Churchville one room school, \$63,849.

**Consent Agenda** included the following:

- Appointments and reappointment to Elmhurst Public Library: William E. Ryan and Nora Aman-Gurvich; Susan Thomas-Sadowski.
- Appointment to Elmhurst Historical Commission, Robert Mills.
- Underpass banner requests: United Way of Elmhurst, Oct. 5 – 22.
- Elmhurst Historical Museum, Jan. 1 – 8.

- Fire Station #2 architect proposal. Department has outgrown present building, which may require replacing, \$58,500.
- Public/private parking agreement, 105 S. York St.
- Bid for 3 police department vehicles, less trade, \$50,052.
- 0-31-2006 Ordinance proposing creation of Special Services Area #9, on Dorchester Ave., Butterfield Highlands subdivision, pending action on Dec. 4.

The following item was pulled from Consent Agenda and voted:

- 0-28-2006 Final discussion and vote on Junior Terrace easement vacation. Ald Szczepaniak maintained that City should charge homeowners for release of property. Ald. Regan insisted that City will benefit from creation of a second lot. Council voted 8 to 4 to release property without charge. Voting Nay were Moriarty, Bram, Szczepaniak and one other.

Council voted unanimously to defeat proposal for zoning change to accommodate 14-unit townhouse development on Elmcrest at Fremont, on single family lots. Neighbors had strongly disapproved of zoning change and structures.