

Elmhurst City Council
November 5, 2007
7:56 to 9:27 p.m.

None Absent
Public: 10
Mary Costello, Observer

Accounts Payable dated 10-31-2007 totaled \$1,401,451.73. Highlights:

- A.L. Warren Oil Co., gasoline, \$18,672.
- AT&T, monthly phone, \$12,656.
- Breuer Metal Craftsman, Inc., tank replacement, \$49,200.
- Com Ed, monthly electric, \$15,322.
- Du Comm, Quarterly shares, \$194,052.
- Dutch Valley Landscaping, Inc., tree waste disposal, \$14,760.
- Elgin Sweeping Services, Inc., street sweeping, \$14,155.
- Elmhurst Claims Account, claim services, \$28,197.
- Elmhurst Ford, three new vehicles, \$66,893.
- Freeway Ford, two new vehicles, \$51,327
- Gas City, Ltd., gasoline, \$17,969.
- Gerardi Water & Sewer Co., water main improvement, \$75,393.
- Health Care Service Corp., health insurance, \$291,631.
- JLJ Contracting, Inc., Schiller parking deck, \$44,913.
- John Marinos, 223 N. York St., facade renovation, \$50,000.
- Metro Paramedic Services, Inc., ambulance service, \$20,461.
- Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., dental insurance, \$18,347.
- Poco Paulson Oil Co. gasoline, \$17,464.
- Winkler Tree Service, Dutch elm disease tree removal, \$11,188.

Consent Agenda included the following:

- Carpet Crafts, Inc., proposal to replace carpet in City Hall, \$24,198.
- MCO 17-2007 Ordinance to merge Historical Commission into the Elmhurst Heritage Foundation,
- R-16-2007 Intergovernmental agreement for payment of 911 telephone services provided to Cook County through Yorkfield fire district.

Council approved new parking fee rates: from \$1.00 to \$1.50 for one day; monthly fee, from \$20 to \$30; parking decks, annually, from \$200 to \$300. Parking fees have not increased since 1989, were described by Ald. Szczepaniak as “grossly undercharging.” Committee wanted to raise to \$2.00 per day, but was overruled by Metra. Only Ald. Nybo voted nay.

Mayor Marcucci spoke to encourage homeowners to apply for historic designation for historically significant homes.

The Mayor commended our Mae Pearson, recipient of the first Alben F. Bates Jr. Service Award from the Elmhurst Historical Foundation at the 50th anniversary Gala. Congratulations, Mae.