

Elmhurst City Council
January 7, 2008
7:53 to 9:38 p.m.

Absent: Lomnicki, Shea
Public:(ca.) 17
Mary Costello, Observer

Accounts Payable dated December 31, 2007, totaled \$898,316.50. Highlights included:

- AT&T, monthly service, \$13,353.
- Com Ed, monthly service, \$16,552.
- Gerardi Sewer & Water Co., Watermain improvement, \$22492.
- Healthcare Service Corp., health insurance, \$290,544.
- Impact Networking, LLC, copier/scanner, \$15,297.
- Lakota Group, professional services, \$18,643.
- Metro Paramedic Services, Inc., paramedic service, \$20,461.
- Metropolitan Life Ins. Co., dental insurance, \$22,711.
- Nicor Gas, monthly service, \$25,547.
- Peoples Energy Services Corp., \$88,008.
- Poco Paulson Oil Co., gasoline, \$36,510.
- S.B. Friedman & Co., professional services, \$19,965.

Consent Agenda included the following:

- Request from Ald. Rose for a review of vehicle sticker rates, with a view to possibly lowering it.
- Temporary use permit for Faith Evangelical United Methodist Church, for health fair, on Church grounds, May 3, 2008.
- MCO-01-2008 Ordinance amending smoking code, in line with new State of Illinois Act.

In response to a statement made during Public Forum at December 17 meeting, Dennis Streicher, Director of Water and Wastewater, offered a detailed history of safe use of fluoride in drinking water, and its beneficial effects in prevention of tooth decay.

City Manager Borchert reviewed highlights of 2008-09 capital budget, including plans for new fire station on south side of town, heritage center, infrastructure improvements and downtown parking.

Council was divided again on Hahn Street development. Ald. Nybo's motion to defer discussion on Morningside proposal until after next executive session was defeated. Ald. Regan's motion to enter into confidentiality agreement with Morningside was approved, 7 to 5. Voting Nay were Gutenkauf, Gow, Moriarty, Nybo and Szczepaniak.