

PUBLIC SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES – 3/11/2026

Government Unit Conducting Meeting: Public Services Committee
Date: March 11, 2026
Time: 4:30 P.M.
Place: 410 Division Street, Park Falls, WI 54552
2nd Floor Conference Room

Members of the Public Services Committee Present: Mayor Tara Tervort, Dan Greenwood, Dennis Wartgow, Terry Wilson, Michael Mader

Staff: Scott Kluver, Shannon Greenwood, Bill Hoffman

The meeting was called to order by Public Services Chair Dan Greenwood at 4:30pm.

PUBLIC COMMENT – None

REVIEW/RECOMMENDATION – REFUSE & RECYCLING RFP – Received 2 proposals, two declined and submitted letters. Proposals can be discussed; changes can be requested or negotiated.

Howard Disposal Proposal: There is an amendment to the 10-year agreement document. There is no charge for 5 City owned dumpsters, 1 more than current contract. Transfer Station hours and rates are the same as current contract. Howard does not incorporate the tipping fees in the rates on the schedule. Need clarification on the 10,000 tons at no charge and if it is in addition to the free dumpsters. Have been pleased with their service and the responsiveness when issues arise.

GFL Proposal: Transfer hours are weekdays only, no weekends. Minimum charge of \$50 each for refuse/recycling as opposed to the current minimum of \$20. Fee's for freon/appliances, and tires is more than the current contract.

Items that need to be addressed are the routes, schedules, the transfer station rental amount, and recycling.

All contingent on the questions that still need to have answered

Motion by Alderman Wilson/Mader to accept Howard Disposal proposal contingent on clarification of items that the Administrator will address with them. Motion carried.

The meeting was adjourned at 5:20 p.m.

Prepared by: Shannon Greenwood, City Clerk