

City of Antigo
Public Works Committee
Wednesday, May 27, 2026

Public Works Committee of the City of Antigo met in Regular Session on the above date at 5:30 PM in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Scott Henricks presiding.

Call to Order

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Barb Rebstock	Ward 1	Present	
Roy Dieck	Ward 2	Present	
Mark Edwards	Ward 5	Present	
Joel Wagner	Ward 6	Present	
Scott Henricks	Ward 9	Present	

Others in attendance were: Michael Wetzel, City Administrator; Kirk Packard, Street Commissioner; Charley Brinkmeier, Land Surveyor/Project Manager; Tommy Horswill, Infrastructure Alternatives (IAI); Paula Nichols, Administrative/Clerical Assistant; and Adam Drygalski.

Approval of Minutes

1. Approve Minutes from the March 25 and April 22, 2026 Meetings

Motion to Approve Minutes from the March 25 and April 22, 2026 Meetings

Result:	Carried (5 to 0)
Mover:	Roy Dieck
Secunder:	Joel Wagner
Ayes:	Scott Henricks, Barb Rebstock, Mark Edwards, Joel Wagner, Roy Dieck
Nays:	None

Discussion and Action May Occur on Any of the Following Agenda Items

2. Purchase of a One Ton Crew Cab Dually Pickup Truck with Steel Flat Rack and Lift Gate from Quinlan's Equipment for \$72,401.50.

Kirk Packard, Street Commissioner, stated the new truck would be for the sewer crew. He stated the one they have now is a 2001. Mr. Packard stated he only received one bid on the truck, and it was from Quinlan's. He stated that even when he receives more bids, Quinlan's is usually the lowest.

Mr. Packard stated that he planned to add boxes to the truck as he ordered it with just flat racks so he could customize it to the City's needs. He stated that he planned on keeping the 2001 truck and taking the body off it due to rotting and adding the dump box off the one-ton dump truck to save money. Alderperson Edwards noted that the trade in value on the 2001 truck likely would not be much.

Motion to Approve Purchase of a One Ton Crew Cab Dually Pickup Truck with Steel Flat Rack and Lift Gate from Quinlan's Equipment for \$72,401.50

Result:	Carried (5 to 0)
Mover:	Joel Wagner
Second:	Mark Edwards
Ayes:	Scott Henricks, Barb Rebstock, Mark Edwards, Joel Wagner, Roy Dieck
Nays:	None

3. Lease Approximately 38 Acres of Agricultural Land to Landon Wanca for \$150 per Acre

Mr. Packard stated that the City had always just mowed the space. Upon inquiry by Alderperson Wagner, Mr. Packard stated that Mr. Wanca would not be allowed to plant corn due to drying time but would likely plant soybeans or oats. He stated that Mr. Wanca had already rented a nearby field from Volm as well. Mr. Packard stated that Mr. Wanca was the only bid. He stated the City received \$120 an acre the last time they bid out that space. Upon inquiry by Alderperson Wagner, Mr. Packard stated they increased it to \$150 per acre because that is the current market price.

Alderperson Wagner questioned if that space had ever been surveyed for acreage? Charley Brinkmeier, Land Surveyor/ Project Manager, stated that that particular area had not been surveyed.

Motion to Approve Leasing Approximately 38 Acres of Agricultural Land to Landon Wanca for \$150 per Acre

Result:	Carried (5 to 0)
Mover:	Joel Wagner
Second:	Mark Edwards
Ayes:	Scott Henricks, Barb Rebstock, Mark Edwards, Joel Wagner, Roy Dieck
Nays:	None

4. Review Ordinance Regarding Grease Traps

Alderperson Dieck questioned whether the City required restaurants in the City to pump their grease traps. Mr. Brinkmeier stated that this issue had been brought up for discussion in the past, but questioned what department would be responsible for it. He stated that surveys had been sent out to the restaurants about a year prior regarding grease traps. Alderperson Dieck stated that there was a requirement for restaurants that had grease traps to have them pumped periodically and questioned whether that was monitored by the City. Mr. Brinkmeier stated that the City did not enforce or track it at this time but agreed that it would benefit the City.

Tommy Horswill, IAI, stated that other municipalities require any restaurant with a grease trap to submit their cleaning records quarterly. He gave several examples of the problems that could be caused by not pumping the grease traps. Alderperson Henricks stated that further research needs to be done on this issue in order to move forward toward a solution. Mr. Packard stated that someone would need to inspect each restaurant every quarter to make sure they were pumping the traps as required. Mr. Brinkmeier stated that the requirement for pumping frequency would differ between restaurants depending on how much grease was produced.

5. Review Ordinance Regarding Roof Drains Connected to Sanitary Sewer

Mr. Brinkmeier stated that many of the ones downtown had been addressed prior to the reconstruction. He stated that they try to eliminate them as businesses and homes are remodeled. Discussion continued regarding stormwater runoff and the effect it has on the sanitary sewer system and how to proceed to address it.

6. Discussion Regarding Temporary Banners Displayed Across Highway/Streets

Mr. Packard stated he was approached by the Langlade County Motor Plex to see if temporary banners could be displayed across the north and south sides of State Highway 45 with advertising for races and other events. He stated that he spoke with someone from the state and was told that every time a banner is put up it has to be community minded. Mr. Packard also stated that a permit had to be filled out each time a banner was put up, and the state would like the City to be in control of the banners. Discussion continued regarding how the wind would factor in and the benefit of all the different events that could be advertised for the City. It was agreed to reach out to the engineers to research it further and bring it back to a future Public Works Committee Agenda.


Any Other Matters Authorized by Law to be Considered

Alderperson Edwards requested an update on the sewage treatment plant at the next Public Works Committee meeting. Mr. Brinkmeier stated that one walk-through had been completed, and another walk-through was upcoming. He stated more information would be available at the next meeting.

Adjournment

Motion to Adjourn at 6:19 p.m.

Result:	Carried (5 to 0)
Mover:	Roy Dieck
Secunder:	Mark Edwards
Ayes:	Scott Henricks, Barb Rebstock, Mark Edwards, Joel Wagner, Roy Dieck
Nays:	None

Approved: 
Scott Henricks