

MINUTES
May 23, 2023

The City Council of Badger met in special session at 6:31 p.m. at Badger City Hall with Mayor Chris Wendell presiding. Council members present: Roger Curtis, Teresa Larson-White and Larry Dunbar. Absent: Pam Smith and Gail Higgins. Also present: Ben Alison and Spencer Wignall. Motion to approve the agenda was made by Larson-White, second by Curtis, all ayes, motion carried. The purpose of the special meeting was to discuss and approve the donation of an easement for the Prairie River Trail System-Fort Dodge to Badger Extension. Ben Alison and Spencer Wignall of Snyder and Associates, Inc. discussed the plans and incidentals of the project with Council and answered any questions they had. The City had consulted with the city attorney and had received his approval of the documents to be signed granting a permanent easement to Webster County beginning at the south edge of city limits and running along the west side of the lagoon area between the lines of trees. Three trees will need to be removed for the project but will be replaced. Concrete will be 8 inches thick over the driveway access to the lagoon and concrete will be laid on either side of the trail on the driveway access. Concrete will extend from Paragon Avenue (P59) to the trail and then extend east of the trail for 10 feet in the driveway of the lagoon. The projected timeline for the trail extension to be completed is by middle to late summer of 2024. Motion to approve Resolution 05-01-2023 Approving the Aerial Exhibit, Surveyed Easement Plat, Recreational Trail Easement, Donation Form, and Agency Disclosure for the Fort Dodge to City of Badger Recreational Trail was introduced by Larson-White, second by Dunbar, all ayes, Smith and Higgins absent, motion carried. There being no other business, motion to adjourn was made by Curtis, second by Dunbar, all ayes, motion carried. Adjournment at 7:08 p.m.

Glenda R. Rasmussen
City Clerk