

MEMORANDUM

TO: Mayor and Members of Council

FROM: Police Chief Thomas Doyle, Acting Municipal Manager

RE: Legislative Items for August 14, 2012 Special Meeting Agenda

DATE: August 10, 2012

Ordinance No. 2012-37-S&S – Adams

This ordinance authorizes the Municipal Manager to enter into a contract with Mt. Pleasant Blacktopping for the Winton Road Rehabilitation Project and Declares an Emergency. The ordinance was read for the first time at the August 7, 2012 regular Council meeting and is now on the agenda of a special Council meeting scheduled for August 14, 2012 for the second reading and Council's consideration. The public notice for the special meeting was posted accordingly as part of the August 2012 Community Calendar.

The question at the August 7, 2012 regular Council meeting involved the repairs to Eswin Street. The Village Engineer has advised that the two projects, namely Winton Road and Eswin Street, can be viewed as two separate projects at the same cost contained in the bidding documents. By this ordinance, Council accepts the bid for both projects, but the projects can be acted upon separately. In other words, the Village can proceed with the Winton Road repairs to take advantage of the grant funding, but can further discuss the Eswin Street project without losing the bid pricing for a limited amount of time. Please keep in mind that time is of the essence on the grant funding for Winton Road.

With respect to Eswin Street, this is a Village of Greenhills dedicated street and it is the Village's responsibility to maintain it. The condition of the street is such that could present liability issues should a fall or other like accident occur. Additionally, Eswin Street is a gateway to our community and does have a high aesthetic value.