



**CITY OF ALLEGAN  
Public Works Committee  
Griswold Auditorium  
401 Hubbard Street, Allegan MI 49010  
April 11, 2016**

**I. Call to Order**

The meeting was called to order at 7:53pm.

**II. Attendance**

Present: Councilmember Gratz, Councilmember Tripp, Mayor Ingalsbee

Absent: None

Others Present: City Manager Rob Hillard, DPW Director Aaron Haskin, Utilities Superintendent Doug Sweeris and Deputy City Clerk Lori K. Vander Clay

**III. Previous Meeting Minutes**

Councilmember Gratz, supported by Councilmember Tripp, made a motion to approve the meeting minutes for January 11, 2016. Motion carried.

**IV. Old Business**

**1. Fire Property Closure Update**

City Manager Rob Hillard explained the MDEQ has a 2 year plan at a cost of \$13,000 to the City. He does not recommend moving forward. The Committee was also not in favor of this.

**2. WWTP Influent Lift Pumps**

Utilities Superintendent Doug Sweeris explained that one of the three pumps at the Eastern Avenue Lift Station has failed. He stated the cost to repair could be between \$15,000-\$18,000 plus labor. As far as a replacement pump, he hasn't received a price yet.

**3. Gas Main Project on M-89/Marshall**

DPW Director Aaron Haskin stated the project has been delayed due to further requirements needed from Michigan Gas.

**4. MDOT Traffic Counts/Allegan**

DPW Director Aaron Haskin provided to the committee.

**V. New Business**

DPW Director Aaron Haskin stated that Dwight Shanack is interested in purchasing the City's hydro plant and he will be submitting a proposal. He also stated that Prein & Newhof should have the water reliability study completed next week.

Utilities Superintendent Doug Sweeris stated the Wellhead Protection Plan has been approved by the MDEQ and is moving forward. He commented the both plants are running well and septage receiving has been busy. Also, cross training between the plants is going very well.

**Adjournment**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:19pm.

**Lori K. Vander Clay**  
**Deputy City Clerk**