



Van #2, a 2012 Ford Van (VIN #1FTNE1EW0BDA95942)

Truck #49, a 1995 International 4900 DT466 (VIN #1HTSDAAN1TH251650)

Truck #52, a 2011 Ford F-350 SD XL (VIN #1FTRF3B61BED10284)

Animal Control Truck, a 2009 Ford F-150 (VIN #1FTMF1CW1AKB55779)

Truck #56, a 2014 Ford F-250 (VIN #1FTBF2B60EEB43139)

Truck #10, a 2008 Ford F-450 SD XL (VIN #1FDXF46R98EB86920)

Truck #32, a John Deere Hi Lift (VIN # DW624GD548493)

Truck #19, a 2011 International 7400 SBA 6x4 (VIN #1HTWGAZR7CJ627616)

Truck #51, a 2011 Ford F-350 (VIN #1FTRF3B60ECEA22290)

Commissioner Thomas announced that all vehicles on the list had already been towed by Wes Towing in October 2025 and in November 2025 and scrapped at the direction of the mayor; with the exception of Truck #30, Van #1, Van #2 and Truck #19. Commissioner Thomas stated once the council didn't approve the disposal of the city vehicles and removing them from the insurance he decided not to move the rest of the vehicles. Wes Towing is currently requesting titles for the vehicles and approval from the City Council to release payment for the vehicles received. The council discussed accountability for destroying city property.

City Attorney Attorney Patrick Walsh stated the city would benefit from having an ordinance  
Patrick Walsh in place regarding the disposal of city vehicles.

Legislative Legislative Counsel Jayman Avery cited State Statue 65ILCS5/11-76-4 Such a  
Counsel Jayman majority the corporate authorities in a regular meeting for the purpose of  
Avery disposing of personal property.

City Clerk Figgs City Clerk Figgs gave an overview of the procedure to dispose of a city vehicle  
prior to the current administration. City Clerk Figgs reported that all City titles  
were housed in the City Clerks office and if anything needed to be obtained  
from the Secretary of State, it was up to the City Clerk to request it.

Public Works Chairman Nelson requested the Clerk attempt to find the titles that Public Works  
Chairman Nelson needs to move forward. Chairman Nelson stated that titles should not be held  
at the Public Works facility; all titles should be in the Clerks' possession for  
proper record keeping purposes.

City Clerk Figgs

City Clerk Figgs announced she does not have the titles she hasn't received any titles since 2021.

Alderman Tillman

Alderman Tillman inquired about Wes' Towing needing the titles if the City vehicles have already been destroyed.

Public Works  
Commissioner  
Thomas

Public Works Commissioner Thomas responded the titles are needed for Wes' Towing to issue payment for the city vehicles.

Approve Retrieval  
Of Titles for Agenda  
Items #4-15

Alderman Phillips moved seconded by Alderman Harvey to direct the City Clerk and Public Works Commissioner Thomas to attempt to locate the titles for Items #4-15 within a 5-day period if the titles are not located the Public Works Commissioner will then submit the application to the Secretary of State to obtain the titles.

ROLL CALL

AYES:	7	ALDERMEN:	Harvey, Wilson, Tillman, Williams, Gardner, Phillips
NAYS:	0	ALDERMEN:	None
ABSENT:	0	ALDERMAN:	None

**MOTION CARRIED**

Direct Public Works  
Not Destroy Vehicles

Alderman Nelson moved, seconded by Alderman Gardner to direct Public Works not to destroy anymore city vehicles on the list from #4-15.

ROLL CALL

AYES:	7	ALDERMEN:	Harvey, Wilson, Tillman, Williams, Gardner, Phillips
NAYS:	0	ALDERMEN:	None
ABSENT:	0	ALDERMAN:	None

**MOTION CARRIED**

Public Works  
Commissioner  
Thomas Comments

Public Works Commissioner Thomas gave an overview of prior and upcoming projects where council's input and approval will be needed to move forward such as the Sidewalk program, Senior Snow Removal list Leaf Pick up program, and the Speed bump list.

Public Works  
Commissioner  
Thomas Comments

Public Works Commissioner Thomas commented regarding the Public Works wish list for the upcoming budget year.

Public Works  
Commissioner  
Thomas Comments

Public Works Commissioner Thomas commented regarding the Garbage Contract ending with Republic Services and an RFP being released at the end of April 2026.

Adjournment

Aldерwoman Phillips moved to adjourn, seconded by Aldерwoman Wilson at 9:04 p.m.

**MOTION CARRIED**

X

  
Dr. Nyota T. Figgs  
City Clerk