

### OFFICIAL PUBLIC NOTICE

### MEETING OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, JULY 11, 2023 AT 6:00 PM

COUNCIL ROOM, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 450 S. MAIN ST., RICHLAND CENTER, WI 53581

### **MICROSOFT TEAMS MEETING:**

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Meeting ID: 241 918 510 58 Passcode: BWrm3d

### **AGENDA - AMENDED**

**CALL TO ORDER** Roll Call for the meeting, determine whether a quorum is present; determine whether the meeting has been properly noticed.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES** Motion to waive the reading and approve the minutes of the last meeting.

1. Minutes June 6, 2023

### **PAYMENT OF BILLS**

2. Bills 07/11/2023

### **CLERK/TREASURER'S REPORT**

### **DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS**

- 3. Utility Billing Error
- 4. Funding for Vernon Thomson Memorial

### **SET NEXT MEETING DATE**

### **ADJOURN**

Posted this 10th day of July, 2023 by 4:30 PM. Copy to the official newspaper the Richland Observer.

Aaron Joyce, City Clerk/Treasurer

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TUESDAY, JUNE 06, 2023 AT 6:00 PM



COUNCIL ROOM, MUNICIPAL BUILDING, 450 S. MAIN ST., RICHLAND CENTER, WI 53581

### **AGENDA**

**CALL TO ORDER:** Meeting called to order at 6:03 PM. Committee members present: Karin Tepley, Melony Walters, and Ryan Cairns.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Motion by Tepley to approve the May 2, 2023 Finance Committee minutes as presented. Seconded by Walters. Motion carried 3-0.

**PAYMENT OF BILLS:** Motion by Walters to pay the bills as presented. Seconded by Tepley. Motion carried 3-0.

CLERK/TREASURER'S REPORT: Clerk/Treasurer Aaron Joyce reported that the annual liquor and municipal license renewal process has been underway for a few weeks with the proposed renewals to be considered tonight. The city's Badger Books electronic poll books have arrived and there was an informal training that took place, with a more formal training on the devices to take place later this fall. The office has been busy entering new summer staff in the payroll system and general onboarding. There have been two recent city home loan satisfactions. Aaron recently participated in Career Day at the Richland Intermediate School. Aaron and Administrator Oliphant explained to the committee how the finances of the taxi program operates.

### **DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS**

- Review of ARPA Expenditures: Oliphant reviewed the ARPA expenditures and commitments 3. thus far. Several projects have been identified, but not initiated. The city must designate funds, but doesn't have to expend those funds until 2026.
- 4. Consider Request to Authorize Billboard Advertising: Oliphant noted that the Lamar Company has offered the city space on its new digital billboard at a reduced price, but the city needs to lock into the agreement soon as Lamar has agreed to hold the spot until Friday, June 9th. The city would have to commit to a 24 or 52-week contract and Lamar. ARPA funds would be used for the initial contract, but Oliphant noted that the cost of the advertising could be split between departments in the future. The financial impact would \$3,000 for a 24-week package or \$6,500 for a 52-week package. Motion by Tepley to recommend to council authorizing the City Administrator to secure a 52-week digital billboard advertising package with The Lamar Company utilizing ARPA funds. Seconded by Walters. Motion carried 3-0.
- 5. Consider Request for Wi-Fi Access Point at the Aquatic Center: Oliphant reported that Recreation Director Jodi Mieden has been working to make the aquatic center as convenient for people as possible. Currently the facility can only take cash payments. There is a need to

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have Wi-Fi access to be able to take credit cards. Wi-Fi is also necessary for the time keep app that employees now use with the new payroll system. In addition, the chemical management at the aquatic center would be able to notify the manager if there are necessary things to address. The Park Shop and public would also have access to Wi-Fi. The financial impact would be \$3,656.16 for two Wi-Fi units and a 5-year license. It would be an ARPA expense. Motion by Cairns to recommend to council purchasing the necessary equipment and licensing for a Wi-Fi access point to serve the Aquatic Center and Park Shop with ARPA funds. Seconded by Walters. Motion carried 3-0.

- 6. **Consider Request for Development Planning Services**: It was noted that there is not a financial impact of this item and will be discussed further at the Common Council meeting. No action.
- 7. Adoption of Ordinance Authorizing an Alternative System of Approving Claims in Accordance with Wis. Stat. §66.0609: Administrator Oliphant stated that this ordinance would create a procedure to allow the approval of payment of budgeted bills between regular Common Council meetings. State statute allows the municipality to enact an ordinance that gives authority to the comptroller or clerk of the city to approve payments after determining there are funds available for the claim; the bill has been authorized by the property city official, department head, or board or commission; the item or service has been actually supplied or rendered; and the claim is just and valid pursuant to the law. After such payments are made, a detailed listing of those transactions will be made to the Common Council. The funds would all be subject to annual audit. Attorney McGough reiterated that there would continue to be situations that would still require council approval. Motion by Walters to recommend to council the adoption of the ordinance authorizing an alternative system of approving claims in accordance with Wis. Stat. §66.0609. Seconded by Tepley. Motion carried 3-0.

**SET NEXT MEETING DATE**: Next meeting will be held prior to the next council meeting, which will be decided at tonight's regular meeting.

ADJOURN: Motion by Cairns to adjourn. Seconded by Walters. Motion carried at 6:28 PM.

Minutes respectfully submitted by Aaron Joyce, City Clerk/Treasurer.

### Payment Approval Report - Finance Committee Report dates: 7/11/2023-7/11/2023

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Invoices with totals above \$0.00 included. Paid and unpaid invoices included.

Vendor Name	Invoice Date	Description	GL Account and Title	Net Invoice Amount
07/11/2023				
07-11-23 COUNCIL				
A T & T MOBILITY	06/27/2023	ACCT #287327444101-ECON D	10-56500-300 ECON DEV/TELE	120.76
ALLIANT ENERGY/WPL	07/03/2023	ACCT #8290837462-TERMINAL	10-54900-321 AIRPORT/TERMI	127.44
AUTO ZONE	06/30/2023	ACCT #000497434-POLICE	10-52100-425 POLICE/CAR OPE	6.59
BOARDMAN & CLARK LL	06/23/2023	INV #269793-GENL CITY MATT	10-51760-570 LABOR REL/FEE	23.00
BOND TRUST SERVICES	06/13/2023	REF #333690-AQUATIC CENTE	10-58430-920 AQUA CTR/INTER	55,950.00
BOND TRUST SERVICES	06/13/2023	REF #333690-AQUATIC CENTE	10-58430-910 AQUA CTR/PRINC	190,000.00
CARPENTER, LARA	06/28/2023	YOGA INSTRUCTOR FEE	10-46611-000 RECREATION FE	245.00
CHARTER COMMUNICATI	06/14/2023	POLICE INV #23-217534	10-52100-810 POLICE/ENFORC	50.00
CITY UTILITIES	06/06/2023	INV #5619- MAPPING LICENSE	10-51400-580 DATA PROC/PRO	591.25
CLARSON, BOYD	07/05/2023	ZONING PERMIT REFUND-B C	10-44310-000 BUILDING VARIA	125.00
COLEMAN, NATHAN	06/07/2023	FOOD REIMBURSEMENT	10-52100-410 POLICE/TRAININ	20.82
DARLING, CHLOE	07/07/2023	WORK PERMIT REIMB-C DARL	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
EAGLE ENGRAVING, INC	01/12/2023	POLICE INV #2023-0394	10-52100-430 POLICE/PRIORIT	95.45
EHLERS	06/12/2023	INV #94398-PANORAMA EST 2	10-14600-000 DUE FROM DEVE	750.00
FIRE PROTECTION SPEC	06/22/2023	POLICE INV #1144571789	10-52100-470 POLICE/MAINT/R	142.71
FRONTIER	07/01/2023	ACCT #26200109181030985-R	10-52100-300 POLICE/TELEPH	10.70
GLASBRENNER, JASEN	06/12/2023	OFFICE SUPPLY REIMBURSE	10-56500-340 ECON DEV/OFFI	14.98
HYNEK PRINTING	06/20/2023		10-52100-810 POLICE/ENFORC	192.00
ISAACSON, SHAYLYN	06/07/2023	FOOD REIMBURS	10-52100-410 POLICE/TRAININ	21.86
JELINEK, GRETCHEN	06/27/2023	JUN ASSESSOR PYMT-G JELI	10-51600-560 ASSESSOR/CON	1,658.33
JONES CHEVROLET	05/12/2023	ACCT #380-POLICE DEPT	10-52100-425 POLICE/CAR OPE	51.80
KOELSCH, BEN	06/30/2023	JUN CABLE SPONSORSHIP	10-55600-390 CABLE TV/MISC	1,933.75
MUELLER, MADALYNN		WORK PERMIT REIMB-M MUE	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
NELSON TACTICAL		POLICE INV #3241	10-52100-430 POLICE/PRIORIT	2,479.46
RHYME BUSINESS PROD	06/15/2023	POLICE COPIER INV #3426568	10-52100-480 POLICE/MAINT A	224.50
RHYME BUSINESS PROD	07/04/2023	CITY COPIERS INV #34398053	10-51450-480 COPIER/MAINT A	458.07
RICHLAND COUNTY AMB	06/27/2023	JUL AMBULANCE PAYMENT	10-52600-560 AMBULANCE/CO	9,590.00
RICHLAND COUNTY TRE	06/14/2023	2022 MFL AID DUE TO COUNT	10-43390-000 STATE AID-OTHE	2.92
RICHLAND ELECTRIC CO	07/03/2023	ACCT #667401-FLOODWARNI	10-56200-320 FLOODPLN/UTILI	45.59
RICHLAND FIRE DISTRIC	06/05/2023	FIRE CALL-HARRIS ACCIDENT	10-52300-905 FIRE DIST/CITY F	600.00
RICHLAND FIRE DISTRIC	06/09/2023	FIRE CALL-OUR HOUSE ALAR	10-52300-905 FIRE DIST/CITY F	300.00
RICHLAND FIRE DISTRIC	06/12/2023	FIRE CALL-HILLSIDE DEPOT A	10-52300-905 FIRE DIST/CITY F	300.00
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RICHLAND FIRE DISTRIC		FIRE CALL-HILLSIDE DEPOT A	10-52300-905 FIRE DIST/CITY F	300.00
RICHLAND HOSPITAL, IN		MAY LAB SERVICES-POLICE D	10-52100-810 POLICE/ENFORC	160.00
RICHLAND OBSERVER		ACCT #2065-CITY CLERK/TRE	10-51300-380 CLK TREAS/PUBL	141.81
RICHLAND OBSERVER		ACCT #2067-POLICE DEPT	10-52100-860 POLICE/ADMINIS	152.80
RICHLAND OBSERVER		ACCT #2065-CITY CLERK/TRE	10-51300-380 CLK TREAS/PUBL	719.70
RUCINSKI, THOMAS		CAMPSITE REFUND	10-46632-000 CAMPING FEES	90.00
RUNNING, INC		INV #28095-JUN TAXI EXP	10-54800-950 TRANSIT/TAXI	21,106.82
RUNNING, INC		INV #28095-JUN TAXI REV	10-54800-950 TRANSIT/TAXI	8,823.00-
SCHAUER, TOM		SAFETY BOOT REIMB-T SCHA	10-54200-400 ROADWAYS/EMP	150.00
SEXTONVILLE WATERW	0110012023	2ND QTR WATER-AIRPORT	10-54900-323 AIRPORT/WATER	20.45

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SEXTONVILLE WATERW	07/06/2023	2ND QTR SEWER-AIRPORT	10-54900-324 AIRPORT/SEWER	130.00
SHOPPING NEWS, INC	06/27/2023	ACCT #61904-ASSESSOR	10-51600-520 ASSESSOR/SUP	92.76
THE POLICE AND SHERI	07/05/2023	POLICE INV #179753	10-52100-860 POLICE/ADMINIS	48.05
TYLER, DOUG	06/06/2023	FLOWER REIMBURS-D TYLER	10-51850-390 BLDG-PROP/MIS	81.74
U S CELLULAR	06/18/2023	ACCT #201978132-CELL/MIED	10-55200-300 COMM CTR/TELE	54.50
U S CELLULAR	06/18/2023	ACCT #201978132-CELL/MAYO	10-51200-300 MAYOR/TELEPH	38.99
U S CELLULAR	06/18/2023	ACCT #201978132-CELL/PARK	10-51850-300 BLDG-PROP/TEL	48.49
U S CELLULAR	06/18/2023	ACCT #201978132-CELL/STRE	10-54200-300 ROADWAYS/CEL	52.14
VIERBICHER ASSOCIATE	06/08/2023	INV #3-ZONING ORDINANCE U	10-61000-990 OUTLAY/PROJEC	6,497.00
VIERBICHER ASSOCIATE	06/08/2023	INV #4-ZONING ADMINISTRAT	10-52450-000 ZONING/REGULA	6,764.00
W CHRIS MCGOUGH, LL	06/19/2023	EXPENSE REIMBURS	10-51700-390 ATTORNEY/MISC	727.87
W CHRIS MCGOUGH, LL	07/10/2023	INV #1900-COUNCIL/GENL TA	10-51700-570 ATTORNEY/FEES	2,675.00
W CHRIS MCGOUGH, LL	07/10/2023	INV #1901-TRAFFIC COURT	10-51700-570 ATTORNEY/FEES	1,237.50
WALLACE, COOPER & EL	07/05/2023	INV #1101 JUL-DEC PROPERT	10-51500-270 INSURANCE/PRO	70,878.00
WEX BANK	06/30/2023	POLICE ACCT #0496-00-91680	10-52100-500 POLICE/GASOLIN	2,465.90
WI DEPT OF JUSTICE-CR	05/31/2023	ACCT #G2489-POLICE DEPT	10-52100-860 POLICE/ADMINIS	7.00
WI DEPT OF JUSTICE-CR	05/16/2023	ACCT #G2489-POLICE DEPT	10-52100-860 POLICE/ADMINIS	7.00
WI DEPT OF JUSTICE-CR	06/05/2023	ACCT #G2489-POLICE DEPT	10-52100-860 POLICE/ADMINIS	7.00
WI DEPT OF JUSTICE-CR	06/12/2023	ACCT #G2489-POLICE DEPT	10-52100-860 POLICE/ADMINIS	21.00
WI DEPT OF JUSTICE-CR	06/27/2023	ACCT #G2489-POLICE DEPT	10-52100-860 POLICE/ADMINIS	14.00
WI DEPT OF REVENUE-A	06/30/2023	JUN FUEL TAX ACCT #530-000	10-54900-505 AIRPORT/AVIATI	23.40
WICONNECT WIRELESS	07/01/2023	INV #196603-AIRPORT INTERN	10-54900-300 AIRPORT/TELEP	56.86
WOODMAN, TIM	06/22/2023	POLICE INV #372222	10-52100-470 POLICE/MAINT/R	492.50
WPPI ENERGY	07/01/2023	LED PROJ INV #INV19494	10-51850-470 BLDG-PROP/MAI	421.62
Total CITY GENERAL	FUND:			374,512.88
Grand Totals:				374,512.88

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THAT THE CITY BILLS I	PRESENTED ON THIS D	DAY BE PAID, WITH THE FO	DLLOWING ADJUSTMENTS AND/O	R EXCEPTIONS:
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METCO	05/25/2023	AIRPORT INV #207586	10-51850-470 BLDG-PROP/MAI	762,75
METCO	05/25/2023	INV #207586-TAX EXEMPT	10-51850-470 BLDG-PROP/MAI	39.76-
NORTH WOODS SUPERI	06/02/2023	ACCT #6172820-PARKS DEPT	10-51850-520 BLDG-PROP/SUP	192.03
PIONEER PRINT CO LLC	05/19/2023	INV #4559-PARKS/GROUNDS	10-51850-400 BLDG-PROP/SAF	135.00
PREMIER CO-OP	05/31/2023	ACCT #4671525-PARK FUEL F	10-51850-500 BLDG-PROP/GAS	1,529.40
REYZEK PLUMBING LLC	05/30/2023	AQUATIC CENTER INV #1056	10-51850-470 BLDG-PROP/MAI	92.72
STRANG HEATING & ELE	05/05/2023	COMM CTR INV #39366	10-51850-440 BLDG-PROP/EQU	507.19
STRANG HEATING & ELE	05/05/2023	PARKS INV #39369	10-51850-470 BLDG-PROP/MAI	223.75
THE HOMESTEADER'S S	05/15/2023	ACCT #105533-PARKS DEPT	10-51850-440 BLDG-PROP/EQU	150.70
THE HOMESTEADER'S S	05/25/2023	ACCT #105533-PARKS DEPT	10-51850-440 BLDG-PROP/EQU	28.33
ULINE	04/12/2023	ACCT #12737579-PARKS (RC L	10-54600-390 GARBAGE/MISC	1,240.99
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/09/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-390 BLDG-PROP/MIS	66.75
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/12/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-470 BLDG-PROP/MAI	194.11
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/16/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-520 BLDG-PROP/SUP	83.11
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/17/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-390 BLDG-PROP/MIS	8.30
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/18/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-390 BLDG-PROP/MIS	27.62
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/22/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-530 BLDG-PROP/WEE	96.73
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/24/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-390 BLDG-PROP/MIS	1.06
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/25/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-470 BLDG-PROP/MAI	76.96
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/25/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-390 BLDG-PROP/MIS	13.33
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/30/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-390 BLDG-PROP/MIS	34.50
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/30/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-61000-961 OUTLAY/PARKS	18.22
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/31/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-61000-961 OUTLAY/PARKS	7.59
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	06/01/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-390 BLDG-PROP/MIS	35.32
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	06/06/2023	ACCT #100567-PARK DEPT	10-51850-470 BLDG-PROP/MAI	196.56
WIL-KIL PEST CONTROL	06/09/2023	ACCT #131539-MUN BLDG	10-51800-560 MUN BLDG/CONT	63.30
WIL-KIL PEST CONTROL	06/14/2023	ACCT #210363-COMM CENTE	10-55200-560 COMM CTR/CON	76.55
WIL-KIL PEST CONTROL	06/14/2023	ACCT #131539-MEYERS BLDG	10-55300-655 PARKS/SHELTER	63.30
Total CITY GENERAL	FUND:			10,030.39
06/10/2023 06-2023 MANUALS				
AMERICAN FAMILY LIFE	05/26/2023	MAY AFLAC W/H-MAR PREMIU	10-22240-000 EMPLOYEE SHA	604.07
AMERICAN FAMILY LIFE	05/26/2023	MAY PREMIUM VARIANCE	10-52100-100 POLICE/BENEFIT	.03-
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	ADDL JUL LIFE INSURANCE	10-22230-000 EMPLOYEE SHA	559.03
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G		JUL SP/DEP LIFE INSURANCE	10-22230-000 EMPLOYEE SHA	28.80
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-POLICE	10-52100-100 POLICE/BENEFIT	127.54
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-PKG ENF	10-52150-100 PKG ENF/BENEFI	22.34
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-STREETS	10-54200-100 ROADWAYS/BEN	82.22
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-PARKS	10-55300-100 PARKS/BENEFITS	74.74
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-COMM CTR	10-55200-100 COMM CTR/BEN	13.25
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-CITY ADMIN	10-51250-100 ADMIN/BENEFITS	6.22
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-C/T OFFICE	10-51300-100 CLK TREAS/BEN	44.61
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-TOURISM	10-51825-100 RR DEPOT/BENE	23.40
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-LIBRARY	10-51900-180 PERSONNEL/EM	47.75
SECURIAN FINANCIAL G	06/05/2023	JUL LIFE INS-UTILITIES	10-51900-180 PERSONNEL/EM	716.35
WORKSITE SOLUTIONS	06/08/2023	MAY INSUR W/H-DEITELHOFF	10-22250-000 EMPLOYEE SHA	46.70
Total CITY GENERAL	FUND:			2,396.99

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06-12-23 PARK BOARD				
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVI	06/03/2023	CITY ACCT #A2D4H70ZB1JL0D	10-61000-963 OUTLAY/AQUATI	287.82
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVI	06/03/2023		10-55410-700 AQUA CTR/CONC	22.99
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVI	06/03/2023	CITY ACCT #A2D4H70ZB1JL0D	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	24.98
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVI	06/11/2023	CITY ACCT #A2D4H70ZB1JL0D	10-61000-963 OUTLAY/AQUATI	383.97
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVI	06/11/2023	CITY ACCT #A2D4H70ZB1JL0D	10-55200-640 COMM CTR/REC	35.10
AMAZON CAPITAL SERVI	06/11/2023		10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	142.59
AMERICAN LIFEGUARD	06/01/2023		10-55410-520 AQUA CTR/SUPP	756.29
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55200-640 COMM CTR/REC	305.87
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55200-640 COMM CTR/REC	87.34
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	107.63
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55410-520 AQUA CTR/SUPP	129.14
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55200-390 COMM CTR/MISC	30.59
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55410-520 AQUA CTR/SUPP	93.45
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55200-435 COMM CTR/REC	151.80
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55200-640 COMM CTR/REC	116.87
CAPITAL ONE	06/12/2023	ACCT #621034-PARKS & REC	10-55200-640 COMM CTR/REC	38.10
CULLIGAN WATER COND	05/31/2023	JUN A/C WATER SOFTENER	10-55410-320 AQUA CTR/UTILIT	205.44
HOLIDAY WHOLESALE	05/23/2023	ACCT #701409-AQUATIC CENT	10-55410-700 AQUA CTR/CONC	387.05
HOLIDAY WHOLESALE	05/25/2023	ACCT #701409-AQUATIC CENT	10-55410-700 AQUA CTR/CONC	39.45-
HOLIDAY WHOLESALE	05/30/2023	ACCT #701409-AQUATIC CENT	10-55410-700 AQUA CTR/CONC	2,999.70
HOLIDAY WHOLESALE	06/01/2023	ACCT #701409-AQUATIC CENT	10-55410-700 AQUA CTR/CONC	401.00
HOLIDAY WHOLESALE	06/06/2023	ACCT #701409-AQUATIC CENT	10-55410-700 AQUA CTR/CONC	207.05
MCGUIRE CONSTRUCTI	06/05/2023	A/C DE-WINTERIZING INVOICE	10-55410-470 AQUA CTR/MAINT	1,958.50
MIDWEST POOL SUPPLY	05/31/2023	ACCT #RIC010-AQUATIC CENT	10-55410-620 AQUA CTR/CHEM	1,058.89
PEPSI-COLA OF LACROS	06/01/2023	ACCT #13746-AQUATIC CENT	10-55410-700 AQUA CTR/CONC	808.40
PIONEER PRINT CO LLC	05/24/2023	A/C EXPENSES	10-55410-520 AQUA CTR/SUPP	919.40
RHYME BUSINESS PROD	05/26/2023	COMM CTR COPIER	10-55200-480 COMM CTR/MAIN	183.76
RICHLAND OBSERVER	05/31/2023	ACCT #2066-COMM CTR/PARK	10-55200-385 COMM CTR/PRO	95.00
STRANG HEATING & ELE	06/07/2023	A/C EXPENSES	10-55410-320 AQUA CTR/UTILIT	105.00
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	06/07/2023	ACCT #100567-A/C EXPENSES	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	47.17
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/25/2023	ACCT #100567-A/C EXPENSES	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	57.99
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/18/2023	ACCT #100567-A/C EXPENSES	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	33.47
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	06/09/2023	ACCT #100567-A/C EXPENSES	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	27.63
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	06/01/2023	ACCT #100567-A/C EXPENSES	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	53.25
Total CITY GENERAL	FUND:			12,223.78
06/19/2023				
06-2023 LIBRARY BD	05/00/000	A C C T #1 400000 A D ! ! T A C C T	00 55400 700 1100 400 500	
BAKER & TAYLOR		ACCT #L408232-ADULT ACCT	20-55100-720 LIBRARY/BOOKS	64.87
BAKER & TAYLOR		ACCT #L408232-ADULT ACCT	20-55100-720 LIBRARY/BOOKS	623.03
BAKER & TAYLOR		ACCT #L4275042-YOUTH ACC	20-55100-720 LIBRARY/BOOKS	664.82
BAKER & TAYLOR		ACCT #L4275042-YOUTH ACC	20-55100-720 LIBRARY/BOOKS	769.52
BAKER & TAYLOR BAKER & TAYLOR		ACCT #L4275042-YOUTH ACC	20-55100-720 LIBRARY/BOOKS	755.02
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS		ACCT #L4275042-YOUTH ACC EL/WA/SE-LIBRARY	20-55100-720 LIBRARY/BOOKS	181.48
CYBRARIAN CORPORATI			20-55100-320 LIBRARY/UTILITI	857.82
EGOLDFAX		LIBRARY INV #08-95973 LIBRARY INV #EGOLD-120384	20-55100-750 LIBRARY/COMPU	1,247.50
FRONTIER		ACCT #60864764440101655-LI	20-55100-300 LIBRARY/PHONE/	29.99
		ACCT #60864764440101655-LI ACCT #99900-LIBRARY	20-55100-300 LIBRARY/PHONE/	277.74
GENUINE TELECOM NEE, MARY		GARDEN BEDS REIMB-M NEE	20-55100-300 LIBRARY/PHONE/ 20-55100-390 LIBRARY/MISC E	40.73
RHYME BUSINESS PROD		LIB COPIER INV #34232748		32.95
MITTWIL BUSINESS FRUD	00/03/2023	LID COLIENTINV #34232/40	20-55100-340 LIBRARY/OFFICE	167.93

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TEPLEY, KARIN	06/14/2023	SIGN REIMB-K TEPLEY	20-55100-390 LIBRARY/MISC E	45.00
VISA		LIBRARY ACCT ENDING #6931	20-55100-340 LIBRARY/OFFICE	76.43
VISA		LIBRARY ACCT ENDING #6931	20-55100-390 LIBRARY/MISC E	194.72
VISA		LIBRARY ACCT ENDING #6931	20-55100-520 LIBRARY/PROCE	65.87
VISA		LIBRARY ACCT ENDING #6931	20-55100-710 LIBRARY/AUDIO/	94.31
VISA		LIBRARY ACCT ENDING #6931	20-55100-720 LIBRARY/BOOKS	192.97
VISA		LIBRARY ACCT ENDING #6931	20-55100-740 LIBRARY/CHILDR	74.98
VISA		LIBRARY ACCT ENDING #6931	20-55100-745 LIBRARY/ADULT	409.64
VISA	05/31/2023	LIBRARY ACCT ENDING #6931	20-55100-750 LIBRARY/COMPU	1,049.00
WALSH'S ACE HARDWAR	05/08/2023	ACCT #100115-LIBRARY	20-55100-530 LIBRARY/JANITO	24.27
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #071370497000001-LIBR	20-55100-310 LIBRARY/HEAT	413.00
Total LIBRARY FUND	:			8,353.59
06/20/2023				
06-2023 CITY MANUALS				
A T & T MOBILITY		ACCT #287327444101-ECON D	10-56500-300 ECON DEV/TELE	204.44
ALLIANT ENERGY/WPL	06/09/2023		10-54900-320 AIRPORT/RUNWA	134.10
ALLIANT ENERGY/WPL	06/09/2023		10-54900-322 AIRPORT/HANGA	31.86
ALLIANT ENERGY/WPL		ACCT #1601850000-HWY80 SH	10-55300-655 PARKS/SHELTER	20.21
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS	06/12/2023		10-55300-320 PARKS/UTILITIES	484.36
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS	06/12/2023		10-51800-320 MUN BLDG/UTILI	727.45
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS	06/12/2023		10-51800-320 MUN BLDG/UTILI	55.86
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS	06/12/2023 06/12/2023		10-51850-320 BLDG-PROP/UTIL	32.03
CITY UTILITIES BILLS	06/12/2023		10-51825-320 RR DEPOT/UTILI	100.44
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS CITY UTILITIES-BILLS	06/12/2023		10-55200-320 COMM CTR/UTILI 10-51850-320 BLDG-PROP/UTIL	1,135.29 135.12
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS	06/12/2023		10-51850-325 BLDG-PROP/CEM	178.98
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS	06/12/2023		10-55410-320 AQUA CTR/UTILIT	2,557.72
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS	06/12/2023		10-55300-320 PARKS/UTILITIES	2,375.14
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS		EL/WA/SE-STREET SHOP	10-54100-320 GARAGE/UTILITI	369.69
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS		EL BILL-LANDFILL	10-54500-320 LANDFILL/UTILITI	82.62
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS		EL BILLS-FLOODWARNING	10-56200-320 FLOODPLN/UTILI	78.69
CITY UTILITIES-BILLS		EL BILLS-STREET LIGHTS	10-54230-930 SIGNS/STREET LI	6,894.07
FRONTIER		ACCT #26200109181030985-R	10-52100-300 POLICE/TELEPH	10.70
FRONTIER		ACCT #60864784960208235-LA	10-54500-300 LANDFILL/TELEP	87.13
FRONTIER		ACCT #60864742370209235-TE	10-54900-300 AIRPORT/TELEP	96.80
FRONTIER	06/09/2023	ACCT #60838309690209235-AI	10-54900-300 AIRPORT/TELEP	96.80
GENUINE TELECOM		ACCT #641500-POLICE DEPT	10-52100-300 POLICE/TELEPH	151.26
GENUINE TELECOM	06/20/2023	ACCT #20300-CLERK/TREAS	10-51300-300 CLK TREAS/TELE	99.63
GENUINE TELECOM	06/20/2023	ACCT #20300-BLDG INSP	10-52400-300 BLDG SFTY/TELE	36.88
GENUINE TELECOM	06/20/2023	ACCT #20300-MAYOR	10-51200-300 MAYOR/TELEPH	35.38
GENUINE TELECOM	06/20/2023	ACCT #20300-ASSESSOR	10-51600-300 ASSESSOR/TELE	35.38
GENUINE TELECOM	06/20/2023	ACCT #20300-RR DEPOT	10-51825-300 RR DEPOT/PHON	35.38
GENUINE TELECOM	06/20/2023	ACCT #20300-CITY DSL	10-51400-590 DATA PROC/DSL	125.00
GENUINE TELECOM		ACCT #20300-POLICE DSL	10-52100-590 POLICE/INTERNE	88.00
GENUINE TELECOM		ACCT #641600-STREET DEPT	10-54100-300 GARAGE/TELEPH	36.13
GENUINE TELECOM		ACCT #73700-PARK SHOP	10-51850-300 BLDG-PROP/TEL	50.23
GENUINE TELECOM		ACCT #73700-AQUATIC CENT	10-55410-300 AQUA CTR/TELE	41.88
GENUINE TELECOM		ACCT #73700-COMM CENTER	10-55200-300 COMM CTR/TELE	182.26
GENUINE TELECOM		ACCT #73700-CC ALARM	10-55200-565 COMM CTR/FIRE	36.88
STEEL APPRAISAL SERVI		ECON DEV INV #1400 PEEBLE	10-56500-560 ECON DEV/CONT	1,000.00
W CHRIS MCGOUGH, LL	06/18/2023	INV #1884-COUNCIL/GENL TA	10-51700-570 ATTORNEY/FEES	1,900.00

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W CHRIS MCGOUGH, LL	06/18/2023	INV #1885-TRAFFIC COURT	10-51700-570 ATTORNEY/FEES	1,662.50
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023		10-51800-310 MUN BLDG/HEAT	14.10
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #070047605100001-RR D	10-51825-310 RR DEPOT/HEAT	11.55
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #070047605100005-COM	10-55200-310 COMM CTR/HEAT	43.37
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #071031598000001-PAR	10-51850-310 BLDG-PROP/HEA	11.62
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #070014806400001-CEM	10-51850-315 BLDG-PROP/CEM	12.83
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #070852515300001-MEY	10-55300-655 PARKS/SHELTER	19.83
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #070047605100002-A/C	10-55410-310 AQUA CTR/HEAT	1,251.06
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #070047605100003-A/C	10-55410-310 AQUA CTR/HEAT	25.20
WE ENERGIES	06/08/2023	ACCT #070894498700001-STR	10-54100-310 GARAGE/HEAT	<b>4</b> 5.17
WEX BANK	05/31/2023	ACCT #3696679749-RC POLIC	10-52100-500 POLICE/GASOLIN	2,514.99
Total CITY GENERAL	FUND:			25,356.01
07-11-23 COUNCIL				
ALLIANT ENERGY/WPL	07/03/2023	ACCT #8290837462-TERMINAL	10-54900-321 AIRPORT/TERMI	111.80
Total CITY GENERAL	FUND:			111.80
06/21/2023				
06-2023 WORK PERMITS	00/04/0000			
BUDDEN, ROBERT D	06/21/2023	WORK PERMIT REIMB-R BUD	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
CAIRNS, ELLA	06/21/2023	WORK PERMIT REIMBLE CAIR	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
CULVER, KIERNEN B HARPER, DUNCAN D	06/21/2023	WORK PERMIT REIMB-K CULV	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
HEFFNER, TAYLOR M		WORK PERMIT REIMB-D HAR WORK PERMIT REIMB-T HEFF	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
KELLER, MAGGIE R	06/21/2023		10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC 10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
MIEDEN, CARLEY J		WORK PERMIT REIMB-WIKELL	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC 10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
NELSON, CARTER R		WORK PERMIT REIMB-C NELS	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00 10.00
STOWELL, ETHAN		WORK PERMIT REIMB-E STO	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
WALDNER, SAMMUEL B		WORK PERMIT REIMB-S WAL	10-55410-390 AQUA CTR/MISC	10.00
Total CITY GENERAL	FUND:			100.00
Grand Totals:				72,840.58



450 SOUTH MAIN STREET P.O.BOX 312 RICHLAND CENTER, WI 53581

PHONE: 647-3844 FAX: 647-2830

June 15, 2023

City of Richland Center 450 South Main Street Richland Center, WI 53581

Dear City of Richland Center,

During a review of our billing records we have discovered an error in the monthly electric charge to your account 1500800-00. This showed that your electric meter at the Aquatic Center – Swimming Pool should have had a multiplier of 120 instead of 40.

Per PSC 113.0924(4) & Wisconsin state statue 196.635, all services supplied by a public utility must be billed within 2 years of such service. We have calculated this under billing to you and the total amount for the usage is \$20,653.92, which has been verified by our auditors.

We ask that you contact us at 608-647-3844 to discuss a payment plan. You can pay this amount in full now, or we can add this amount to your regular monthly bill over a 24 month period at no interest.

Thank you,

City Utilities Richland Center

### Aquatic Center - Swimming Pool Meter #9032

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			40x	120x	40x	120x	
	Reading	kWh	Usage	Usage	\$	\$	Difference
2/2/2023	3860	13	520	1560	\$49.14	\$147.42	\$98.28
1/3/2023	3847	15	600	1800	\$56.70	\$170.10	\$113.40
12/2/2022	3832	14	560	1680	\$52.92	\$158.76	\$105.84
11/1/2022	3818	10	400	1200	\$37.80	\$113.40	\$75.60
10/1/2022	3808	183	7320	21960	\$691.74	\$2,075.22	\$1,383.48
9/1/2022	3625	295	11800	35400	\$1,115.10	\$3,345.30	\$2,230.20
8/1/2022	3330	307	12280	36840	\$1,160.46	\$3,481.38	\$2,320.92
7/1/2022	3023	281	11240	33720	\$1,062.18	\$3,186.54	\$2,124.36
6/1/2022	2742	131	5240	15720	\$495.18	\$1,485.54	\$990.36
5/1/2022	2611	16	640	1920	\$60.48	\$181.44	\$120.96
4/1/2022	2595	17	680	2040	\$64.26	\$192.78	\$128.52
3/1/2022	2578	17	680	2040	\$64.26	\$192.78	\$128.52
2/1/2022	2561	18	720	2160	\$68.04	\$204.12	\$136.08
1/3/2022	2543	20	800	2400	\$75.60	\$226.80	\$151.20
12/3/2021	2523	17	680	2040	\$64.26	\$192.78	\$128.52
11/3/2021	2506	19	760	2280	\$71.82	\$215.46	\$143.64
10/3/2021	2487	168	6720	20160	\$635.04	\$1,905.12	\$1,270.08
9/4/2021	2319	283	11320	33960	\$1,069.74	\$3,209.22	\$2,139.48
8/7/2021	2036	285	11400	34200	\$1,077.30	\$3,231.90	\$2,154.60
7/7/2021	1751	309	12360	37080	\$1,168.02	\$3,504.06	\$2,336.04
6/7/2021	1442	237	9480	28440	\$895.86	\$2,687.58	\$1,791.72
5/7/2021	1205	24	960	2880	\$90.72	\$272.16	\$181.44
4/7/2021	1181	27	1080	3240	\$102.06	\$306.18	\$204.12
3/7/2021	1154	26	1040	3120	\$98.28	\$294.84	\$196.56
2/7/2021	1128						AND RESIDENCE TO THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPERTY

\$20,653.92



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PHONE: 647-3844 FAX: 647-2830

June 15, 2023

City of Richland Center 450 South Main Street Richland Center, WI 53581

Dear City of Richland Center,

During a review of our billing records we have discovered an error in the monthly electric charge to your account 1501600-01. This showed that your electric meter at the N Park Ballfields should have had a multiplier of 40 instead of 1.

Per PSC 113.0924(4) & Wisconsin state statue 196.635, all services supplied by a public utility must be billed within 2 years of such service. We have calculated this under billing to you and the total amount for the usage is \$9,872.31, which has been verified by our auditors.

We ask that you contact us at 608-647-3844 to discuss a payment plan. You can pay this amount in full now, or we can add this amount to your regular monthly bill over a 24 month period at no interest.

Thank you,

City Utilities Richland Center

	1x 40x Total		\$174.66 \$170.29	\$174.66 \$170.29	\$174.66 \$170.29	\$174.66 \$170.29	\$4.37 \$174.66 \$170.29 \$170.29	\$174.66 \$170.29	\$174.66 \$170.29	\$174.66 \$170.29	\$176.82 \$172.39	\$177.78 \$173.34	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$178.98 \$174.51	\$186.48 \$181.98	\$186.48 \$181.98	\$186.48 \$181.98	\$186.48 \$181.98	\$186.48 \$181.98	\$186.48 \$181.98
		kw\$ kw\$ Total Di		\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.15 \$6.16 \$6.01	\$19.27 \$770.77 \$751.50	\$19.50 \$780.15 \$760.64	\$4.92 \$196.98 \$192.06	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.03 \$1.07 \$1.05	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.15 \$6.16 \$6.01	\$19.74 \$789.80 \$770.05	\$19.85 \$794.08 \$774.23	\$19.99 \$799.44 \$779.46	\$19.88 \$795.16 \$775.28	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00
N Park Ballfields Meter #8960	1x 40x	kWh \$ kWh \$ Total		\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$230.58	\$109.62	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$75.60	\$154.98	\$94.50	\$0.95 \$37.80 \$36.86	\$0.00	Š
N Pa	Distribution Demand	40x	116.44	116.44	116.44	116.44	116.44	116.44	116.44	116.44	117.88	118.52	119.32	119.32	119.32	119.32	119.32	119.32	119.32	119.32	119.32	124.32	124.32	124.32	124.32	124.32	124 32
	1x 40x	Reading Usage Usage		0	0	0	0 0 0	0	0	0.023	2.876	2.911	0.735	0	0	0	0	0.004	0	0	0.023	2.947	2.963	2.983	2.967	0	
	1x 40x	kWh Usage Usage		0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0	0 0 0	61	29 29 1160	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	20	41	25 25 1000	10	0 0 0	
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450 SOUTH MAIN STREET P.O.BOX 312 RICHLAND CENTER, WI 53581
PHONE: 647-3844 FAX: 647-2830

June 15, 2023

City of Richland Center 450 South Main Street Richland Center, WI 53581

Dear City of Richland Center,

During a review of our billing records we have discovered an error in the monthly electric charge to your account 1500200-01. This showed that your electric meter at the US Hwy 14 W-B Fields should have had a multiplier of 160 instead of 1.

Per PSC 113.0924(4) & Wisconsin state statue 196.635, all services supplied by a public utility must be billed within 2 years of such service. We have calculated this under billing to you and the total amount for the usage is \$1,502.05, which has been verified by our auditors.

We ask that you contact us at 608-647-3844 to discuss a payment plan. You can pay this amount in full now, or we can add this amount to your regular monthly bill over a 24 month period at no interest.

Thank you,

City Utilities Richland Center

1x 160x								
	Distribution Demand	1x 160x	1x	160x	1x	160x		Total
Usage	160x	kWh \$ kWh \$ Total	kw \$	kW \$ Total	Dist Demand \$ 1	\$ pu	Total	Difference
	51.2				\$0.48		76.32	\$76.32
	51.2	\$0.00			\$0.48		76.32	\$76.32
	51.2				\$0.48		76.32	\$76.32
	51.2	\$0.00			\$0.48		76.32	\$76.32
51.2	51.2	\$45.36		122.88 \$122.11	\$0.48		76.32	\$243.51
51.2	51.2	\$45.36			\$0.48		76.32	\$243.51
6.72	6.72	\$0.09 \$15.12 \$15.03		\$16.13 \$16.03	\$0.06		10.02	\$41.07
92'9	6.56	\$45.36			\$0.06		\$9.78	\$70.50
80.9	80.9	\$45.36		\$14.59 \$14.50	\$0.06		\$9.06	\$68.64
5.6	5.6	\$0.19 \$30.24 \$30.05	\$0.08	\$13.44 \$13.36	\$0.06	\$8.40	\$8.34	\$51.75
5.28	5.28	\$0.00 \$0.00			\$0.05		\$7.87	\$20.46
5.28	5.28	\$0.00		\$12.67 \$12.59	\$0.05		\$7.87	\$20.46
5.28	5.28	\$0.00			\$0.0\$		\$7.87	\$20.46
5.28	5.28	\$0.00		\$12.67 \$12.59	\$0.0\$		\$7.87	\$20.46
5.28	5.28	\$0.00			\$0.0\$		\$7.87	\$20.46
	5.28	\$0.00	\$0.08		\$0.05		\$7.87	\$20.46
5.28	5.28	\$45.36	\$0.08		\$0.05		\$7.87	\$65.54
4.8	4.8	\$0.19 \$30.24 \$30.05	\$0.07		\$0.05		\$7.15	\$48.65
4.48	4.48	\$45.36	\$0.07	\$10.75 \$10.68	\$0.03		\$6.69	\$62.45
	4	\$60.48	\$0.06		\$0.03		\$5.97	\$75.61
3.36	3.36		\$0.05		\$0.03		\$5.01	\$58.10
.88	2.88	\$0.00	\$0.04		\$0.02		\$4.30	\$11.17
2.88	2.88	\$0.00	\$0.04		\$0.02		\$4.30	\$11.17
.88	2.88	\$0.00 \$0.00	\$0.04	\$6.91 \$6.87	\$0.02		\$4.30	\$11.17
2.88	2 88		\$0.04		\$0.02		\$4.30	\$11.17

\$1,502.05

From: FITZIE HEIMDAHL fitzie.heimdahl@wisconsinhistory.org

Subject: Governor Vernon W. Thomson Wisconsin State Historical Marker

Date: Jun 2, 2023 at 9:19:33 AM

To: bellmanrj@charter.net

Hello Mr. Bellman,

My name is Fitzie Heimdahl. I coordinate the State Historical Markers Program through the Wisconsin State Historical Society. Thank you for your interest in a Wisconsin State Historical Marker. Staff has reviewed your pre-application, and has determined that your topic meets the criteria of the Wisconsin State Historical Markers Program

When you are ready, please submit your completed final marker application and application fee of \$250 to the following address:

Wisconsin Historical Society State Historical Markers Program, Rm 454 816 State Street. Madison, WI 53706

I have also included a few template letters of agreement as you work with the City of Richland Center.

Based on our current marker applications under review, it will take at least six months for staff to review new applications. The estimated timeframe for the production of new markers is at least six months from the date your marker order is placed by the Wisconsin Historical Society.

We are excited to see the story of this important state figure shared with the public.

Sincerely,

-Fitzie Heimdahl

Fitzie Heimdahl (he/him)

State Historical Markers Program Coordinator

Wisconsin Historical Society (715) 471-0770

fitzie.heimdahl@wisconsinhistory.org

### Item 4.

### WISCONSIN HISTORICAL MARKER APPLICATION FORM



This application is required to obtain approval for official State of Wisconsin historical markers. The Wisconsin Historical Markers Program is administered by the Wisconsin Historical's Local History-Field Services program.

State Register of Historic Places plaques no longer require Wisconsin Historical Society approval. If your home is on the State Register, order State Register plaques directly from SEWAH Studios at 1-888-55-SEWAH.

This application form must be filled out completely. Incomplete or ineligible marker applications will be returned to the applicant within 30 days of receipt by the Society.

The applicant is responsible for:

- Providing all research documentation & supporting materials for this application.
- Funding the historical marker.
- Maintaining the historical marker

Please allow sufficient time for your order.

The marker text requires approval of Wisconsin Historical Society staff. Because there is often a backlog of pending applications and staff is limited, please allow up to 6 months for our staff to review your application. Once approved, the Society will order your marker from SEWAH Studios. As of January 2023, the production time for ALL state historical markers is estimated to be six months. We advise you not to schedule a marker dedication ceremony until the marker is in your possession.

### Do not submit payment until invoiced.

All historical markers are manufactured by SEWAH Studios in Marietta, Ohio. Once this application has been approved, the Society will place the order for manufacture of the historical marker. SEWAH will invoice the applicant directly once the ap-plication process is complete. The marker will be delivered directly to the applicant.

### Criteria for Historical Marker Topics

Wisconsin historical markers identify, commemorate and honor the important people, places, and events that have contributed to the state's rich heritage. The Wisconsin Historical Markers Program is a vital education tool, informing people about the most significant aspects of Wisconsin's past.

Markers should describe one of the following aspects of Wisconsin's history: history, architecture, culture, archaeology, ethnic associations, geology, natural history, or legends. If your narrative text is about a person in history, we encourage you to include the person's birth and death dates, a chronology of the important events from the person's life, and the person's influence or significant contribution to the national, state or local community. If your narrative text is about an event in history, we encourage you to include the time, date and place of the event, any people or groups associated with event, information on how the event developed, and the event's influence or significant contribution to the national, state or local community.

While developing your narrative text, we encourage you to document your facts and dates with footnotes. You will be required to develop an annotated bibliography and attach photocopies of your primary and secondary research resources with this application. Avoid words like "first," "oldest," "unique," or "only" unless there is irrefutable documentation. The name of the current owner of the property or the name of any living person cannot be listed in the narrative text. The Society reserves the right to reject a marker application that it deems offensive, either to general good taste or to a specific group of people.

The Society will consider the approval of marker applications if the applications meet any of the following criteria:

- The property is listed in the State or National Register of Historic Places.
- The site is associated with the events that have made a significant contribution to the broad patterns of history.
- The site is associated with the lives of persons no longer living who have made significant contributions to the broad patterns of history and culture.
- The site embodies the distinctive characteristics of a type, style, period or method of construction or architecture; represents the work of a master; or possesses high artistic value.
- The site yields, or is likely to yield, information important in prehistory or history.
- The site is associated with ethnic groups who have made distinctive and significant contributions to history.
- The site embodies the characteristics of the State, representing significant aspects of the physical or natural history of the earth.
- The site is representative of popular stories or myths that, although not verifiable, are significant to history and culture.

WISCONSIN STATE HISTORICAL MAR	KER APPLICATION FORM		Item
1 - Name of Applicant	CITY OF RICH	LAND CENTER	
2 - Proposed Title of Marker	VERNON W. THO	MSON, GOVERNOR AND CONGRESS	714
3 - Proposed Location of Marl location shown, and property parcel		the proposed location and a map with the marker al location approval.	
Property Name (if applicable)	KROUSKOP P	ARK , (H	( C)
Address	JUNCTION OF	= USHWY14 and Hwy 80 100	rais
City, State, Zip	RICHLAND (	CENTER, WISC. \$3581	
County			
	he marker must be accessible	e Erected — Markers may be located on either public or to the public and visible from a public right-of-way. Provide	the
Public Property		Private Property	
Official's Name:  MAYOR TODD OF	PERNOLL	Property Owner's Name:	
Title: MAYOR		Address:	
Institution: CITY COUNC	CIL	City, State & Zip:	
Telephone: 608-604-53 608-647-3466	99 (Mayor's Ce 11 (Citx CLEPK)	Telephone	
Email:	<del>- /- /-</del>	Email:	
appropriate transportation official o If the marker is to be placed on priva owner. The letter should grant perm marker for as long as the marker sta	r governing body that has juri ate property not owned by the ission for the historical marke inds.	lic right-of-way, please attach a letter of approval from the isdiction over that public right-of-way.  e applicant, please attach a letter of approval from the property of the located on their property and permit public access to be located on their property and permit public access to be for funding all aspects of the marker, including the purchase	the
	for the marker. Provide the na	ame of the person or organization that is providing the funds	<b>2</b>
Funder's Name: CITY OF RICHLAN	D CENTER	Telephone: 608-647-3466	
Address: 450 SUTH MA	IN STREET	City, State & Zip: RICHLAND ENTER, WISC 5350	3/
	ration should be either a priva	ization responsible for long-term maintenance and repair of ite non-profit or a governmental entity willing and able to	the
Name: CITY OF RIGHL	AUN CENTER	Telephone: 608-647-8108	
Address: 1050 North Or	ange St.	City, State & Zip: Richland Center Wisz 535	31

10 – Applicati	ion submitted by
Name	Mart Todd Consernoll
Organization	City of Richland Center
Address	450 South Main Street
City, State, Zip	Richland Center, Wisconsin 53581
Telephone	608-647-3466 (CkrK's Office)
Email	
marker, or I am a commit the perso	nat the above information is accurate and correct to the best of my knowledge. I will fund and maintain the authorized to commit the person or organization named in Section 5 to fund the marker, and I am authorized to con or organization named in Section 6 to the maintenance of the marker. I understand the legal obligations of its under Wisconsin Statutes.
Applicant signat	ture: X Date: X
11– Billing add	dress (SEWAH Studios will direct bill marker applicants)
Name	Mayor Todd Copernall
Organization	Ety of Richard Center
Address	450 South Main Street
City, State, Zip	Richland Centary Wisconsin 53581
12—Shipping a	address if different from billing address. Commercial addresses open during regular business hours are
Name	DARLE AS #11.
Organization	
Address	
City, State, Zip	
	igital images- Once the marker has been installed, the applicant must submit three high-resolution digital im- ipegs) of the marker to the Wisconsin Historical Society.
Send applicatio	ons to:
	orical Society I Markers Program, Rm 454 et Madison, WI 53706
Email your narr	rative text to fitzie.heimdahl@wisconsinhistory.org

The Society will review and approve applications that meet the requirements under Wisconsin Statute s. HS 4.06. An application will be approved or disapproved within 180 days of receipt by the Society. Marker installation will be the responsibility of the applicant. Markers will be shipped and invoiced directly from the marker manufacturer to the applicant.

7 - Research Sources for Narrative Text—Below please list an annotated bibliography that details the primary and secondary research sources cited to support the historic facts included in your narrative text.

Attach photocopies of all supporting documents with this application. Applications without supporting documents cannot be processed. The Society reserves the right to have a marker removed if additional research finds your marker text to be incorrect.

- The Richland Observer April 7, 1988 Val. 27, No. 1 Sec. One. Page One

- Wisconsin Blue Book 1960 pp. 204-206.

- The Milwee Kee Journal Sunday, April 3, 1988
Section B

Item 4.

8 - Historical Markers Price List - Official State of Wisconsin historical markers are made of cast aluminum and have rais cream-colored letters on a brown background. All wall-mounted markers have one side. All post-mounted markers have two sides. NOTE: The estimated cost for posts for a city marker (also known as "History on a Stick") is included in the quoted price below. The estimated cost for posts for the larger two-post marker is extra and not included in the estimated price below. Please check with SEWAH Studios directly to determine the cost of posts. Keep in mind that all the costs below are estimates and can change at any time. We strongly recommend that you contact SEWAH directly to ensure you know what the price will be on any marker you decide to order.

Select the appropriate model for your marker from the list below	Size Height x Width	Model	Details	Total Character Count (Characters counts must include spaces between sentences.)	Price *
O A	16" x 24"	Small City Marker	5/8" lettering, wall mounted	320	\$800
Ов	16" x 24"	Small City Marker	5/8" lettering, post mounted, same text each side	320	\$ <u>1,</u> 070
O c	36" x 24"	City Marker	1" lettering, wall mounted	396 11 lines, 36 spaces each	\$1,900
-) O D	36" x 24"	City Marker	5/8" lettering, wall mounted	848 16 lines, 53 spaces each	\$2,040
○ E	36" x 24"	City Marker	1" lettering, post mounted, same text each side	396 11 lines, 36 spaces each	\$2,150
O F	36" x 24"	City Marker	5/8" lettering, post mounted, same text each side	848 16 lines, 53 spaces each	\$2,300
O	36" x 24"	City Marker	1" lettering, post mounted, different text each side	792 11 lines, 36 spaces each 396 characters per side	\$2,450
Он	36" x 24"	City Marker	5/8" lettering, post mounted, different text each side	1696 16 lines, 53 spaces each 848 characters per side	\$2,520
O I	72" x 54"	Two-Post Marker	1 ½" lettering, post mounted (Posts not included)	1196 26 lines, 46 spaces each	\$6,020
Οı	72" x 54"	Two-Post Marker	1" lettering, post mounted (Posts not inlcuded)	2006 34 lines, 59 spaces each	\$6,550

<sup>\*</sup> Price includes shipping. Prices last updated May 2023. Prices subject to change at any time. Verify all pricing with SEWAH Studios at 1-888-55-SEWAH.

### Other costs:

Post for highway/city markers: \$375 each Posts for 72 x 54 with pyramidal cap: \$950 pair

Refurbish city/highway markers:

\$1200 (includes round trip shipping), with cap repair \$1,450

Refurbish 2-post markers:

\$3,250

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# VERNON W. THOMSON, 1957-59

No Governor in the history of the state came to the governorship with a longer and more thorough apprenticeship in state affairs than Vernon W. Thomson. All of his life and all of his training are connected with Wisconsin and from 1935 to 1957 when he became Governor he had held a state elective office continually. Unlike 3 of his 4 immediate predecessors he was a man of moderate means.

### Early Life

Governor Thomson was born in Richland Center, Wisconsin, November 5, 1905, the son of A. A. Thomson and Ella Wallace Thomson. His father's family was among the early settlers of Monroe County. His father was associated with public education as county superintendent of schools, principal of the Richland County Normal School and supervisor for the State Department of Public Instruction. Vernon, one of 4 children, was reared in Richland Center.

attended Carroll College in Waukesha from 1923-25 where he played basketball, was a member of the debating team and was active in campus politics. He then transferred to the University of Wisconsin where he worked his way through school, graduating in 1927. From 1927-29 he taught in the Viroqua High School and worked as a substitute mail carrier in the summer. From 1929 to 1932 he attended the University of Wisconsin law school, working his way through school as a waiter, teacher and basketball coach.

Although his employment by a governmental unit actually began in 1927 as a teacher, he became intimately associated with the governing process immediately after receiving his law degree in 1932. From 1933 to 1935 he served as assistant district attorney of Richland County and was city attorney from 1933 to 1937 and again from 1942-44.

In addition he was mayor of Richland Center for more than 3 terms beginning in April 1944, and served 11 years as president of the library board of that city.

It was on June 6, 1936, that he married Helen Davis of Viroqua. They spent their honeymoon in Cleveland, Ohio where Thomson was a delegate to the Republican National Convention. They have 2 daughters and a son.

## 1934-50 Legislative Leader

Thomson first ran for the assembly in 1934, 2 years after he graduated from law school. He served 8 consecutive terms, 1935 through 1949. During his last 5 campaigns he had no opposition in the general elections except from write-in or independent candidates. At the beginning of his third term in 1939 he was elected speaker of the assembly, a post he held for 3 consecutive terms.

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Thereafter, he was Republican floor leader during the 1945, 1947 and 1949 sessions.

Among his legislative proposals of lasting effects are those creating the trust fund for veterans' rehabilitation; the local budget law requiring local governments to prepare and publish a budget; reorganization of the Department of Public Welfare; creation of the Department of Taxation and Board of Tax Appeals and authored an early proposal to reorganize the system of higher education. He sponsored one of the early moves to facilitate reorganization of the local school districts by abolishing those with low valuation. Thomson was an expert parliamentarian and an astute partisan

One of the highlights of Thomson's legislative career was the enactment of the Thomson antigambling law in 1945. Although gambling has been prohibited in this state by the Constitution since 1848, in the 1930's and early 1940's gambling was rampant and local enforcement in many areas did not exist. Rigid enforcement of this law quickly curtailed commercial gambling and more than 50,000 slot machines disappeared or were confiscated.

## As Attorney General

In 1950 the Republican nomination for Attorney General was available because for the first time since 1934 there was no Republican incumbent to consider. In the primary of 1950 Thomson defeated Dieterich for the Republican nomination for Attorney General 224,913 to 149,589 and then went on to win the general election by defeating the Democratic candidate, Henry Reuss, 615,309 to 470,057. In 1952 and 1954 Thomson was unopposed in the primary for renomination to the position and defeated his Democratic opponents in the general election.

As Attorney General, Thomson took an active part in seeking more favorable consideration for Wisconsin users of natural gas, in reducing the interstate barriers to Wisconsin dairy products and in enforcement of the laws prohibiting restraints against trade.

### As Governor

Governor Thomson was nominated as the Republican candidate for Governor in 1956 without opposition as the most likely candidate to succeed Governor Kohler who had served 3 terms. He then defeated William Proxmire, the 3-time Democratic candidate, 808,273 to 749,421. He entered office with a Republican majority in both houses of the legislature, but with an articulate minority in opnosition.

The problems of his administration were largely financial because of the constant increase in the demands for governmental services. He did not betray his pledges to operate the government from traditional sources of revenue. Careful budgeting, elimination of nonessentials, broad use of building corporations to construct

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new buildings and rising tax revenues enabled the state to assume a much greater share of the cost of education and leave a surplus in the state treasury of more than \$16,000,000 with no increase in the basic tax rates.

Among the measures enacted into law during the 1957 legislative session was an act to provide group life insurance for state employes, one of the most stringent lobbying laws in the nation, the enactment of a modern motor vehicle code, supervision of welfare funds, the adoption of daylight saving time and the overhauling of of variable annutities. Welfare and educational institutions fared tional buildings.

Governor Thomson adhered closely to the Republican standard throughout his career. Not only was he elected to the several state offices as a Republican, but he was a delegate to 4 national conventions and took a major part in the early proceedings of the 1952 thereafter he was offered a responsible post in the Eisenhower administration by Herbert Brownell, the Attorney General. Early in publican Federation.

A lean man of medium height, Governor Thomson is an immaculate dresser whose graying hair adds dignity to his appearance. He is an excellent speaker with years of training as a debuter. He well-known for the effective use of words on the platform.

The election of November 1958 saw the defeat of Governor Thomson, all the constitutional officers except the Secretary of State, the Republican majority in the assembly and made the bulance of power in the senate much closer. Exactly half of the congressional seats were won by each party. At the time few people had been no bold as to predict this outcome although in retrospect many sensed that all was possible if not probable. The farmers' plight, a mild recession and the nationwide trend foresaw some changes.

Governor Thomson retained his residence in Madison and enlered the private practice of law. While it seems unlikely that a man who had been active in state politics for a quarter of a century should abruptly abandon all political interests and activities, only the unpredictable future will reveal the path Governor Thomson takes in the fulfillment of his hopes and aspirations.

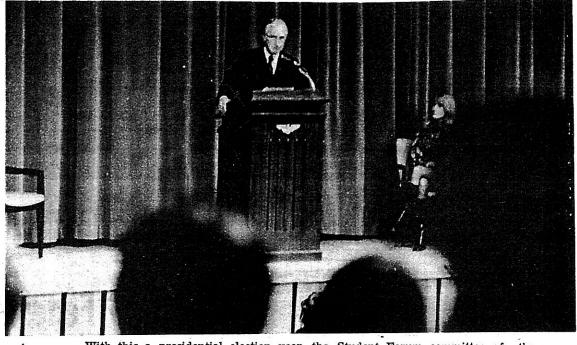


# VERNON W. THOMSON GOVERNOR 1967-1969

Photograph of painting in Executive Suite, State Capitol

Jacobs State Committee

### Congressman Speaks at First of Campus Series



With this a presidential election year, the Student Forum committee of the Richland Campus has issued invitations to leading political figures to address Campus meetings. Cong. Vernon W. Thomson was the first speaker in the series last Friday afternoon and discussed many of the current issues facing the American propole.

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Vernon Thomson--Key to Big Business' Hopes

An Editorial from Capital Times, March 1956.

For 20 Year Rule of State Government

TTY. Gen. Vernon Thomson's

A announcement that he will run for governor is a surprise to no one. It has been obvious for months that the big business elements in this state, who have controlled Wisconsin government for the past 18 years, had settled on him as their choice to extend that

grab." Former Gov. Rennebohm vetoed the bill on the grounds

Thomson will get the campaign contributions from the big corporate interests. On his record, he

control to an even 20 years.

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merits them. From the time that he began serving in the Assembly political campaigns to get the kind of government they want. In those days he was the pivot man in a big business triumvirate

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that "the cost to the state would

Even the Wisconsin State Jour-nal blasted the bill as "one of the most brazen and fantastic grabs at the public purse in the long and antastic history of the railroad

sible for a law that handed the railroads \$250,000 yearly from state funds to help them pay the

costs of safety devices at railroad

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that ran the Assembly. The other two members were Reuben Peter-

labor legislation, in the fight to impose income tax secrecy, to THUMSON has taken a leading part in the passage of antiknock out taxation based on ability to pay and just about anything the big GOP contributors asked for. More than any other member of the Legislature he was respon-

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