

Wexford Village Homeowners Association

Annual Meeting

Dec. 4, 2012

High Point Church

7702 Old Sauk Road

- 1) George Dreckmann, who runs the city of Madison's recycling department, explained changes to the city's recycling program, and answered questions.
 - a) Some key changes include the program accepting the following
 1. Empty paint cans and lids
 2. Pots and pans
 3. Faucets
 4. Power hand tools
 5. Small appliances, such as toasters
 6. Additional plastics, such as dairy and deli containers
 - b.) Things that are prohibited are:
 1. crunchy bags, like those inside bread bags
 2. brown or dark brown bags
 3. Motor oil containers
 4. bubble wraps
 - c.) Dreckmann also talked about a pilot project that the city is starting to recycle contaminated waste, such as diapers and dog waste, which would be taken to a digester and made into methane gas, which would be used to fuel trucks.
 - d.) For more information go to the city's recycling website at:
<http://www.cityofmadison.com/streets/recycling/>
- 2.) Ald. Mark Clear than made a presentation highlighting issues such as.
 - a.) the city hiring a new company, Pelitteri, to do recycling in the neighborhood
 - b.) He addressed the issue of the traffic circle at Sawmill and Westfield roads. He said the city's plan would allow for Wexford Village volunteers to do planting, and the city would buy the plants.
 - c.) Volunteers would have to sign a release holding the city harmless for injuries, but they would be covered under the same insurance plan as city workers
 - d.) Clear offered to meet with the board to discuss these issues further
 - e.) He also noted that funding for the Wexford Park ice rink is intact; some other parks lost funding, including Garner Park
 - f.) Clear also discussed whether residents would like some traffic calming features on Longmeadow Road. He said he'd be happy to do a survey of Longmeadow residents to determine if they would like the city to do that. The work would be done when the city repaves sections of Longmeadow this spring
- 3.) Following Ald. Clear's comments, board members summarized the board's activities for the year.
4. The meeting was adjourned at 8:30 p.m.