

**MINUTES OF THE
STE. GENEVIEVE BOARD OF ALDERMEN
REGULAR MEETING
THURSDAY – FEBRUARY 11, 2021**

CALL TO ORDER. Mayor Hassler called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. and all stood for the Pledge of Allegiance .

ROLL CALL. A roll call by City Clerk Pam Meyer showed the following members present:

Mayor Paul Hassler	
Alderman Joe Prince	Alderwoman Susie Johnson
Alderman Mike Jokerst	Alderman Jeff Eydmann
Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster	Alderman Gary Smith
Alderman Mike Raney	

Absent: Alderman Bob Donovan

APPROVAL OF AGENDA. A motion by Alderman Eydmann, second by Alderman Prince to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Donovan absent.

PRESENTATION/AWARDS. None.

PERSONAL APPEARANCE. None.

CITY ADMINISTRATORS REPORT. (See Attached Report)

STAFF REPORTS.

Dave Bova – Community Development Administrator (See Attached Report)

Gary Roth – Field Operations Supervisor (See Attached Report)

Toby Carrig – Tourism Director (See Attached Report)

COVID DISCUSSION. City Administrator Welch relayed some information from the Governor regarding the covid vaccinations and their availability.

COMMITTEE REPORTS. None.

PUBLIC COMMENTS. None.

CONSENT AGENDA.

- Minutes – Board of Aldermen – Regular Meeting – January 28, 2021
- Minutes – Board of Aldermen – Work Session – January 28, 2021
- **RESOLUTION 2021-25.** A RESOLUTION BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN DECLARING CERTAIN SURPLUS PROPERTY.
- **RESOLUTION 2021-26.** A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF STE. GENEVIEVE, MISSOURI AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A PROPERTY MAINTENANCE AGREEMENT WITH GLENNON & TERRY ROTH TO MAINTAIN FLOOD BUYOUT PROPERTY.
- **RESOLUTION 2021-27.** A RESOLUTION RE-APPOINTING CASEY BENNER TO THE STE. GENEVIEVE TOURISM ADVISORY COUNCIL.

A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderman Prince to remove Resolution 2021-27 from the Consent Agenda. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Donovan absent.

A motion by Alderman Smith second by Alderman Eydmann to approve the Consent Agenda as amended. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Donovan absent.

RESOLUTION 2021-27. A RESOLUTION RE-APPOINTING CASEY BENNER TO THE STE. GENEVIEVE HERITAGE COMMISSION.

A motion by Alderman Eydmann second by Alderman Smith to approve Resolution 2021-27 as amended. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Donovan absent.

OLD BUSINESS.

BILL NO. 4407. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A PROPOSAL FOR PROFESSIONAL DESIGN SERVICES WITH COCHRAN ENGINEERING FOR WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT ON FOURTH STREET FROM BILTMORE STREET TO ROBERTS STREET AND AMENDING THE WATER FUND #30 - LINE ITEM 8000 INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENTS. 2nd READING. A motion by Alderman Prince, second by Alderman Smith, Bill No. 4407 was placed on its second and final reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a roll call vote as follows: Ayes: Alderwoman Susan Johnson, Aldermen Joe Prince , Alderman Jeff Eydmann, Alderman Mike Raney, Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster, Alderman Gary Smith and Alderman Mike Jokerst. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Bob Donovan absent. Thereupon Bill No. 4407 was declared Ordinance No. 4329 signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk.

BILL NO. 4408. AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF STE. GENEVIEVE, MISSOURI AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF STE. GENEVIEVE AND THE STE. GENEVIEVE MUNICIPAL BAND. 2nd READING. A motion by Alderman Prince, second by Alderman Smith, Bill No. 4408 was placed on its second and final reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a roll call vote as follows: Ayes: Alderwoman Susan Johnson, Aldermen Joe Prince , Alderman Jeff Eydmann, Alderman Mike Raney, Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster, Alderman Gary Smith and Alderman Mike Jokerst. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Bob Donovan absent. Thereupon Bill No. 4408 was declared Ordinance No. 4330 signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk

BILL NO. 4409. AN ORDINANCE ALLOWING THE 2021 SHOW ME GREEN SALES TAX HOLIDAY TO APPLY TO THE LOCAL SALES TAXES OF THE CITY OF STE. GENEVIEVE, MISSOURI BETWEEN APRIL 19 AND APRIL 25, 2021. 2nd READING. A motion by Alderman Jokerst, second by Alderman Eydmann, Bill No. 4409 was placed on its second and final reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a roll call vote as follows: Ayes: Alderwoman Susan Johnson, Aldermen Joe Prince , Alderman Jeff Eydmann, Alderman Mike Raney, Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster, Alderman Gary Smith and Alderman Mike Jokerst. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Bob Donovan absent. Thereupon Bill No. 4409 was declared Ordinance No. 4331 signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk

BILL NO. 4410. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF STE. GENEVIEVE AND STE. GENEVIEVE COUNTY TO ASSIST IN THE FUNDING AND COOPERATION OF THE STE. GENEVIEVE COUNTY RECYCLING CENTER. 2nd READING. A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderman Prince, Bill No. 4410 was placed on its second and final reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a roll call vote as follows: Ayes: Alderwoman Susan Johnson, Aldermen Joe Prince , Alderman Jeff Eydmann, Alderman Mike Raney, Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster, Alderman Gary Smith and Alderman Mike Jokerst. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Bob Donovan absent. Thereupon Bill No. 4410 was declared Ordinance No. 4332 signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk

BILL NO. 4411. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF STE. GENEVIEVE AND STE. GENEVIEVE COUNTY FOR THE COUNTY TO PROVIDE 911 DISPATCHING SERVICES FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2021. 2nd READING. A motion by Alderwoman Johnson, second by Alderman Eydmann, Bill No. 4411 was placed on its second and final reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a roll call vote as follows: Ayes: Alderwoman

Susan Johnson, Aldermen Joe Prince , Alderman Jeff Eydmann, Alderman Mike Raney, Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster, Alderman Gary Smith and Alderman Mike Jokerst. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Bob Donovan absent. Thereupon Bill No. 4411 was declared Ordinance No. 4333 signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk

NEW BUSINESS.

BILL NO. 4413. AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF STE. GENEVIEVE APPROVING A TAX-EXEMPT EQUIPMENT LEASE/ PURCHASE AGREEMENT WITH FIRST STATE COMMUNITY BANK FOR THE PURCHASE OF TWO POLICE VEHICLES. 1ST & 2ND READING. A motion by Alderman Prince, second by Alderman Eydmann, Bill No. 4413 was placed on its first reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a 7-0-1 vote with Aldermen Donovan absent. A motion was made by Alderwoman Johnson, second by Alderman Prince to proceed with the second and final reading of Bill No. 4413. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Donovan absent. A motion by Alderman Prince, second by Alderman Smith, Bill No. 4413 was placed on its second and final reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a roll call vote as follows: Ayes: Alderwoman Susan Johnson, Alderman Mike Jokerst, Alderman Joe Prince, Alderman Jeff Eydmann, Alderman Gary Smith, Alderman Mike Raney and Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster. Nays: None. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Bob Donovan absent. Thereupon Bill No. 4413 was declared Ordinance No. 4334 signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk.

BILL NO. 4414. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A THREE YEAR CONTRACT FOR THE PROVISION OF CEMETERY LAWN MOWING AND MAINTENANCE SERVICES WITH K & J LANDSCAPING OF STE. GENEVIEVE, MISSOURI IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED FIFTY THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$50,400.00) OVER 3 YEARS AND AMENDING THE CEMETERY FUND #27 LINE ITEM 7065--CONTRACT LABOR. 1ST READING. A motion by Alderman Jokerst, second by Alderman Prince, Bill No. 4414 was placed on its first reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a 7-0-1 vote with Aldermen Donovan absent.

BILL NO. 4415. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH VIKING MISSISSIPPI, LLC. TO ASSIST AND COORDINATE TOURS. 1ST READING. A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderwoman Johnson, Bill No. 4415 was placed on its first reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a 7-0-1 vote with Aldermen Donovan absent.

BILL NO. 4416. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND EXECUTE A TOUR AGREEMENT WITH FRENCH COLONIAL AMERICA TO COORDINATE TOURS. 1ST READING. A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderwoman Johnson, Bill No. 4416 was placed on its first reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a 7-0-1 vote with Aldermen Donovan absent.

BILL NO. 4417. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE PURCHASE OF A 2021 FORD F-350 SUPERCAB 4 X 4 FOR THE WATER DEPARTMENT FROM JOE MACHENS FORD IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THIRTY TWO THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED FIFTY TWO DOLLARS (\$32,352.00). 1ST & 2ND READING. A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderman Prince, Bill No. 4417 was placed on its first reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a 7-0-1 vote with Aldermen Donovan absent. A motion was made by Alderwoman Johnson, second by Alderman Smith to proceed with the second and final reading of Bill No. 4417. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Donovan absent. A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderman Prince, Bill No. 4417 was placed on its second and final reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a roll call vote as follows: Ayes: Alderwoman Susan Johnson, Alderman Mike Jokerst, Alderman Joe Prince, Alderman Jeff Eydmann, Alderman Gary Smith, Alderman Mike Raney and Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster. Nays: None. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Bob Donovan absent. Thereupon Bill No. 4417 was declared Ordinance No. 4335 signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk.

BILL NO. 4418. AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH BADER LAND SURVEYING, INC, TO SURVEY A SECTION OF LEVEE PROPERTY FOR FUTURE CONVEYANCE. 1ST READING. A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderman Eydmann, Bill No. 4418 was placed on its first reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a 7-0-1 vote with Aldermen Donovan absent.

BILL NO. 4419. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AND EXECUTE A SERVICE AGREEMENT WITH FORWARD SLASH TECHNOLOGY, LLC FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT SERVICES. 1ST READING. A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderman Prince, Bill No. 4419 was placed on its first reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a 7-0-1 vote with Aldermen Donovan absent. A motion was made by Alderman Smith, second by Alderman Prince to proceed with the second and final reading of Bill No. 4419. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Donovan absent. A motion by Alderman Smith, second by Alderman Prince, Bill No. 4419 was placed on its second and final reading, read by title only, considered and passed by a roll call vote as follows: Ayes: Alderwoman Susan Johnson, Alderman Mike Jokerst, Alderman Joe Prince, Alderman Jeff Eydmann, Alderman Gary Smith, Alderman Mike Raney and Alderwoman Ashley Armbruster. Nays: None. Motion carried 7-0-1 with Alderman Bob Donovan absent. Thereupon Bill No. 4419 was declared Ordinance No. 4336 signed by the Mayor and attested by the City Clerk.

OTHER BUSINESS. None

MAYOR/BOARD OF ALDERMEN COMMUNICATION. None

ADJOURNMENT. With no further business Mayor Hassler adjourned the meeting at 6:28 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by,



**Pam Meyer
City Clerk**

CITY ADMINISTRATOR REPORT

February 11, 2021 UPDATE 1

1. The health committee and water/sewer committees have had their first meetings and are giving great input into how we will want to proceed with each issue and I think we will be able to move forward on both issues by the end of February. The water/sewer committee will be meeting after the work session tonight.
2. We only used 10 tons of snow from the last snow storm so we are still in good shape on salt this winter. HOWEVER! We had to buy another 100 tons due to the snow and ice we've been dealing with the last few days and need to be ready for the next snowfall which sounds like Sunday into Monday and later in the week.
3. I will be at an area city managers meeting Wednesday, February 17 in Cape Girardeau and city offices will be closed for President's Day Monday, February 15.
4. We have added two GIS maps to our website under the Building Department tab: Zoning and Historic Districts. You can click on those links and see the zoning map or the two historic districts and historic properties. On the zoning map we have also added sidewalk mapping we drew up as part of a committee that was formed by the hospital for Safe Places to Walk.
5. The audit is done and Victoria Dailey from Sikich (Formerly of HB & Co.) will be presenting it at our February 25 board meeting.
6. The MML Legislative Conference was interesting as we heard about legislation that affects municipalities. Wayfair legislation is making its way through again so that all online and catalog purchases pay sales tax. Franchise fees are being looked at, as well as tax caps for cities and counties capping the total amount of taxes they can approve. There is also discussion about firefighters and Workers Compensation claims from illnesses brought on by exposure to chemicals and smoke and it encompasses paid and volunteer firefighters.
7. I am working on a way to tie in the TV stations microphones with our Zoom application but the Chromebook is not allowing me to hook in a separate microphone input for Zoom. I will keep working on a solution so those on Zoom can hear people at the podium better.

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Community Development February 2021 Staff Report

Activities for 1/13/21 – 2/9/21

Historic Preservation – Heritage Commission

- Meeting – January 25th; next tentative meeting – Mon, Feb. 22nd
- Approved 2 COAs; Denied 1 COA; Tabled 1 COA until Feb. mtg.
- SHPO Historic Preservation Grant – plans being finalized

Building Department / Code Enforcement

- Occupancy Permits / Inspections 36
- Building Permits Issued 2
- Demolition Permits 0
- Sign Permits 1
- Chicken Permits 1 (renewals)
- Special Use Permits 0
- Old plans organized – awaiting cabinet construction

Rental Housing Advisory Commission

- Nothing new to report – next tentative meeting March/April

Planning & Zoning

- No February mtg; next tentative meeting – Thu, Mar. 4th

Board of Adjustment

- Nothing new to report.

Floodplain Management

- Flood Prep Letters mailed out Feb. 5th; FB post this week also

Property Maintenance

- 2018 Focus Properties Remaining 8
- Nuisance Property Issues 5
- Vegetation Nuisance Issues 0
- Building Code Violation Issues 1

Training

- Planning & Zoning UMSL Chancellor's Certificate – completed 12/9/20
- Missouri Humanities Council Webinar – attended 1/21 & 1/28/21
- Preservation Advocacy & 117th Congress Webinar – attended 1/28/21
- International Code Compliance Residential Building Code Webinar Series - ongoing



Street and Park January/ February

- Repaired snow equipment
- Replaced lights downtown
- Patched potholes
- Repaired section of floor at the Welcome Center
- Started painting trash barrels
- Painted and replaced the rope on the flag pole at Main Street Park
- Plowed snow
- Trimmed trees
- Repainted crosswalk at the hospital
- Mulched the Welcome Center where the bushes were removed

Tourism Report

For Ste. Genevieve Board of Aldermen (February 11, 2021)

WELCOME CENTER

Installation of the Missouri bicentennial photo exhibit was delayed until Monday, February 15, due to the weather. It was scheduled to take place on Thursday, February 11.

The display consists of four columns (each 4 foot by 4 foot by 8 foot) with 200 photos from throughout the state and reflecting the cultural diversity as well as the changes in seasons.

We have purchased a bicentennial flag to fly at the Welcome Center as well.

During the same period of the photo exhibit — February 15 through Tuesday, March 2 — we also will have a display of the entries from Ste. Genevieve Middle School in the bicentennial art contest.

Jefferson National Parks Association will be installing a wall-mounted rack for merchandise in the Welcome Center on Wednesday, February 17. The rack will be near the door and take about 8 feet in width and come up to 6 feet 9 inches in height, just under some existing wall fixtures. This will allow them to offer hoodies, shirts and additional items.

EVENTS

— The **Chocolate Walk** (sponsored by the Downtown Sainte Genevieve organization) was sold out, although there were a few no-shows and refunds due to the threat of bad weather late in the day on Saturday, February 6. With good weather, the Welcome Center hosted 348 people that day, one of our biggest numbers since the June 1, 2020, reopening. Several took extra time to check out the exhibits in the building.

— The Ste. Genevieve County Community Center is hosting its first **Touch-A-Truck** event on Saturday, April 24.

— While some events have been canceled, some have been added, such as the **Pioneer Days** on May 22 and May 23 at Sassafraz Creek Originals on St. Mary's Road; and the **Honey Festival and Market** being coordinated by Harold's Famous Bee Co. for June 26 and June 27.

I have been in contact with the coordinators of both of those events regarding logistics and needs.

— The Museum Learning Center is expected to have a grand opening event in April.

PRINT MATERIALS

Several hundred of our event cards returned from the printers in time to be handed out at the Chocolate Walk. Rather than print the entire year, due to the changing nature of events at the moment, we printed six months and teased some of the events on the backside with additional information.

The exhibit at the Centre for French Colonial Life, for one, was evolving during this entire time. It will focus on the Ste. Genevieve militia and its participation in the 1780 American Revolutionary War battle in present-day St. Louis at Fort San Carlos. They also recently pinned down an opening date of May 8.

Harold's scheduled its event just after we went to print, but the event is late enough in June to be included in the next printing of cards, which we would hope to have available in time for French Heritage Festival and the Big BAM cycling event.

Our full-color rack cards were completed on Tuesday, February 9, and were to be delivered to our distributor on receipt of payment, which went out last week.

Our distributor, CTM Media, had about 15 percent remaining of previous rack cards from 2019 that we had given them to place on rack stands at hotels and welcome centers throughout Missouri. They also said Jefferson County rack cards were seeing high volume over the last six months.

Our downtown map/guides is going through a final OK from various parties included in the publication and should be heading to the printer this week if it has not gone out already.

Examples and attachments of all items are included in this packet.

I am planning one other print publication which will be a booklet to serve as a comprehensive guide.

STATE GRANT PROGRAM

The good news in regard to the Missouri Division of Tourism’s Marketing Matching Grant 2.0 program is that we can receive an award of \$21,741.

After the completion of this report but throughout this week, I worked on the application process. The deadline is Friday, February 19.

I also sent a note to members of the Tourism Tax Commission and Tourism Advisory Commission seeking their advice on utilizing those funds, if we wanted to consider television, radio, billboards, print, more digital and social media so we can include that intended use in our application.

This \$21,741 will require no match.

It will be in addition to the \$8,663 we will be utilizing in a social media campaign as part of the MMG 1.0 program with a 90-10 match.

WELCOME CENTER NUMBERS

The total number of visitors for the month of January was 380.

Weather is a large factor in January but this month surpassed January totals of the last two years (343 in 2019 and 365 in 2020).

The first week of February surpassed that at 393, including 348 on Saturday, February 6, for Chocolate Walk.

DAY	DATE	DLY	WKLY	DAY	DATE	DLY	WKLY
Friday	Jan. 1	—		Friday	Jan. 22	16	
Saturday	Jan. 2	30	120	Saturday	Jan. 23	52	141
Sunday	Jan. 3	17		Sunday	Jan. 24	11	
Monday	Jan. 4	2		Monday	Jan. 25	0	
Tuesday	Jan. 5	14		Tuesday	Jan. 26	2	
Wednesday	Jan. 6	5		Wednesday	Jan. 27	6	
Thursday	Jan. 7	4		Thursday	Jan. 28	0	
Friday	Jan. 8	11		Friday	Jan. 29	24	
Saturday	Jan. 9	28	81	Saturday	Jan. 30	6	49
Sunday	Jan. 10	24		Sunday	Jan. 31	4	
Monday	Jan. 11	2		Monday	Feb. 1	2	
Tuesday	Jan. 12	3		Tuesday	Feb. 2	7	
Wednesday	Jan. 13	13		Wednesday	Feb. 3	12	
Thursday	Jan. 14	7		Thursday	Feb. 4	6	
Friday	Jan. 15	0		Friday	Feb. 5	14	
Saturday	Jan. 16	26	75	Saturday	Feb. 6	348	393
Sunday	Jan. 17	21		Sunday	Feb. 7	8	
Monday	Jan. 18	27		Monday	Feb. 8	1	
Tuesday	Jan. 19	4					
Wednesday	Jan. 20	2					
Thursday	Jan. 21	19					

January figures

2014	343
2015	547
2016	485
2017	416
2018	543
2019	393
2020	365
2021	380

February figures

2014	682
2015	833
2016	1,053
2017	1,034
2018	1,237
2019	775
2020	518
2021	402*

* through February 8.

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Monthly Operations Report

Date: **January, 2021**

Calls for Assistance:

- SGFD responded to **6** emergency calls in **January**
- Total so far this year are **6** calls, **down 17** calls from last year

Staffing:

- SGFD roster is down 8. Due to the fireman being volunteer, openings will occur
- Volunteers are still needed to form an applicant list, contact any SGFD firefighter if interested

Training: (FYI, all monthly training is done after hours or on weekends)

- **Monthly Training was switched to video based and was on forcible entry**

Meetings Attended

Ozark Firefighters meetings – **Cancelled**
Bi County Chiefs Meeting - **Cancelled**

Technical Rescue: (FYI, all Tech Rescue training is done after hours or on weekends in addition to regular monthly training)

- Nothing to report

Facility: LED Lighting

Administration side complete. Almost complete, work has slowed due to covid distancing

Apparatus & Equipment Maintenance:

Have Specs for the new 1 ton truck for brush truck replacement.
Bids have been received and are being reviewed now

Fire Radio

Our base station radio went out at the fire house. Currently exploring options repair or replace.

Grants

Community Foundation Grant deadline was February 5 this year. This is a “no matching fund grant”.

We applied as the Ste Genevieve Fire Department for a new base 2 way radio and emergency lighting for the new brush truck

We applied as the Ste Genevieve County Technical Rescue Team for 2 ice rescue suits and 2-1 hour scba/confined space air supply bottles

County Firefighters Assn.:

Nothing to report

Local & State Mutual Aid:

- Nothing new to report

Misc.

- **Participated with the funeral of past Fire Chief Jerry Roth by supplying some retired equipment, raising the flag and at the funeral service.**

KnoxBox Program

Approved Box for – Ste. Genevieve Do It Center (2 locations) – Waiting for installs
Windcrest Apts – Waiting on Install

THE POINT- Installed

Ultra Flow – Installed

The New License Office – Installed

We now have 35 installed boxes in the city and 3 waiting to be installed.