



Council Agenda Item

Meeting Date: June 17, 2025

Agenda Item: Consideration for installing a Sharps Container at the Municipal Building

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BACKGROUND

(Enter the who, what, when, where, why)

A citizen and a council member recently inquired whether the City of Whitewater has a Sharps container available for public use. At this time, the City does not provide a public Sharps container for the disposal of medical waste. However, a drug drop box is available in the lobby of the municipal building, where citizens can dispose of prescription medications in pill form, over-the-counter medications, vitamins, and pet medications.

Please see the attached quote from Stericycle, which includes the cost for servicing (emptying) the waste container, as well as the price for the container itself and its installation.

PREVIOUS ACTIONS – COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS

(Dates, committees, action taken)

N/A

FINANCIAL IMPACT

(If none, state N/A)

Attached.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

N/A

ATTACHMENT(S) INCLUDED

(If none, state N/A)

Quote from Stericycle. Cost of container and wall mount.