News Release

Stoughton Utilities

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Francis Vogel, Executive Director of the Wisconsin Clean Cities – Southeast Area Inc. On Behalf Of The Wisconsin Clean Transportation Program Helps Mayor Donna Olson Proclaim Public Power Week.

On September 7, 2009, Mayor Donna Olson met with Stoughton Utilities employees to proclaim September 19-25, 2010 as Public Power Week in Stoughton, Wisconsin, and to urge all citizens to recognize the contributions of our Stoughton Utilities employees for one hundred and nineteen years of dedicated electric service. The Stoughton Electric Utility was founded in 1891.

Pictured with Mayor Olson and Stoughton Utilities employees from the Electric, Wastewater and Water Divisions is Francis Vogel, Executive Director of the Wisconsin Clean Cities - Southeast Area, Inc. on behalf of the Wisconsin Clean Transportation Program. This Recovery and Reinvestment Act program provided Stoughton Utilities with \$200,000 to fund two plug-in electric hybrid bucket trucks; one of which is pictured. "We commend Stoughton Utilities for aiding to reduce petroleum dependence and improve air quality through the deployment of advanced-technology vehicles" said Vogel.

Stoughton Utilities will be hosting an open house on Tuesday, September 21, 2010, from 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. at the Stoughton Utilities Office at 600 S. Fourth St. where the truck will be exhibited for the public.