

City of Aurora

Office of the Aldermen -Meeting Room 60 East Downer Place Aurora, IL

Government Operations Committee Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday July 14, 2015 4:30 PM

Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns Alderman Edward Bugg Alderman Carl Franco Alt - Alderman Rick Mervine

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: 3 - Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns, Alderman Edward Bugg and Alderman Carl Franco

OTHERS PRESENT

Mark and Betty Shervy, Kristin Mahr, Barb Thurlby, Karen Whitney, Paul Klinger, Kleo Jendo, Brian Napleton, William Burns

City of Aurora: Alderman Bill Donnell; Alderman Rick Mervine; Alderman Lynne Johnson; Eric Gallt, Engineering; Rick Guzman, Mayor's Office; Ken Maurice, Youth and Senior Services; Gina Moga, Special Events

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

15-00573

Approval of the minutes of the Government Operations Committee meeting held on Tuesday, June 23, 2015.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that the minutes be accepted and filed. The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

AGENDA

<u>15-00281</u>

A Traffic Study for the intersection of Cheshire Drive and McCoy Drive. Ward 8, Alderman Mervine.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for denial (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

<u>15-00309</u> A Traffic Study for the Ashland Avenue and Lafayette Street intersection. Ward 4, Alderman Donnell.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for denial (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

15-00325 A Parking Study for E. Pleasure Court in the 500 block. Ward 4, Alderman Donnell

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for denial (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

A Traffic Study for Traffic Calming in the backyard of 990-992 Alyce
Lane on E. Indian Trail near Traffic Signal. Ward 1, Alderman
Bohman

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for denial (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

15-00501 A Traffic Study for Hammond Avenue between Illinois Avenue and Florida Avenue. Ward 6, Alderman Saville.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to installation of two additional speed limit signs. Placement to be coordinated with the Traffic Engineer. (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

<u>15-00503</u> A Traffic Study for Howell Place. Ward 3, Alderman Mesiacos.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

<u>15-00509</u> A Parking Study for Trade Street on the west side next to Napleton's Valley Hyundai. Ward 10, Alderman Johnson.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to replacing NO PARKING THIS STREET on the west with NO PARKING THIS SIDE. Replace the east side NO PARKING THIS STREET with NO PARKING with a directional arrow 50 feet from the north driveway and 50 feet from the south curve (information only). The motion carried.

Aves: 3

15-00518 A Parking Study for College Avenue in the 600 block. Ward 2, Alderman Garza.

A motion was made by Alderman Franco, seconded by Alderman Bugg, that this agenda item be recommended for denial (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

15-00519 A Traffic Study for Princeton Avenue in the 3500 block. Ward 10, Alderman Johnson.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to placement of a temporary speed hump(information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

15-00558 A Traffic Study for Conifer Court by Evergreen Lane. Ward 10, Alderman Johnson.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for denial (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

<u>15-00556</u> A Traffic Study for the Trask Street and Midlane Drive intersection. Ward 1, Alderman Bohman.

A motion was made by Alderman Franco, seconded by Alderman Bugg, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to installing a one-way STOP sign on Midlane Drive approaching Trask Street (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

<u>15-00557</u> A Parking Study for Edinburgh Lane in the 2000 block. Ward 7, Alderman Hart-Burns.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to NO PARKING BETWEEN SIGNS installed on the inside curve approximately 30-feet from each approach in the vicinity of 2017 Edinburgh Lane (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

<u>15-00576</u> A Traffic Study for the Watson Street and Simms Street intersection. Ward 3, Alderman Mesiacos.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to replacing the 2-Way Yield signage on Watson Street approaching Simms Street with 2-ay

Stop signage (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

15-00587 A Parking Study for Eastwood Drive in the 1300 block. Ward 6, Alderman Saville.

A motion was made by Alderman Franco, seconded by Alderman Bugg, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to yellow paint 5 feet from each side of the driveways in this area (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

<u>15-00582</u> Hike for Hesed Walk from River St. to Benton St. to Broadway to the Aurora Transportation Center by Sidewalks, Saturday, October 3,

2015 from 8:00am to 11:30am.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

Multisport Aurora Duathalon 2 Mile Run on Barnes Road between Prairie and W. Galena Blvd, and 20K Bike at Blackberry Farm and Various Surrounding Roads on Sunday, August 23, 2015 from 7:00am to 12:00pm.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

15-00611 New England Church is requesting permission to close Chestnut for their Fall Picnic on September 13, 2015 from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

15-00612 Communities in Schools is requesting traffic control assistance to stage the annual Back to School Fair on Saturday, August 15, 2015 on Fourth, Downer and Benton from 7:30 am to 2:00 pm.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

15-00613 Requesting approval of additional street closures and barricades to #15-00208 for the Friends of LaSalle Street Historic Auto Row Car

Show on August 23, 2015.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this meeting be adjourned. The motion carried. Chairperson Hart-Burns adjourned the meeting at 5:22 p.m.

Ayes: 3

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