



# City of Aurora

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

## Government Operations Committee Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday

May 13, 2014

4:30 PM

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*Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns*  
*Alderman Ted Mesiacos*  
*Alderman Lynne Johnson*  
*Alderman Rick Mervine (Alt)*

### CALL TO ORDER:

Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns called the meeting to order at 4:31 p.m.

### ROLL CALL

**Present:** 3 - Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns, Alderman Ted Mesiacos and Alderman Lynne Johnson

### OTHERS PRESENT

Nga Huynh, Denis Witek, Sarada Mohapatra, Dr. Felix Williams, Jaime Rodriguez, Marisol Guadarrama, Genna Tiffany, Max Dickman, J. Koliopoulos, William Burns

City of Aurora: Rick Guzman, Mayor's Office; Gina Moga, Special Events; Ken Maurice, Youth and Senior Services

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

[14-00341](#)

Approval of Minutes of the Government Operations Committee meeting held on Tuesday, April 22, 2014.

A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that the minutes be approved and filed. The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

### AGENDA

[14-00285](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class E City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Brody Holdings, Inc., d/b/a Brody's Irish Pub, located at 1941 W. Galena Bl).

A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval. The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

[14-00306](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class C and Class F City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Roundy's Illinois, LLC., d/b/a Mariano's, located at 3025 E. New York St.).

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval. The motion carried.**

Ayes: 3

[14-00350](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class E City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Grand East China, Inc., d/b/a East China Inn, located at 3450 Montgomery Rd.).

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval. The motion carried.**

Ayes: 3

[14-00357](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class A City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Last Call Operating Co. I, Inc., d/b/a Fox & Hound Sports Tavern, located at 4320 E. New York St.).

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval. The motion carried.**

Ayes: 3

[14-00360](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class E City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Patio Restaurant of Aurora, Inc., d/b/a Patio Restaurant, located at 4400 Fox Valley Center Dr.).

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval. The motion carried.**

Ayes: 3

[14-00363](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of class E City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Piedra Azul, Inc., d/b/a La Quebrada, located at 723 S. Broadway).

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval. The motion carried.**

Ayes: 3

[14-00374](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class G City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Carniceria El Paso Grande Corp., d/b/a El Paso Grande, located at 634 E. New York St.).

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval. The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00351](#)

Requesting approval to stage the City of Aurora's annual 4th of July Parade to be held on Friday, July 4th at 10:00 am.

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

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00312](#)

Requesting approval to dedicate East Avenue between North Avenue and 4th Avenue as Walter E. Truemper Lane on Saturday, May 17th at Noon.

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

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00344](#)

Sri Jagannath Society of Greater Chicago Chariot Festival, Sunday June 29, 2014 from 1:00pm to 3:00pm.

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

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00212](#)

A Traffic Study for the California Avenue and N. Commonwealth Avenue intersection, investigating speeding and possible need for four-way STOP signage. Ward 6, Alderman Saville (Held in Committee at the April 8, 2014 meeting.) (Held in Committee at the April 22, 2014 meeting.)

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

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00214](#)

A Traffic Study for the Oakhill Drive/Palm Springs Lane/Peachtree Circle intersection to determine the warrants for STOP signage in addition investigate stop installations at intersections of Glen Eagle Drive with both Oak Hill Drive and Hamman Way. Ward 10, Alderman Johnson (Held in Committee at the April 22, 2014 meeting.) (Held in Committee at the May 13, 2014 meeting.)

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be held for two weeks. The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00321](#)

A Traffic Study on the 600 Block of Smith Blvd. Ward 3, Alderman Mesiacos (Held in Committee at the May 13, 2014 meeting.)

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be held for four weeks. The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00254](#)

A Traffic Study for Ohio Street between Liberty Street and Kane Street. Wards 2 & 7; Alderman Garza and Alderman Hart-Burns

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to Operations will be required to install speed limit sign (information only). The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00256](#)

A Traffic Study on Thornapple Way to Investigate Parking Concerns. Ward 7, Alderman Hart-Burns

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to providing the fire hydrant in question with painted Red Curb per city standards (information only). The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00265](#)

A Traffic Study for Chase Lane and Foxridge Court for the possibility of installing 25 mph Speed Limit signage. Ward 1 & 10 Alderman Bohman and Alderman Johnson

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

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00307](#)

A Traffic Study for the intersection of Monomoy Street and Gladstone Street. Ward 6; Alderman Saville

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for denial (no action) (information only). The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00283](#)

A Traffic Study for Fred Rodgers School arrival and dismissal traffic congestion. Ward 2; Alderman Garza

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for denial (no action) (information only). The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00319](#)

A Traffic Study for the 1100 Block of Jericho Road and related traffic concerns Ward 4, Alderman Donnell

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to installing an actuated flashing No Left Turn when Flashing sign on westbound Jericho Road and provide a no right turn sign to be utilized by the Pantry traffic control staff (information only). The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

[14-00338](#)

A Traffic Study for Liberty Street west of the railroad tracks Ward 10, Alderman Johnson

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to placing Do Not Block Driveway signage for eastbound traffic at the driveway located at 3401 E. Liberty Street (information only). The motion carried.**

**Ayes: 3**

## **ADJOURNMENT:**

**A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be adjourned. The motion carried. Chairman Hart-Burns adjourned the meeting at 5:33 p.m.**

**Ayes: 3**

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