



City of Aurora

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

Government Operations Committee Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday

April 28, 2015

4:30 PM

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

CALL TO ORDER:

Acting Chairman Ted Mesiacos called the meeting to order at 4:31 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: 3 - Alderman Ted Mesiacos, Alderman Lynne Johnson and Alderman Rick Mervine

OTHERS PRESENT

Gabe Nanni, Jan Mangers, Mike Eckburg, David Lewis, David Weaver, Chris Bauler, Deborah Davis

City of Aurora: Rick Guzman, Mayor's Office; Gina Moga, Special Events; Sara Townsend, City Clerk's Office; Eric Gallt, Engineering

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

15-00328

Approval of the minutes of the Government Operations Committee meeting held on Tuesday, April 14, 2015.

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

Ayes: 2

AGENDA

15-00119

A Parking Study for N. River Street in the 300 and 400 block. Ward 6, Alderman Saville.

A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mervine, that this agenda item be held. The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

- 15-00278** A Traffic Study for Mesa Lane and Savannah Drive. Ward 1, Alderman Bohman.
- A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mervine, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to accept the traffic study and forward to the HOA (information only). The motion carried.**
- Ayes: 3**
- [15-00305](#) A Resolution to approve the issuance of a Music Festival permit to Two Brothers for the Summer Festival to be held at Two Brothers on Friday, June 26, Saturday, June 27 and Sunday, June 28, 2015.
- A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mervine, that this agenda item be recommended for approval. The motion carried.**
- Ayes: 3**
- 15-00318** Two Brothers Brewing Company is requesting approval to stage the Two Brothers Summer Festival June 26 through 28, 2015.
- A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mervine, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.**
- Ayes: 3**
- [15-00168](#) Special Note: This year's El Dia de los Niños festival was postponed from the original date of April 25, 2015 due to sustained rain and high winds. The event has been rescheduled for the following Saturday, May 2, 2015 and all other details remain exactly the same. The G.O. Committee had previously approved: The Aurora Hispanic Heritage Advisory Board's request to stage El Dia de los Niños on Saturday, April 25, 2015 from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm. at the spring and Lincoln parking lot.
- A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mervine, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.**
- Ayes: 3**
- 15-00319** The Aurora Regional Fire Museum is requesting permission to stage the Chicagoland Emergency Vehicle Show on August 7 and 8, 2015 in downtown Aurora.
- A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mervine, that this agenda item be recommended for approval (information only). The motion carried.**
- Ayes: 3**

15-00353 Requesting permission to stage the Chicagoland Emergency Vehicle Show Procession through Aurora on Friday, August 7, 2015.

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

Ayes: 3

15-00356 The Roosevelt-Aurora American Legion Post 84 and Auxiliary members to solicit donations via the annual Poppy Days May 21, 22 and 23, 2015 at pre-approved / selected stores, businesses and the Aurora train stations on Broadway and Rt. 59, from the sidewalks and not from the streets.

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

Ayes: 3

15-00333 Residents of Ward 10 request permission to hang blue ribbons on trees, signs, etc. along Indian Trail, Eola Road, and New York Street in Ward 10 to honor the Aurora Police Department during National Police Week. Ribbons will be hung on Saturday, May 9 and taken down on Sunday, May 17, 2015 - Alderman Lynne Johnson, Ward 10.

A motion was made by Alderman Mervine, seconded by Alderman Johnson, that this agenda item be forwarded as information only. The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Alderman Johnson, seconded by Alderman Mervine, that this meeting be adjourned. The motion carried. Acting Chairman Ted Mesiacos adjourned the meeting at 4:54 p.m.

Ayes: 3

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