



# City of Aurora

PHST Committee Meeting  
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44 East Downer Place  
Aurora, IL 60507

## Public Health, Safety, and Transportation Committee Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday

September 29, 2020

3:00 PM

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*Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns*

*Vice Chair Patty Smith*

*Alderman Ted Mesiacos*

*Alderman Judd Lofchie*

*Alderman Mike Saville*

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### **CALL TO ORDER:**

Chairperson Hart-Burns called the meeting to order at 3:00pm.

### **ROLL CALL**

**Present:** 5 - Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns, Vice Chair Patty Smith, Alderman Ted  
Mesiacos, Alderman Judd Lofchie and Alderman Mike Saville

## OTHERS PRESENT

Kim Bright, Attorney; John Murphey, Attorney

City of Aurora:

Rick Veenstra, Corporation Counsel; Clayton Muhammad, Community Relations and Public Information; Miguel Flores, IT; Deb Lang, Law Department; Sherman Jenkins, Alderman At Large; Alex Voigt, Mayor's Office; Alex Alexandrou, Mayor's Office; Jessica Price, Purchasing; Paris Lewbel, Aurora Police Department; Maria Lindsay, Mayor's Office; Cristal Colon, Aldermen's Office.

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES

**20-0604**

Approval of the minutes from the Public Health, Safety and Transportation Committee meeting held on September 8, 2020.

A motion was made by Alderman Saville, seconded by Alderman Mesiacos, that this agenda item be accepted and filed. The motion carried.

Ayes: 4

Abstain: 1

## PUBLIC COMMENT

## AGENDA

[20-0581](#)

A Resolution Directing the Preparation of an Ordinance Establishing a Civilian Review Board to Review Matters Involving the Police Department.

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

Ayes: 5

## ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Vice Chair Smith, seconded by Alderman Saville, that this meeting be adjourned. Chairperson Hart-Burns adjourned the meeting at 4:11pm. The motion carried.

Ayes: 5

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