



City of Aurora

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

Government Operations Committee Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday

August 11, 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 4:31 p.m.

ROLL CALL

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

OTHERS PRESENT

David Green, Raymond Froehlich, Julian Sturges Vargas, Brian Foster, Joe Kosner, Rafael Baglioli, Sandra Espana, Fran Caffee, William Burns

City of Aurora: Sara Townsend, Deputy City Clerk; Wendy McCambridge, City Clerk; Gina Moga, Special Events; Alderman Bill Donnell; Rick Guzman, Mayor's Office; Alderman Juany Garza; Alex Voigt, Mayor's Office

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

15-00685

Approval of the minutes of the Government Operations Committee meeting held on Tuesday, July 28, 2015.

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

Ayes: 3

AGENDA

[15-00656](#)

A Resolution requesting approval for Digits Media LLC to have a Music Festival during their Cock-A-Doodle Festival Event on Saturday, October 10, 2015 be held at Hollywood Casino Parking Lot, 201 N. River Street.

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

Ayes: 3

[15-00701](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class E City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially related to application from: Pepper Flower dba Szechuan House, located at 4309 E. New York Street, Aurora, Illinois.*).

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

Ayes: 3

[15-00711](#)

A Resolution approving the issuance of a Music Festival permit to Family Focus, 550 Second Avenue, for the Roots Aurora Event on Saturday, September 26, 2015 from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

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

Ayes: 3

[15-00717](#)

A Resolution approving the issuance of a Circus License to Circo Hermanos Vazques for a circus to be held at the Fox Valley Mall located at 195 Fox Valley Center on September 4 - 14, 2015.

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

Ayes: 3

[15-00720](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class E City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially related to application from: U SAMBA Corp, dba U Samba? located at 37 W. New York Street, Aurora, Illinois.*).

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

Ayes: 3

[15-00676](#)

The Knights of Columbus of Illinois St. Rita of Cascia Council 14825 submitted a charitable solicitations campaign permit application to conduct their 46th Annual Tootsie Roll Drive on two dates only, September 5, 2015 and September 12, 2015, on the street corners of Indian Trail and Orchard Road to raise funds for individuals with intellectual disabilities.

A motion was made by Alderman Bugg, seconded by Alderman Franco, that this agenda item be recommended for approval as amended to September 12 and 19, 2015 (information only). The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

[15-00693](#)

The Knights of Columbus Council #4849 of Illinois submitted a charitable solicitations campaign permit application to conduct their annual Intellectual Disabilities/Tootsie Roll Fund Drive from September 11-13, 2015 to raise funds for individuals with special needs.

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

Ayes: 3

[15-00680](#)

Requesting approval to stage the City of Aurora Veterans Day Parade and Ceremony downtown on Wednesday, November 11, 2015 beginning at 10:15 am.

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

Ayes: 3

[15-00629](#)

Block Party Request - Monica Henley is requesting block party permit for the 700 block of W Downer Place between S Russell Ave. and S Lancaster Ave Saturday, September 19, 2015 from 9:00 am to dusk.

A motion was made by Alderman Franco, seconded by Alderman Bugg, 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 5:15 p.m.

Ayes: 3

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