



City of Aurora

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

Government Operations Committee Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday

June 13, 2017

4:30 PM

Alderman Scheketa Hart-Burns, Chairman
Alderman Rick Mervine
Alderman Judd Lofchie,
Alderman Carl Franco, Alternate

CALL TO ORDER:

Chairman Hart-Burns called the meeting to order at 4:31 pm

ROLL CALL

Present: 3 - Chairperson Scheketa Hart-Burns, Alderman Rick Mervine and Alderman Judd Lofchie

OTHERS PRESENT

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Angelique Miller, Open Door Health Center; Peter Andriopoulos, Papa Bear Restaurant; Fernando Castrejon, Leland Legends; Kevin Schnable, McCarty Elementary School; Sanjay Patel, Pari A Inc.; Obe Arellano, Community Christian Church; C. Axersen; William Burns

CITY OF AURORA:

Ken Maurice, Youth & Senior Services; Wendy McCambridge, City Clerk; Sara Townsend, Deputy City Clerk; Gina Moga, Special Events; Mike Nelson, Special Events; Alex Voigt, Asst. Chief of Staff, Mayor's Office; Carl Franco, 5th Ward Alderman; Jeane Beck, Administrative Aide, Aldermen's Office

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

17-00485

Approval of the minutes from Government Operations Committee meeting held on Tuesday, May 23, 2017.

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

Ayes: 3

AGENDA

[17-00527](#)

An Ordinance Amending Chapter 2 Article II of the Aurora Code of Ordinances Entitled, "Administration" (Mayoral Transportation Expenses).

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00251](#)

A Resolution Requesting approval for Calvary Temple Church to have a Music Festival during their "50th Anniversary Festival" event on Sunday, July 2, 2017

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00396](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class E City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: ERJ Dining IV, LLC d/b/a Chili's Grill & Bar, Aurora).

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

Ayes: 3

17-00503

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class C City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: OM Sainath Liquor Inc, dba: Royal Food & Liquor, 335 E. Indian Trail, Aurora, IL 60505).

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00504](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class C City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Pari 4 Inc., dba: Foremost Liquors, 176 S. Broadway, Aurora, IL 60505).

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00510](#)

A Resolution Requesting Approval of a Music Festival Permit for Leland Legends Pub & Grill as part of their LelandFest event on August 12th, 2017, to be held at Stolp Avenue between Galena and Downer.

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00323](#)

Leland Legends is requesting permission to close Stolp from Galena to Downer for Leland Fest on Saturday, August 12, 2017 from 1:00 to 11:00 pm.

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00526](#)

A Resolution establishing the maximum number of Class E City of Aurora liquor licenses (*unofficially* related to application from: Papa Bear of Aurora, Inc., dba: Papa Bear Restaurant, 2340 N. Farnsworth, Aurora, IL 60502).

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00488](#)

McCarty Elementary School Mustang Pride 5K, Saturday, September 30, 2017 from 8:00am to 10:00am.

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00454](#)

Open Door Health Center of Illinois is requesting permission to utilize McCarty Park on June 24, 2017 as part of National HIV Testing Day.

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00505](#)

Requesting approval to dedicate Sheridan Street between Mountain and Lehnertz as Robert C. Wegman Way on Saturday, June 17, 2017 at 11:00 am.

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00512](#)

Riverfront Playhouse is requesting permission to stage Shakespeare on the Mall at Mundy Park and Water Street Mall, July 22, 2017 from 7:00 to 9:30 pm.

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

Ayes: 3

[17-00525](#)

Community Christian Church 78 S LaSalle St - Serving and Blessing Commuters with a hot cup of coffee (no charge) Aurora Train Station once a week on Thursday morning (June 15 thru Sept 14) through the Summer months.

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

Ayes: 3

17-00533

ADD-ON: Information Only - Juneteenth June 17, 2017 at Dr. Martin Luther King Park

This Information/Discussion Only was discussed and filed

17-00535

ADD-ON: Information Only - Church Jesucristo Es La Verdad Family Picnic on June 24, 2017 at Dr. Martin Luther King Park

This Information/Discussion Only was discussed and filed

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Alderman Mervine, seconded by Alderman Lofchie, that this meeting be adjourned. Chairman Hart-Burns adjourned the meeting at 4:53 pm. The motion carried.

Ayes: 3

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