



City of Aurora

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

Government Operations Committee Meeting Minutes - Final

Tuesday

August 28, 2018

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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Anthony Leazzo, Our Lady of Mercy; Fidel Valerio, Hills Banquet Hall; George Hall, Rotary Club; Joseph Beary, St Rita of Cascia K of C; Dan Weller, Kelly Miller Circus; Dan Barreiro, Knights of Columbus #736; William Burns

CITY OF AURORA:

Sara Townsend, City Clerk; Jessica Kalal, Law Dept.; Gina Moga & Mike Nelson, Special Events; Bob Greene, Traffic Engineer; Alex Voigt, Asst. Chief of Staff, Mayor's Office; Bill Donnell, 4th Ward Alderman; Jeane Beck, Administrative Aide, Aldermen's Office

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

18-0649

Approval of the minutes of the Government Operations Committee meeting held on Tuesday, July 24, 2018

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

Ayes: 3

18-0731

Approval of the minutes for the Government Operations Committee meeting held on Tuesday, August 14, 2018

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

Ayes: 2

PUBLIC COMMENT

No Public Comment

AGENDA

[18-0661](#)

A Resolution Approving the Issuance of a Music Festival Permit for Our Lady of Good Counsel located at 620 S. Fifth Street, for Sunday, September 23, 2018 from 11:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

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

Ayes: 3

[18-0744](#)

A Resolution Requesting approval for the issuance of a Carnival License and a Music Festival permit to Our Lady of Mercy Church / Alpine Amusement Company, Inc. as part of their Mercy Fest event held on October 4th, 2018 through October 7th, 2018.

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

Ayes: 3

[18-0745](#)

A Resolution Requesting approval for Hills Banquet Hall to have a Music Festival as part of their 2018 Tardeada Mexicana event to be held on Saturday, September 22nd, 2018.

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

Ayes: 3

[18-0751](#)

A Resolution Requesting approval for the issuance of a Circus License to Kelly Miller Circus for a circus to be held at the Fox Valley Shopping Center on September 19 - 23, 2018.

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

Ayes: 3

[18-0757](#)

A Parking Study for 950 Oliver Avenue, Ward 4, Alderman Donnell.

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

[18-0721](#)

The Rotary Club of Aurora is requesting permission to hold the annual Festival of Lights at Phillips Park, November 23 through December 26, 2018.

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

[18-0722](#)

The City of Aurora is requesting approval to stage the Veterans Day Procession and Ceremony on Sunday, November 11, 2018 at 10:15 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

[18-0724](#)

Aurora Downtown is requesting permission to stage Octo Street Fest on Saturday, October 13, 2018 from 2:00 to 7:00 pm on Pinney Street.

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

[18-0726](#)

Tag Day: Knights of Columbus Council #14825 Tootsie Roll Drive fundraiser September 14 to September 29, 2018 at various intersections (Orchard Rd & Indian Trail and Orchard Rd & Sullivan Rd) in Aurora.

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

[18-0734](#)

Tag Day: Kiwanis Club of Aurora Annual Peanut Day fundraiser September 11th through December 31, 2018 at various locations in Aurora as well as the Train Stations.

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

[18-0755](#)

Tag Day: Boy Scouts Troop 81 Annual Fundraiser Pancake Breakfast at Metea Valley High School. They be at various residential streets on east side bordering Naperville and 204 School District from September 8 to October 21, 2018

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

[18-0725](#)

Tag Day: Knights of Columbus Council #736 Tootsie Roll Drive fundraiser September 8 to September 16, 2018 at various intersection in Aurora.

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

HELD

[17-00733](#)

A Parking Study for the entire Echo Lane. Ward 10, Alderman Lofchie.

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

ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Alderman Mervine, seconded by Alderman Lofchie, that this meeting be adjourned. The motion carried. Chairman Hart-Burns adjourned the meeting at 4:57 pm.

Ayes: 3

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