



**REGULAR MEETING
OF THE
BURBANK CITY COUNCIL
October 23, 2024**

CALL TO ORDER	The meeting of October 23, 2024 was called to order by Mayor Dan M. Foy at 7:30 PM in the Council Chambers at 6530 West 79 th Street Burbank, Il.
ROLL CALL	A roll call by Clerk Gilgenberg indicated the following members present: Ald. Barb Gagle, Ald. Robert Contreras, Ald. Sheri Gustafson, Ald. Claude Haerr, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, Ald. Thomas Phillips, Mayor Dan Foy, and Clerk Gilgenberg. Absent: Ald. John Pacella Also in attendance: City Attorney Vince Cainkar.
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE	Mayor Foy asked all to rise for the Pledge of Allegiance.
JOURNAL	Mayor Foy asked for a motion to approve the minutes of the October 9, 2024 meeting. The motion was made by Ald. Contreras and seconded by Ald. Gagle with unanimous approval by voice vote and so declared by the Chair.
CURRENT BILLS	Mayor Foy then asked for a motion to approve the current list of bills. The motion was made by Ald. Contreras and seconded by Ald. Haerr. A roll call indicated 6 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Ald. Barb Gagle, Ald. Robert Contreras, Ald. Sheri Gustafson, Ald. Claude Haerr, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, and Ald. Thomas Phillips
ADMINIS-TRATION REPORT	No report filed for the meeting
CLERK’S REPORT	Clerk Gilgenberg reported the Com-Ed energy saving program that focuses on HVAC settings is up and running with the full cooperation of the department heads. The city should save thousands of dollars per year on this program.
TREASURER’S REPORT	No report filed for the meeting
ORDINANCES / PETITIONS / RESOLUTIONS	<p>Ald. Haerr made a motion seconded by Ald. Gustafson to approve Resolution NO. 10-1-24. A resolution authorizing the execution of a subrecipient agreement for project number 2406-004 under the County of Cook Community Development Block Grant Program. A roll call indicated 6 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Ald. Barb Gagle, ALD. Robert Contreras, Ald. Sheri Gustafson, Ald. Claude Haerr, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, and Ald. Thomas Phillips. Motion passed</p> <p>Ald. Contreras made a motion seconded by Ald. Piznarski to approve Resolution NO. 10-2-24. A resolution of the City of Burbank adopting the updated Cook County Multijurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan. A roll call indicated 6 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Ald. Barb Gagle, ALD. Robert Contreras, Ald. Sheri Gustafson, Ald. Claude Haerr, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, and Ald. Thomas Phillips. Motion passed</p>
COMMITTEE REPORTS	Ald. Robert Contreras reported that on October 25, 2024, there will be a midway airport Noise Abatement meeting.

POLICE DEPT. REPORT	Chief Garcia reported he will be attending the CPD graduation ceremony for a new Burbank Officer on Friday the 1 st of November. Also, on November 14, Chief Garcia will attend the Crime Stoppers board meeting where one of his officers will receive an award.
FIRE DEPT. REPORT	Chief Kreil informed City Council and the audience that the McDonalds on 79 th street will host a fund raiser which includes fill the boot, and slushy competition. Slushy competition is between the fire department and Reavis High School. Chief Kriel praised owner Randy Conn for all his support of the City of Burbank.
BUILDING AND ZONING	Building Commissioner Joe Hession informed City Council and the audience that the building department has issued 32 contractors licenses and 164 building permits.
PUBLIC WORKS REPORT	Director Burris informed City Council and the audience that they are ready for winter. The salt shed is full with over 1000 tons of salt as well as full calcium chloride tanks.
CITY ENGINEER REPORT	City Engineer Tim Geary updated City Council on the road and street light projects. The sod placement has been finished.
OLD BUSINESS	No old business was brought before City Council
NEW BUSINESS	Ald. Gagle made a motion seconded by Ald. Contreras to approve the 12-Hour Work Schedule MOU between the City of Burbank and the Illinois Council of Police. A roll call indicated 6 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Ald. Barb Gagle, ALD. Robert Contreras, Ald. Sheri Gustafson, Ald. Claude Haerr, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, and Ald. Thomas Phillips. Motion passed
Citizens Report	<p>A resident from 7833 Linder asked Mayor Foy for help with the parking problems on 78th Street between Luna and Central. Issues of parking permits were brought up. Mayor Foy asked Chief Garcia to look into the issues.</p> <p>Business owner Adam from Havana Smoke, 8522 Cicero, was present and asked Mayor Foy about getting permission to keep his security bars on his business despite being ticketed recently for violating the Burbank Municipal Code prohibiting its use. After a lengthy discussion, Mayor Foy advised the owner to comply with the order to remove the bars.</p> <p>Business owner Oscar from Vape Stop, 8050 Cicero, was present and also asked about keeping his security bars up despite installing them without permits. Mayor Foy advised the business owner he too must remove them. Mayor Foy stated to both business owners that he will sit with Chief Garcia and see if there is anything that can be done, but until then, the bars must come down.</p> <p>Resident from 8618 Major asked Mayor Foy for advice on how to get rid of the rat problem in Burbank. Mayor Foy advised the resident to call Stickney Township for the rat abatement program. The resident stated he has already tried this but the rat problems around his house remain. Mayor Foy told the resident he will speak to him after the meeting about what steps he can suggest.</p>
ADMINIS- TRATION	<p>Mayor Foy asked that any Reavis High School students needing their government class forms signed could do so at the adjournment of the meeting.</p> <p>There being no further business, the Chair asked for a motion to adjourn. The motion was made by Alderwoman Gustafson and seconded by Alderman Contreras with unanimous approval and so declared by the Chair. The meeting was adjourned at 8:02 PM.</p>