

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BURBANK CITY COUNCIL October 9, 2024

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of October 9, 2024 was called to order by Mayor Dan M. Foy at 7:30 PM in the Council Chambers at 6530 West 79th 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. John Pacella, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, Ald. Thomas Phillips, Mayor Dan Foy, and Clerk Gilgenberg. 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 September 25, 2024 meeting. The motion was made by Ald. Contreras and seconded by Ald. Pacella 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. Gagle. A roll call indicated 7 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Ald. Barb Gagle, Ald. Robert Contreras, Ald. Sheri Gustafson, Ald. Claude Haerr, Ald. John Pacella, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, and Ald. Thomas Phillips

ADMINIS-TRATION REPORT Mayor Foy informed City Council and the audience that Randy Conn, owner of McDonalds on 79th Street, is holding a fund raiser for Reavis High School and the Burbank Fire Department. The month of October he will count red and blue slushy purchases. Red for Fire Department, Blue for Reavis. Winner will receive \$500.00 from Randy. On October 19th from 1:00 to 4:00pm, McDonalds will host a Fill the Boot fundraiser with the Fire Department.

Mayor then reported the recycle day held on Saturday October 5th was a success. There were 130 that came through throwing out 90 pounds of medications and 2000 pounds of paper to be shredded along with lots of TV's and electronics. Mayor Foy already booked the event for next year on October 5, 2025.

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

Ald. Piznarski made a motion seconded by Ald. Contreras to approve Ordinance NO. 17-10-24. AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A VARIATION TO ALLOW THE CONSTRUCTION OF A SIX-FOOT FRONT/SIDE YARD FENCE FOR THE PROPERTY LOCATED AT 6947 WEST 84TH STREET, BURBANK, ILLINOIS A roll call indicated 7 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Ald. Barb Gagle, ALD. Robert Contreras, Ald. Sheri Gustafson, Ald. Claude Haerr, Ald. John Pacella, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, and Ald. Thomas Phillips. Motion passed

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Ald. Robert Contreras reported that on October 25, 2024, there will be a midway airport Noise Abatement meeting.

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POLICE DEPT. REPORT	Chief Garcia reported the police department started implementing their crash Accident Reporting procedures. This will streamline and make more efficient paperwork handling. Chief then reported he has held a public meeting as well as several on site school meetings to address the recent school threats that have been made. Chief said he will be keeping a close eye of any developments. Lastly, Chief Garcia reports the department is at 1375 arrest year to date.
FIRE DEPT. REPORT	Chief Kreil informed City Council and the audience that the new Squad 2 vehicle apparatus should be delivered in the first part of November. Chief also stated the new Autism Awareness program is up and running and doing well. Several residents have applied and received the materials.
BUILDING AND ZONING	No report filed for this meeting
PUBLIC WORKS REPORT	Director Burris informed City Council and the audience that the new plow trucks are still waiting for some parts before they can be delivered.
CITY ENGINEER REPORT	City Engineer Tim Geary updated City Council on the progress of the paving and street light projects. Tim also added that ComEd just notified him that Burbank will receive an additional \$55,000.00 for the LED street lighting project provided we finish by the end of October. He assured Mayor Foy we will be finished in time.
OLD BUSINESS	No old business was brought before City Council
NEW BUSINESS	Ald. Gagle made a motion seconded by Ald. Haerr to approve the hiring of Kamil Pierwola to Firefighter/Paramedic for the Burbank Fire Department. Candidate will be sworn in by Fire and Police Commissioner Chris Wiest. A roll call indicated 7 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Ald. Barb Gagle, ALD. Robert Contreras, Ald. Sheri Gustafson, Ald. Claude Haerr, Ald. John Pacella, Ald. Mitchell Piznarski, and Ald. Thomas Phillips. Motion passed Mayor Foy read a short bio of FF/PM Pierwola
Citizens Report	No report brought before City Council
	Mayor Foy asked that any Reavis High School students needing their government class forms

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 7:41 PM.

APPROVED

signed could do so at the adjournment of the

David E Gilgenberg II, Clerk

meeting.

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