



CITY COUNCIL MEETING

CITY OF EVANSTON, ILLINOIS
LORRAINE H. MORTON CIVIC CENTER
2100 RIDGE AVENUE, EVANSTON 60201
COUNCIL CHAMBERS
Monday, September 19, 2011
7:00 p.m.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

- (I) Roll Call – Begin with Alderman Rainey
- (II) Mayor Public Announcements
Piven Theatre 40th Anniversary Workshop Day Proclamation
- (III) City Manager Presentations and Announcements
“10,000 Neighbors Campaign” Presented by Citizen’s Greener Evanston
Car Free Day – September 22, 2011
Green Living Festival – September 24, 2011
National Public Lands Day – September 24, 2011
- (IV) Citizen Comment
Members of the public are welcome to speak at City Council meetings. As part of the Council agenda, a period for citizen comments shall be offered at the commencement of each regular Council meeting. Those wishing to speak should sign their name, address and the agenda item or topic to be addressed on a designated participation sheet. If there are five or fewer speakers, fifteen minutes shall be provided for Citizen Comment. If there are more than five speakers, a period of forty-five minutes shall be provided for all comment, and no individual shall speak longer than three minutes. The Mayor will allocate time among the speakers to ensure that Citizen Comment does not exceed forty-five minutes. The business of the City Council shall commence forty-five minutes after the beginning of Citizen Comment. Aldermen do not respond during Citizen Comment. Citizen comment is intended to foster dialogue in a respectful and civil manner. Citizen comments are requested to be made with these guidelines in mind.
- (V) Recess: Special Town Meeting and Budget Discussion
- (VI) Reconvene as City Council for Special Orders of Business
- (VII) Adjournment

SPECIAL TOWNSHIP MEETING

(T1) Township of Evanston Organization Structure and Financial Issues Options

Staff recommends Board of Trustees receive report on Township organizational structure and financial issues and provide direction to staff.

Suspension of Rules is requested for Introduction and Action on Ordinance 2T-O-11, Proposed Budget and Appropriation Ordinance for Town Purposes for Second Half of Fiscal Year 2011/12 Ending March 31, 2012.

For Introduction and Action

SPECIAL ORDERS OF BUSINESS

(SP1) 2012 Goal Setting Session

Staff recommends City Council consider changes, additions or deletions to the list of City Council goals.

For Action

(SP2) Health Department Update

Staff recommends that City Council members review the Health Department update, including: Northwestern University donation; "Let's Move" video; and status of Federally Qualified Health Center.

For Presentation

(SP3) West Oakton Committee Report

Staff recommends that City Council members review the West Oakton Committee Report. In addition the City Manager has written a memo regarding this subject.

For Action

(SP4) Frank Govern Memorial Golf Course

Staff recommends that the City Council receive this update on the status of the operation of the Frank Govern Memorial Golf Course.

For Discussion

(SP5) 311 Center 2nd Quarter Report Presentation

Staff recommends that City Council review the 2nd Quarter 311 Report.

For Discussion

(SP6) License Plate Recognition Proposal Presentation

Staff recommends City Council review the License Plate Recognition proposal.

For Discussion

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