



CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

**CITY OF EVANSTON, ILLINOIS
LORRAINE H. MORTON CIVIC CENTER
JAMES C. LYTTLE COUNCIL CHAMBERS
Monday, May 15th, 2017
7:00 pm**

Present:

Alderman Fiske	Alderman Suffredin
Alderman Braithwaite	Alderman Revelle
Alderman Wynne	Alderman Rainey
Alderman Wilson	Alderman Fleming
Alderman Rue Simmons	(9)

Absent:

None (0)

Presiding:

Mayor Stephen Hagerty

Mayor's Public Announcements

**Devon Reid
City Clerk**

Mayor Hagerty announced his resignation from the boards of Youth and Opportunity United (Y.O.U) and First Bank & Trust.

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City Manager’s Public Announcements

None

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City Clerk’s Communications

Clerk Reid announced the City Clerk’s office will be open 8:30 AM - 7:00 PM, Monday-Friday.

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Public Comment

Wendy Pollock, Co-Chair of the Environment Board	Spoke in opposition to the requested (MWRD) easement through Isabella Woods.	Watch
Carl Bova	Spoke in opposition to the requested (MWRD) easement through Isabella Woods.	Watch
Linda Damashek, Evanston Parks and Lakefront Alliance	Spoke in opposition to the requested (MWRD) easement through Isabella Woods.	Watch

Special Order of Business

Resolution 50-R-17, Registering the City’s Objection to Cook County’s Roadway Easement Request through Property Owned by the MWRD and Leased by the City of Evanston

Registers the City’s objection to the roadway easement requested by Cook County through Isabella Woods, property owned by the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District and leased by the City of Evanston.

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For Action

Motion: Ald. Revelle

Adopted (9-0)

Collective Bargaining Summary - Process

The City of Evanston has four collective bargaining units: Fraternal Order of Police (FOP) - Officers, Fraternal Order of Police – Sergeants, International Association of FireFighters Local 742 (IAFF), American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees (AFSCME). Presently the City is in negotiations with FOP Officers, IAFF, and AFSCME. City negotiation teams meet with the respective union leadership team to discuss changes to the contracts regarding all allowable bargaining issues.

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For Discussion

**Presentation: Marty Lyons,
Assistant City Manager**

Call of the Wards

- Ward 1: Alderman Fiske announced a 1st Ward meeting on June 6th at the Downtown Library 7-9 PM. [Watch](#)
- Ward 2: Alderman Braithwaite invited members of the council and public to the Penny Park ribbon cutting on May 27th at noon. [Watch](#)
- Ward 3: Alderman Wynne announced June 1st office hours at Brothers K from 7:00 -10:00 AM. [Watch](#)
- Ward 4: No Report [Watch](#)
- Ward 5: Alderman Rue-Simmons announced a potluck and ward meeting sponsored by (WEST) on May 18th. Moving forward ward meetings will be held every 3rd Thursday at Gibbs Morrison. [Watch](#)
- Ward 6: Alderman Suffredin recognized Willard teacher Gene Luft on her impending retirement. [Watch](#)
- Ward 7: No Report [Watch](#)
- Ward 8: Alderman Rainey announced a Clyde/Brummel park meeting with Director Hemingway to discuss uses of the park. [Watch](#)
- Ward 9: Alderman Fleming announced a series of ward meetings May 25th 7 PM at Chute and May 27th 9 AM at Pope John Paul. [Watch](#)

Adjournment

Mayor Hagerty called for a voice vote to adjourn the City Council meeting, and by unanimous vote the meeting was adjourned at 7:30pm. The council proceeded into executive session.