CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING

CITY OF EVANSTON, ILLINOIS
LORRAINE H. MORTON CIVIC CENTER
JAMES C. LYTLE COUNCIL CHAMBERS
Monday, October 16th, 2017

Present:

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

Absent:

Presiding: Mayor Stephen Hagerty

Devin Reid
City Clerk
Mayor’s Public Announcements

Mayor Hagerty Announcements and Proclamation: October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month. Bird Sanctuary in partnership with Rotary International is planting trees to bring back wildlife in Evanston.

City Manager’s Public Announcements

City Manager Wally Bobkiewicz Announcement: 3CMA honored 2 Silver Circle Savvy Awards for the work provided by Martha Logan, Patrick Dennigan and others. Fight Like A Girl campaign. Domestic Violence Awareness Month and YWCA conducting “Purple Purse” campaign to raise funds.

City Clerk’s Communications

City Clerk had 1 Communications: No Announcement

Public Comment

Sergio Hernandez  Thanks City Council for making the commitment for protecting of immigrants through the “Welcoming Ordinance” but asks to implementation of protecting individuals from deportation  

Junad Rizky  Believes City Staff is presenting misinformation on Peckish Pig restaurant  

Kris Davis  Previous City Clerk that discussed change in the Clerk’s Office  

Alex Morgan  In favor of paying a few cents for the Lyft corporation proposition  

James Genden  City Clerk’s office “hiring and firing” powers and proposition to resolving the issue.  

Ted Smukler  Concerns about the wording of Ordinance in regards to the “Equity and Empowerment Committee”  

Priscilla Giles  Wants to remind City Council when voting they are representing the less fortunate in the community.
Betty Ester: Wants a proposal to address the concerns on how the Evanston Police will handle interaction with the African-American community. Watch

Jackie Prince: The problem with being homeless in Evanston and being to provide better service to those affected. Watch

**Special Order of Business**

(SP1) **Approval of September 18, September 25, October 2, October 4 and October 9 City Council Meeting Minutes**


For Action

Approved 9-0

Motion: Ald. Wilson

(SP2) **Authorization and Budget Allocation for Hiring Special Legal Counsel**

City Clerk City Clerk Reid requested that the City Council authorize him to retain special legal counsel to advise his office on matters related to duties and functions of the office as well as allocate funds for such services.

For Action

Item removed from Agenda

Corporation Counsel directed to produce a memo on hiring of Deputy Clerk's.

Motion: Ald. Suffredin

(SP3) **Howard Street Economic Development Report- Peckish Pig and Ward Eight**

City Council received the Howard Street Economic Development Report and file as requested by Alderman Rainey.

For Action:

Accepted and Placed on File (9-0)

Motion: Ald Braithwaite

(SP4) **Resolution 81-R-17, Collective Bargaining Agreement with the Fraternal Order of Police – Officers**

City Council approved of Resolution 81-R-17 to authorize the City Manager to execute a collective bargaining agreement with the Fraternal Order of Police – Officers bargaining unit effective January 1, 2017 through December 31, 2018.
City Council approval will ratify the tentative agreements executed throughout the negotiation process.

**For Action**

Passes 9-0

(SP5) **Ordinance 85-O-17, Creating Title 2, Chapter 12 of the City Code Forming an “Equity and Empowerment Commission”**

City Council adopted Ordinance 85- O-17, Amending Title 2, Chapter 12 of the Evanston City Code, which creates the Equity & Empowerment Commission.

**For Action**

Passes 9-0

(SP6) **For Appointment:**

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| Citizen Police Complaint Assessment Committee, Chair | Matthew Mitchell – Braithwaite

**For Action**

Approved 9-0

(SP7) **2018 Proposed Budget**

City Council presented a summary of the 2018 Proposed Budget as the beginning of the complete review through November.

**For Discussion**
Call of the Wards

Ward 1: 1st Ward Meeting on October 24th at the Marion at 7 p.m. and congratulations to Northwestern 6th place in the National competition held by the Department of Energy. Watch

Ward 2: Thanks to Mayor and residents to welcoming the new business Sharper Edge and 4th and 2nd Ward meeting on October 26th at the Crown Center at 7:30 p.m. Watch

Ward 3: 3rd Ward Meeting on Thursday October 26th at Lincoln school from 7 to 8:80 p.m. Watch

Ward 4: 4th and 2nd Ward meeting on October 26th at the Crown Center at 7:30 p.m. Watch

Ward 5: 5th Ward Meeting at Gib Morrison and participate in Breast Cancer Awareness Watch

Ward 6: 6th and 7th Ward meeting at Three Crowns November 2nd at 7 p.m. to discuss Budget. Watch

Ward 7: No Report Watch

Ward 8: Had an 8th and 9th ward meeting with City Manager. Upcoming capital fundraiser at Peckish Pig for project on Howard St. Watch

Ward 9: Thanks residents for attending join Ward meeting. Welcomed Ice House Gallery that just opened. Reminder to be courteous to bikers Watch

Adjournment

Mayor Hagerty called a voice vote to adjourn the City Council meeting, and by unanimous vote the meeting was adjourned. Ald. Wilson made a motion to move Council into Executive Session by a unanimous vote.