

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BURBANK CITY COUNCIL OCTOBER 26, 2022

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting of October 26, 2022 was called to order by Mayor Dan M. Foy at 7:30 PM in the Council Chambers at 6530 West 79th Street Burbank, II.

ROLL CALL

A roll call indicated the following members present: Alderwoman Barb Gagle, Alderman Robert Contreras, Alderwoman Sheri Gustafson, Alderman Claude Haerr, Alderman Mitchell Piznarski, Alderman Thomas Phillips, Mayor Dan M. Foy, Clerk Barry J. Szymczak and Treasurer Dave Viverito. Absent: Alderman 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 October 12, 2022. The motion was made by Alderman Contreras and seconded by Alderwoman Gustafson 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 Alderman Contreras and seconded by Alderwoman Gagle. A roll call indicated 6 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Alderwoman Gagle, Alderman Contreras, Alderwoman Gustafson, Alderman Haerr, Alderman Piznarski and Alderman Phillips.

CLERK'S REPORT No report was filed for this meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT No report was filed for this meeting.

ORDINANCES / PETITIONS / RESOLUTIONS No ordinances, petitions or resolutions were introduced for this meeting.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

No reports were filed for this meeting.

POLICE DEPT. REPORT Chief Jack Garcia reported that he has acquired 5 openings at 2 of the Police Training centers for January 2023. The Fire-Police Commission is presently reviewing test candidates for possible placement.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING (CONT'D.)

FIRE DEPT. REPORT Battalion Chief Robert Brown was in attendance and had no report to file.

BUILDING AND ZONING Commissioner Hession reported 24 Contractor licenses approved along with 144 permits issued in the past 30 days.

PUBLIC WORKS REPORT Director Burris reported that tree trimming is continuing along 79th Street.

CITY ENGINEER REPORT City Engineer Geary reported that the City Hall Parking Lot Project is underway and should be completed in about a month. Street paving will continue next week until the end of the month.

ADMINIS-TRATION Mayor Foy reported that Chief Gilgenberg sustained a leg injury while on duty and would be incapacitated for about 3 months. The City wishes him a speedy recovery. He also thanked Chief Jack Garcia for assisting in providing the "Bat Mobile" at the recent Burbank Park District Halloween Festival. Finally, the Mayor thanked Alderman Claude Haerr for his assistance in obtaining roof core samples at all the City facilities for a future roof replacement project. An outside company would have charged \$6,000.00 for that service. Alderman Haerr performed the service at no charge to the City.

NEW BUSINESS Alderman Haerr made a motion seconded by Alderwoman Gagle to hire P.D. lateral candidate Marcin Stafira as patrol officer for the Burbank Police Department. A roll call indicated 6 Ayes and 0 Nays. Voting Aye: Alderwoman Gagle, Alderman Contreras, Alderwoman Gustafson, Alderman Haerr, Alderman Piznarski and Alderman Phillips. The candidate was sworn in by Fire-Police Commissioner Chris Wiest. Mayor Foy read a brief biography.

ADMINIS-TRATION Mayor Foy asked that any Reavis High School students in attendance who needed their government class forms validated, could do so at the adjournment of the Council meeting.

Clerk Szymczak, with approval of Mayor Foy, asked for a moment of silence acknowledging the recent passing of retired Fire Chief Martin Kreil, who served the City for 47 years, and Charles Bandusky, a resident who rarely missed a Council meeting and always had "provocative" questions to ask.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the Chair asked for a motion to adjourn. The motion was made by Alderman Contreras and seconded by Alderman Piznarski with unanimous approval and so declared by the Chair. The meeting was adjourned at 7:42 PM.

Barry J. Szymczak, City Clerk

APPROVED