

**CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF ROCKFORD  
JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS  
JANUARY 29, 2014  
COUNCIL CONVENED AT 6:34 P.M.**

1. The invocation was given by Chaplain Kenneth Hendley, New Life Free Will Baptist Church and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Council Page Beatrice Medrano.

2. Roll Call:

Mayor Lawrence Morrissey

Aldermen: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Oddo, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -11-

Absent: Frost, Newburg, Beach -3-

3. Alderman Hervey moved to accept the Journal of Proceedings of January 21, 2014 seconded by Alderman McNamara.

Patrick Hayes, Legal Director, advised the agenda for tonight contains an incorrect description of a committee report under unfinished business. The language in the agenda was based on a draft committee report prior to the item being modified in committee. As the item was read in correctly last week and appears correctly in the journal and under new business, there is no need to do a motion to correct the journal.

MOTION PREVAILED (Ald. Frost, Newburg, Beach absent).

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

4. Ron Freeze believes the city's proposed residential sidewalk snow removal ordinance is unreasonable and stated for 40 years he has shoveled his sidewalks.

5. Brian Kobischka expressed his support and encourages the passage of a Resolution calling for a public hearing to consider a Lincoln Promise Zone authority within the City of Rockford corporate limits as authorized by State legislation.

6. John Brantley again mentioned meeting with several area leaders about transforming Rockford and advised this Friday he will be meeting with Salvation Army representatives to discuss a partnership with them.

7. Prophet Yusef explained the wilderness mentality; people knowing they are miserable but doing nothing to improve the situation, they want everything and do nothing.

**PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS**

8. Alderman Thompson-Kelly submitted an email from the Alzheimer's Association regarding a Federal Update announcing a Record Increase for Alzheimer's Research Signed into Law. Referred to Legislative Lobby Committee

Alderman Beach joined the meeting at 6:48 pm.

9. Alderman Thompson-Kelly submitted a concern about dangerous street crossing for students; speed limits and location of crosswalks in conjunction with the school. Referred to Public Works and Police Departments.
10. Alderman Hervey submitted a Memorandum from Carrie Eklund, Central Services Manager regarding Sale of Surplus Property (snow plows) to Harris and Owen Townships. Referred to Finance and Personnel Committee.
11. Alderman Beck submitted a Memorandum from Kelly Nokes, Assistant Operations Manager, regarding upcoming special events:
  1. St. Patrick's Day Parade – 3/15/14
  2. State Street Mile – 8/2/14

Referred to Code and Regulations Committee.
12. Alderman Beck submitted the Liquor and Tobacco Advisory Board minutes from the meeting held on January 22, 2014. Referred to Code and Regulation Committee.
13. Alderman Beck submitted the Zoning Board of Appeals minutes from the meeting held on January 22, 2014. Referred to Code and Regulation Committee.

#### **NEW COMMITTEE REPORTS**

14. Alderman Beck read a Code and Regulation Committee Report recommending the approval of the attached amendment(s) to Article 3, of the Residential Quality Support Registration and Section 17-41, et.al of the City of Rockford Code of Ordinances allowing for handwritten registration through March 31, 2014. The Legal Director shall prepare the necessary ordinance. LAID OVER.
15. Alderman Hervey moved the adoption of a Finance and Personnel Committee Report recommending approval of the total vouchers for the week of January 27, 2014 in the amount of \$1,144,002.79. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes:	Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-
Nays:	-0-
Absent:	Frost, Newburg -2-

#### **OFFICERS REPORTS**

16. Mayor Morrissey commented on the Memorandum from Glenn Trommels, IT Director, and Todd Cagnoni, Community/Economic Development Director, regarding an update of the Rental Registry. He also announced the Rockford Apartment Association will host a free registration event on February 26, 2014 from 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm at the Rockford Area Association Realtors building, 6776 East State Street.
17. Mayor Morrissey reported garbage pickup is a day behind due to the weather conditions.

18. Mayor Morrissey mentioned within the next few weeks staff will be making a presentation to council members regarding council structure; committee and council meetings, agenda management system and report formats.
19. Mayor Morrissey stated he has been working with the Mayors of Peoria and Aurora about the idea of creating an Urban Mayor's Caucus, representing several cities outside the City of Chicago, as a way to coordinate efforts on agendas in Springfield. Referred to Legislative and Lobbying Committee.
20. Alderman Thompson-Kelly thanked Police, Fire and Public Works staff for their quick response on Saturday to Henrietta School when a fire alarm went off during a meeting she was hosting.
21. Alderman Hervey announced tomorrow, January 30<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 pm will be the monthly 5<sup>th</sup> Ward meeting at the Montague Branch Library. Fire Chief Bergsten and police department personnel will be in attendance for updates and discussion.
22. Alderman Hervey sincerely thanked council member and city staff for their support after her knee surgery.
23. Alderman McNamara announced Transform Rockford will be hosting a Community Visioning Session at the Rockford Art Museum, 711 North Main Street on Thursday, January 30, 2014. He encouraged community members to attend.
24. Alderman McNamara reported the passing of Tom Littrell, a community advocate and member of many area organizations.
25. Alderman Getchius reported the success of the new geo-policing initiative in his ward.
26. Patrick Hayes, Legal Director, announced next Monday, February 3, 2014 the Finance and Personnel and Planning and Development Committees will have a joint meeting beginning at 5:30 pm in Conference Room B regarding the EDEEN budget and that the Finance and Personnel Committee and Planning and Development Committee regular meetings will begin at 5:00 pm at the usual location.

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

#### **2014-016CR**

27. Alderman Hervey moved the adoption of a Finance and Personnel Committee Report for a proposed 2% Compensation Adjustments for Non-Represented Employees, additional Wage adjustments in approximate amount of \$462,380 as described in the compensation study, and the additional Wage Compression adjustments in the approximate amount of \$175,000 as defined in the memorandum from Julia Valdez, Human Resource Director dated January 2, 2014. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, Chiarelli -11-

Nays: McNeely -1-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-017CR**

28. Alderman Hervey moved the adoption of a Finance and Personnel Committee Report recommending approval of the 2014-2018 Capital Improvement Plan for implementation by the Dept. of Public Works. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, Chiarelli -10-  
Nays: McNamara, McNeely -2-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

29. Alderman Hervey moved the adoption of a Finance and Personnel Committee Report recommending that staff submit an Application Modification #3 for the following RERZ projects:

Re-allocation of the \$501,167 allocated for Davis Festival Park Improvements to the Ingersoll (Downtown Sports Complex) project. \$451,697 will be moved into the construction category and \$50,000 will be added to the project design category. Modify the scope for the Outdoor Market to include a "Demolition" line item that covers the demolition of the Water Street Parking Deck. Re-allocation of \$200,000 from the "Construction" line item to the "Demolition" line item to cover the cost of the demolition.

Funding for these projects come from the Illinois DCEO, River Edge Re-Development Zone funds.

Alderman Hervey made a motion to lay the committee report over, seconded by Alderman Beach. The Committee Report was LAID OVER.

**2014-018CR**

30. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report repealing the "No Parking Anytime" restriction on Madison Street from Market Street to 75 feet south of Market Street, thus establishing unrestricted parking.

Alderman Beck made a motion to amend the committee report to read as follows:

Establishing a "No Parking Anytime" restriction on the west side of Madison Street from Market Street to 75 feet south of Market Street.

motion was seconded by Alderman Hervey. MOTION PREVAILED (Ald. Frost, Newburg absent). The amended committee report was placed up for passage. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-019CR**

31. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report establishing "No Parking Anytime except Para-Transit" on the west side of Court Street from 270 feet south of Napoleon Street to 290 feet south of Napoleon Street. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-020CR**

32. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report that traffic on Constance Drive be required to stop prior to entering the intersection of Wisconsin Road, thus repealing the existing Constance Drive yielding for Wisconsin Road. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-021CR**

33. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report for a Residential Parking Zone on the north side of Market Street from North 1<sup>st</sup> Street to North 2<sup>nd</sup> Street. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-022CR**

34. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report establishing "No Parking Anytime" on the west side of Woodmar Road from Brynwood Drive to Boxwood Drive. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-023CR**

35. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report repealing the "Passenger Loading Zone" restriction on west side of Madron Road from 400 feet north of Arbutus Road to 510 feet north of Arbutus Road, thus restoring unrestricted parking. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-024CR**

36. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report that all traffic be required to stop prior to entering the intersection of Hancock Street and Camp Avenue, thus repealing Camp Avenue yielding for Hancock Street. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-025CR**

37. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report repealing the "No Parking Anytime" restriction on Congress Drive and Senate Drive, thus restoring unrestricted parking. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-026CR**

38. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of a Code and Regulation Committee Report that "No Action" be taken on the following items:

1. Request to establish all-way stop control at the intersection of East Gate Parkway and 25<sup>th</sup> Street, thus repealing the existing 25<sup>th</sup> Street yielding for East Gate Parkway.
2. Request to establish traffic control at the intersection of Hickory Lane Drive and Lundvall Avenue.
3. Request for additional street lighting at the 1400 block of Widergren Drive.

MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -10-  
Nays: McNamara, Hervey -2-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-010-O**

39. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of an Ordinance amending Article 64 of the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Rockford for a Variation to increase the maximum number of business identification wall signs from two (2) to three (3) in a C-3, General Commercial

Zoning District at 2500 and 2542 South Alpine Road. Approval is subject to the following conditions:

1. Must meet all Building and Fire Codes.
2. Must obtain separate permits for signage and the free-standing sign must be in accordance with Exhibit F.

Approval is based on the Findings of Fact. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-011-O**

40. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of an Ordinance amending Chapter 3, Section 3-56, Article III of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rockford upon all other requirements of the Liquor and Tobacco Ordinance having been met, said amendments shall serve as City Council advice and consent for the Liquor Commissioner to approve the following amendments for the following establishment:

**Koshy Alexander d/b/a ABA Gas, Inc.** for the sale of tobacco products in conjunction with a gas station and grocery store at 3121 North Rockton Avenue. Approval is subject to the following conditions:

1. Landscaping shall be installed per the landscaping plan submitted 12/16/13 no later than July 1, 2014.
2. The existing free-standing sign at the northwest corner of the property be removed.
3. Window display signage shall be limited to 35% of the window surface area
4. The sale of rose tubes, airplane-sized bottles and any other products that can be deemed to be easily manufactured into drug paraphernalia is prohibited.
5. That the windows shall not be covered with bars or other devices that block the windows
6. Meeting all applicable building and fire codes
7. Compliance with all City of Rockford Tobacco Codes.
8. The sale of tobacco shall be limited to the interior site plan that was submitted as Exhibit D.

MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-012-O**

41. Alderman Beck moved the adoption of an Ordinance for the sale of vacant lot at 1604 South 6<sup>th</sup> Street at a minimum bid of \$450.00 with preference to the adjacent property owner. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, Chiarelli -11-  
Nays: McNeely -1-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

**2014-009R**

42. Alderman Hervey moved the adoption of a Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an agreement for Contract Change Order: Weatherization contracts for Architectural Labor and Material with Total Plumbing and Heating, of Machesney Park, Illinois in the amount of approximately \$200,000. The funding source is Illinois Dept. of Commerce and Economic Opportunity Office of Energy Assistance through Funds from the Federal Department of Energy and Health and Human Services. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-010R**

43. Alderman Hervey moved the adoption of a Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an agreement for a Change Order for City-Wide Street Repairs Group #3 with William Charles Construction, of Loves Park, Illinois for an additional amount of \$80,000 for a total of \$1,308,798.28. The funding source is Sales tax through the Neighborhood Program Allocation funds. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-011R**

44. Alderman Hervey moved the adoption of a Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an agreement for Decorative Street Light installation on Trenton Avenue, Hartford Avenue, Cambridge Avenue and Newport Avenue with ComEd in the amount of \$32,069.66. The funding source is 13<sup>th</sup> Ward Neighborhood Allocation. Monthly facilities and lighting rental charge is funded by General Fund Street Lighting Budget. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Beach, Elyea, McNeely, Chiarelli -7-  
Nays: Durkee, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beck -4-

Abstain: Getchius -1-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**2014-012R**

45. Alderman Hervey moved the adoption of a Resolution establishing a date for Public Hearing for the adoption of a proposed Ordinance establishing a Lincoln Promise Zone Authority within the City of Rockford corporate limits. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes: Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-  
Nays: -0-  
Absent: Frost, Newburg -2-

**NEW BUSINESS**

46. Alderman Beck introduced and read an Ordinance amending Chapter 16, Schedule Section 280 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rockford to establish the following:

"No Parking Anytime" restriction on the west side of Madison Street from Market Street to 75 feet south of Market Street.

LAID OVER.

47. Alderman Beck introduced and read an Ordinance amending Chapter 16, Schedule Section 280 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rockford to establish the following:

"No Parking Anytime" on the west side of Woodmar Road from Brynwood Drive to Boxwood Drive.

"No Parking Anytime except Para-Transit" on the west side of Court Street from 270 feet south of Napoleon Street to 290 feet south of Napoleon Street.

LAID OVER.

48. Alderman Beck introduced and read an Ordinance amending Chapter 16, Schedule Section 291 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rockford to establish the following:

"Traffic on Constance Drive be required to Stop prior to entering the intersection of Wisconsin Road, thus repealing the existing Constance Drive yielding for Wisconsin Road"

LAID OVER.

49. Alderman Beck introduced and read an Ordinance amending Chapter 16, Schedule Section 311 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rockford to establish the following:

"Residential Parking Zone on the north side of Market Street from North 1<sup>st</sup> Street to North 2<sup>nd</sup> Street".

LAID OVER.

50. Alderman Beck introduced and read an Ordinance amending Chapter 16, Schedule Section 281 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rockford to establish the following:

"Passenger Loading Zone" restriction on the west side of Madron Road from 400 feet north of Arbutus Road to 510 feet north of Arbutus Road, thus establishing unrestricted parking, and thus restoring unrestricted parking.

LAID OVER.

51. Alderman Beck introduced and read an Ordinance amending Chapter 16, Schedule Section 292 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Rockford to establish the following:

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LAID OVER.

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54. Alderman Hervey made a motion to convene into closed session in order to discuss potential litigation and litigation matters and retention of outside counsel, seconded by Alderman Beach. MOTION PREVAILED by a Roll Call vote of:

Ayes:	Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Elyea, Beck, McNeely, Chiarelli -12-
Nays:	-0-
Absent:	Frost, Newburg -2-

The meeting went into closed session at 7:46 pm.

The meeting returned into open session at 8:18 pm and found the following aldermen present:

Durkee, Getchius, McNamara, Hervey, Hill, Thompson-Kelly, Oddo, Beach, Beck, Chiarelli -10-

55. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the meeting was adjourned at 8:19 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Diane Reed  
City Council Clerk

[The meeting was taped in its entirety, and the tape is on file in the Legal Department]

**CITY COUNCIL, CITY OF ROCKFORD, ILLINOIS**  
**City Council Chambers, 2<sup>ND</sup> floor City Hall**  
**425 E. State Street, Rockford**  
**February 3, 2014**  
**6:00 P.M.**  
**AGENDA**

The following represents, in general, the chronological order of proceedings at the City Council meeting:

- Call to Order by the Mayor
- Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call and determination of quorum
- Acceptance of Journal of Proceedings
- Petitions and Communications
- Proclamations
- Committee Reports
- Officers Reports

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**I. COMMITTEE REPORTS LAID OVER JANUARY 29, 2014**

1. Beck - Code and Regulation - Recommending the approval of the attached amendment(s) to Article 3, of the Residential Quality Support Registration and Section 17-41, et.al of the City of Rockford Code of Ordinances allowing for handwritten registration through March 31, 2014. The Legal Director shall prepare the necessary ordinance.
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**III. MOTION/RESOLUTIONS**

- 1. Beck - St. Patrick's Day Parade – 3/15/14
- 2. Beck - State Street Mile – 8/2/14
- 3. Beck – IDOT – Temporary closures/detours for St. Patrick's Day Parade 3/15/14

- Motions and Resolutions

**IV. NEW BUSINESS** (note: Ordinances may be read in under New Business and Rule 11 suspended and final vote taken. Committee Reports would have previously been voted on).

- 1. Beck – Ordinance - Approval of the attached amendment(s) to Article 3, of the Residential Quality Support Registration and Section 17-41, et.al of the City of Rockford Code of Ordinances allowing for handwritten registration through March 31, 2014.

\* same action taken before

- Adjournment

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**POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL ITEMS:**

The following items appear on the City Council Standing Committee Agendas as noted. Items may receive a vote at committee and come before the first City Council meeting held after the committee meeting. Rule 11 can be suspended and final vote taken on said items at the City Council meeting (no rule suspension is necessary to take a vote on vouchers).

**CODE AND REGULATION COMMITTEE**  
**Monday, February 3, 2014, 4:45 p.m.**  
**Conference Room A, City Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> floor (north room)**  
**AGENDA**

- 1. C & R 14-09            Water Damage Claim for 2475 Stowmarket
- 2. C & R 14-21            Upcoming Special Events:  
                                  St. Patrick's Day Parade 3/15/14  
                                  State Street Mile 8/02/14
- 3. C & R 13-204            Amendment to Chapter 29, Article 5 of the Code of Ordinances/Lighting Requirements for Towing Signs
- 4. C & R 13-205            Resolution from Ald. Beach: Establishing a Snow Removal Ordinance Pertaining to Residential Sidewalks
- 5. C & R 14-10            Amendment to the Snow Emergency Ordinance authorizing the

declaration of a Snow Emergency when ice storms or other than 2 inches of snowfall threaten the safety of our residents.

6. C & R 13-166 Change in City Council and Standing Committee Meeting Times
7. C & R 14-22 Ingersoll Building Status Report
8. C & R 13-207 ZBA#041-13 Preannexation Agreement and ZMA from County AG, Agriculture to City R-3, Multi-Family Residential Zoning District at 8101 Spring Creek Road
9. C & R 14-12 ZBA#044-13 Variation to modify an existing legal non-conforming pylon sign from 30 feet in height to 12 feet; and to modify an existing legal non-conforming pylon sign from 155 square feet to 100 square feet in a C-3, General Commercial Zoning District at 5827 East State Street
10. C & R 14-13 ZBA#046-03 Special Use Permit for community based housing (Behavioral Health Crisis Stabilization Center) in a C-3, General Commercial Zoning District at 605 Mulberry
11. C & R 14-14 ZBA#047-13 Modification of Special Use Permit #036-07 to add outdoor passenger vehicle sales in an I-1, Light Industrial Zoning District at 3919 Sandy Hollow Road
12. C & R 13-212 013-LTAB-048 Sale of Liquor by the Drink in conjunction with a tavern bar and restaurant; Sale of Packaged Liquor in conjunction with a tavern bar and restaurant; Sale of Liquor by the Drink in an outside seating area in an I-1, Light Industrial Zoning District at 1804 18<sup>th</sup> Avenue
13. C & R 14-15 013-LTAB-050 Sale of Tobacco Products in conjunction with a grocery store in a C-4, Urban Mixed Use Zoning District at 828 Broadway
14. C & R 14-16 013-LTAB-051 Sale of Liquor by the Drink in conjunction with a tavern and gaming facility in a C-3, General Commercial Zoning District at 3951 West Riverside Boulevard
15. C & R 14-17 013-LTAB-052 Sale of Tobacco Products in conjunction with a gas station and convenience store in a C-3, General Zoning District at 320 North Mulford Road
16. C & R 14-18 013-LTAB-053 Sale of Tobacco Products in conjunction with a

tobacco store in a C-2, Limited Office Zoning District at 4326 and 4302-4358 Sandy Hollow Road

17. C & R 14-19 013-LTAB-054 Sale of Tobacco Products in conjunction with a convenience store in a C-3, General Commercial Zoning District at 2338 Charles Street
18. C & R 14-20 013-LTAB-055 Sale of Liquor by the Drink in conjunction with a bar and restaurant with video gaming and an outside seating area in a C-4, Urban Mixed-Use Zoning District at 306 East State Street
19. C & R 14-23 Closed Session for Purpose of Land Acquisition

**FINANCE AND PERSONNEL COMMITTEE**

**Monday, February 3, 2014, 5:00 p.m.  
Conference Room B, City Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> floor (south room)  
AGENDA**

1. Purchasing and Vouchers
  - A. Award of Contract: Parking Deck Signage
  - B. Vouchers
2. Sale of Surplus Property (snow plows) to Harris and Owen Townships
3. Staff Recommendation for a Property Standards Code Violation Penalty Policy
4. Fine Reduction Requests

**PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE**

**Monday, February 3, 2014, 5:00 p.m.  
CD Conference Rm., City Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> floor  
AGENDA**

1. Memorandum regarding the Review of the Demolition Ranking Criteria & Selection Process for 2014.
2. Review and Discuss Recommendations about the Rockford 2020 Plan Topic #9: Natural Resources and Plan Topic #10: Historic Preservation.

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**JOINT MEETING**

**Monday, February 3, 2014, 5:30 p.m.  
Conference Rm. B, City Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> floor (south room)  
AGENDA**

1. EDEEN, Economic Development, Education and Entrepreneurship Network Budget

**LEGISLATIVE LOBBYING COMMITTEE**

**Tuesday, January 21, 2014, \_\_\_ p.m.  
Conference Room A, City Hall 2<sup>nd</sup> floor (north room)  
AGENDA**

No Meeting Scheduled.