

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR HARVEY CITY COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY – August 23, 2021 – 7:00 P.M

Mayor Christopher J. Clark called the City of Harvey Regular Council meeting to order Monday August 23, 2021 at 7:24p.m.

Mayor Christopher J. Clark asked City Clerk Rosa M. Arambula to call the roll of Council Members.

Present: Alderwoman Shirley Drewenski, Aldermen Marshun Tolbert, Quinton Crudup, Tracy Key, Tyrone Rogers and Mayor Christopher J. Clark.

Absent: Alderman Dominique Randle-EI

The Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance was given by Mayor Christopher J. Clark.

Mayor asked for a motion to remove 6a1, 6a2, 6a3 and 6b3 from the agenda.

Alderman Rogers made the motion to remove 6a1, 6a2, 6a3 and 6b3 from the agenda. The motion was seconded by Alderman Crudup.

Voting Aye: Alderwoman Drewenski, Aldermen Tolbert, Crudup, Key, Rogers.

Voting Nay: None

Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: August 09, 2021

Alderman Crudup made the motion to approve the Minutes dated August 09, 2021. The motion was seconded by Alderman Rogers.

Voting Aye: Alderwoman Drewenski, Aldermen Crudup, Key, Rogers.

Voting Nay: Alderman Tolbert

Abstain: None

Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT: June 28, 2021

Alderman Crudup made the motion to approve the Bills for Payment dated June 28, 2021.
The motion was seconded by Alderman Rogers.

Voting Aye: Alderman Crudup, Alderwoman Drewenski, Alderman Rogers.
Voting Nay: Alderman Tolbert
Abstain: Alderman Key
Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED

PRESENTATION

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT: July 12, 2021

Alderman Crudup made the motion to approve the Bills for Payment dated July 12, 2021.
The motion was seconded by Alderman Rogers.

Voting Aye: Alderman Crudup, Alderwoman Drewenski, Alderman Rogers.
Voting Nay: Alderman Tolbert
Abstain: Alderman Key
Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT: July 26, 2021

Alderman Rogers made the motion to approve the Bills for Payment dated July 26, 2021 except
for Baker Tilly invoice and AJB Investigative Services invoice.
The motion was seconded by Alderman Crudup.

Voting Aye: Alderman Crudup, Alderwoman Drewenski, Alderman Rogers.
Voting Nay: Alderman Tolbert
Abstain: Alderman Key
Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT: August 09, 2021

Alderman Rogers made the motion to approve the Bills for Payment dated August 09, 2021 except for 2 line items that were for Ward 3 and no lines items for Ward 2.

The motion was seconded by Alderman Crudup.

Voting Aye: Alderman Crudup, Alderwoman Drewenski, Alderman Rogers.

Voting Nay: Alderman Tolbert

Abstain: Alderman Key

Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVAL OF BILLS FOR PAYMENT: August 23, 2021

Alderman Rogers made the motion to approve the Bills for Payment dated August 23, 2021.

The motion was seconded by Alderman Crudup.

Voting Aye: Alderman Crudup, Alderwoman Drewenski, Alderman Rogers.

Voting Nay: Alderman Tolbert

Abstain: Alderman Key

Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED

ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS FOR THE CITY OF HARVEY

NEW BUSINESS

Resolution 2950 – A Resolution Approving a Redevelopment Agreement Between The City of Harvey and Allstate BK Real Estate Holdings LTD.

Alderwoman Drewenski made the motion to approve Resolution 2950.

The motion was seconded by Alderman Tolbert.

Voting Aye: Aldermen Tolbert, Key, Crudup, Alderwoman Drewenski, Alderman Rogers.

Voting Nay: None

Abstain: None

Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED

Resolution 2951 – A Resolution Approving a Redevelopment Agreement between The City of Harvey and Ajomon Joy.

Alderman Rogers made the motion to approve Resolution 2951.
The motion was seconded by Alderwoman Drewenski.

Voting Aye: Aldermen Key, Rogers, Alderwoman Drewenski, Alderman Crudup.
Voting Nay: None
Abstain: Alderman Tolbert
Absent: Alderman Randle-El

MOTION CARRIED

Ordinance 3439 – An Ordinance Approving a Water Supply Agreement between the City of Harvey, IL and the Village of Posen, IL.

Alderman Rogers made the motion to approve Ordinance .
The motion was seconded by Alderwoman Drewenski.

Voting Aye: Aldermen Key, Crudup, Rogers, Alderwoman Drewenski
Voting Nay: None
Abstain: Alderman Tolbert
Absent: Alderman Randle-El

MOTION CARRIED

PUBLIC COMMENT:

Cheretha Gaston from CEDA in Harvey, IL, stated that they were still taking applications for water bills, vision, dental and auto care assistance for residents of Harvey. She also commented that for current CEDA residents of Harvey there would be assistance for school supplies and uniforms.

Alderman Key stated that vacant home's backyards were not being cut by the street department. Mayor asked Alderman Key for the specific address of the property.
Alderman Key also asked if there were any security measures to fight the crime in the City. Mayor mentioned there were 12 new part time police officers just added to the Harvey Police Department.

Alderman Key thanks everyone in the City of Harvey that had Back to School Events for the students.

Alderman Tolbert asked when the public parking program was going into effect.

Mayor responded that it will go live on September 2, 2021 pending training.

Alderwoman Drewenski mentioned she was having her back to school event on September 8, 2021 at the Pentecostal Church on 164th and Lathrop. She also noted that Cook County would be there for the Tax Appeal. She also invited everyone not only the First Ward.

Mayor stated there was a tax decrease. He said many of the residents would notice it on their current tax bill.

Alderman Rogers announced his Back to School Event, "Stone Soul" picnic at Bryant School, 14730 Main St., with much entertainment including free food, music, horseback rides for the children, major giveaways and much more.

Mayor mentioned that all flyers for any Ward events should be put on the City's website.

He also stated that Alderman Rogers' event would be perfect for the auxiliary officers. These officers could handle the traffic and other issues while our sworn officers would be taking care of issues that are pertinent to the operation of the City.

ADJOURNMENT: 7:58 p.m.

Alderwoman Drewenski made the motion to adjourn meeting.

The motion was seconded by Alderman Rogers.

Voting Aye: Alderwoman Drewenski, Aldermen Tolbert, Crudup, Key, Rogers.

Voting Nay: 0

Abstain: 0

Absent: Alderman Randle-EI

MOTION CARRIED


Rosa M. Arambula – City Clerk