

These minutes were approved at the 6/17/24 City Council meeting with no changes.

CITY OF WEST CHICAGO – 475 Main Street
CITY COUNCIL MINUTES
Regular Meeting
June 3, 2024

1. Call to Order. Mayor Ruben Pineda called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. on June 3, 2024.

2. Pledge of Allegiance. Alderman Stout led all in the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Roll Call and Establishment of a Quorum.

A timely and proper request to attend remotely was received from Alderman Brown. There was no objection from the City Council.

Roll call found Lori Chassee, Dan Beebe, Rebecca Stout, Sandy Dimas, Heather Brown, Alton Hallett, Jayme Sheahan, Joseph C. Morano, Jeanne Short, Christine Dettmann, Christopher Swiatek and John Smith, Jr. were present. Alderman Melissa Birch Ferguson was absent.

Also in attendance were City Administrator Michael Guttman, Community Development Director Tom Dabareiner and City Attorney Pat Bond.

4. Public Participation.

- Concur with the Mayor's Appointment of John F. Banas as Ward 7 Alderman for a Term Ending April 30, 2025.
- Swearing In of John F. Banas by Mayor Ruben Pineda.

Alderman Short made a motion, seconded by Alderman Smith, Jr., to approve the appointment.

Voting Aye by Roll Call: Chassee, Beebe, Stout, Dimas, Brown, Hallett, Sheahan, Morano, Short, Dettmann, Swiatek and Smith, Jr. Motion carried.

5. City Council Meeting Minutes of May 20, 2024. Alderman Chassee made a motion, seconded by Alderman Swiatek to approve the minutes of May 20, 2024.

Voting Aye by Roll Call: Chassee, Beebe, Stout, Dimas, Brown, Hallett, Sheahan, Morano, Short, Dettmann, Swiatek, Smith, Jr., and Banas. Motion carried.

6. Corporate Disbursement Report. Alderman Dimas made a motion, seconded by Alderman Morano to approve June 3, 2024, Corporate Disbursement Report in the amount of \$1,205,832.84.

Voting Aye by Roll Call: Chassee, Beebe, Stout, Dimas, Brown, Hallett, Sheahan, Morano, Short, Dettmann, Swiatek, Smith, Jr., and Banas. Motion carried.

7. Consent Agenda:

***Public Affairs Committee:**

- Approve** – The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation's CF Cycle for Life Bike Ride – Scheduled for Saturday, September 28, 2024.
- Approve** – The Healthy West Chicago and City of West Chicago Fit4Fall 5K – Scheduled for Saturday, September 21, 2024.
- Approve** – The West Chicago Railroad Days Event – Scheduled for June 27-30, 2024.
- Resolution No. 24-R-0049** – A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor to Enter into a Funding Agreement with the Mexican Cultural Center to Support the 2024 Mexican Independence Day Event.
- Ordinance No. 24-O-0015** – An Ordinance Amending Section 11-85 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of West Chicago to Prohibit the Possession of Farm-Type Animals.
- Ordinance No. 24-O-0016** – An Ordinance Amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of West Chicago – Chapter 11, Offenses and Miscellaneous Provisions; Article

II, Offenses; Division 8. Concerning Fire, Sanitation and Health; Sections 11-102 Designated; Fireworks.

Alderman Chassee made a motion, seconded by Alderman Short, to approve the above items.

Voting Aye by Voice Vote: Chassee, Beebe, Stout, Dimas, Brown, Hallett, Sheahan, Morano, Short, Dettmann, Swiatek, Smith, Jr., and Banas. Motion carried.

***Items Not sent to Committee:**

G. Ordinance No. 24-O-0014 – An Ordinance Amending the Code of Ordinances of the City of West Chicago, Chapter 3, Section 3-10 to Provide for a Class I Liquor License for Live Musical Performances on Certain Licensed Premises.

Alderman Stout made a motion, seconded by Alderman Dimas, to approve the above item.

Voting Aye by Voice Vote: Chassee, Beebe, Stout, Dimas, Hallett, Sheahan, Morano, Short, Dettmann, Swiatek, Smith, Jr., and Banas. Voting Nay by Voice Vote: Brown. Motion carried.

8. Reports by Committees: None

9. Unfinished Business: None

10. New Business: None

11. Correspondence and Announcements

Upcoming Meetings

June 6, 2024	Infrastructure Committee (cancelled)
June 10, 2024	Development Committee
June 17, 2024	Public Affairs Committee (cancelled)

12. Mayor's Comments.

Mayor Pineda reminded everyone to be careful of motorcyclists and children now that school is out for the summer.

At 7:04 p.m., Alderman Chassee made a motion, seconded by Alderman Dettmann to adjourn. All Aldermen voted aye by Voice Vote.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael Guttman
City Administrator