

City of Allen Park Regular Council Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, January 25, 2010 – 7:00 PM

Mayor Gary Burtka called the Meeting to order at 7:00 PM

Roll Call showed present: Mayor Pro-Tem Felice A. Lalli, Councilman Francesco V. Tucci, Councilwoman Kelley, Councilman Kevin A. Rourke, Councilman Kyle Tertzag and Councilman James A. Flynn.

Also present: City Administrator Eric Waidelich, City Attorney Patrick Kruse and City Clerk Michael I. Mizzi

Motion by Tertzag

Supported by Tucci

RESOLVED, to approve corrections/approval of the agenda for January 25, 2011

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-0018

Motion by Kelley

Supported by Lalli

RESOLVED, to approve the special Council meeting minutes of December 16, 2010

Tertzag, Flynn and Rourke Abstain

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-019

Motion by Lalli

Supported by Tucci

RESOLVED, to approve the regular Council meeting minutes of January 11, 2011

Kelley and Tertzag

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-020

Motion by Kelley

Supported by Tucci

RESOLVED, to approve claims and accounts in the amount of \$2,203,295.49

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-021

Motion by Tertzag

Supported by Lalli

RESOLVED, to approve consent agenda item as follows:

A. approve curb side pickup license from Maria L. Camacho of M.C. Scrapping, Detroit
(approved by the Police department)

B. approve bottle drive permit from the Allen Park High School Girls Varsity Tennis. Flyers will be distributed January 30, 2011 and bottles picked up on February 5, 2011
(with fees waived)

C. approve Handbill License from Fast Flyers (flyers include several local businesses with Police Department approval)

D. approve bottle drive permit from the Allen Park Diamond Dawgs 12 u Baseball Team. Flyers will be distributed February 8, 2011 and bottles picked up on February 12, 2011
(with fees waived)

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-022

Motion by Lalli

Supported by Rourke

RESOLVED, to appoint the following member to the Board of Review

1) Ken Lieber

2) Don Laranne

3) Richard Gaty

4) Kathy Cosgrove

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-023

Motion by Tertzag

Supported by Lalli

Whereas, the Downriver Runners Road Runners Club is a non-profit association based in Allen Park for over 25 years whose objective is the promotion and encouragement of long distance running and the education of the public to its benefits, and

Whereas, the Downriver Runners Road Runners Club is a member of the Road Runners Club of America, the oldest and largest national association of running clubs, running events, and runners dedicated to promoting running as a competitive sport and as healthy exercise, and

Whereas, the Road Runners Club of America is seeking applications for the Inaugural Runner Friendly Community designation, and

Whereas, the Downriver Runners Road Runners Club has held a running race in the City of Allen Park each year for the last 35 years that has had thousands of participants over the years, and that has had the support of the government of City of Allen Park, and the support of local businesses and churches, and

Whereas, the government of the City of Allen Park, including the Mayor, the City Council, and its Police force, have worked closely with the Downriver Runners Road Runners Club to secure race permits for safe and desirable racecourses with a reasonable permit pricing structure, and actively promote physical fitness, including running, as part of a healthy lifestyle, and

Whereas, running is one of the most popular and affordable forms of exercise to get people fit and healthy, and

Whereas, running can generate significant economic impact dollars for communities that host events and support the running community, and

Whereas, the City of Allen Park recognizes and supports running and walking as healthy exercise by maintaining pedestrian networks that include sidewalks and park paths, as well as a high school track and middle school track, for the use and enjoyment of all its citizens;

BE IT RESOLVED THAT

The City of Allen Park, by and through its Mayor and City Council, do hereby support the Downriver Runners Road Runners Club application to the Road Runners Club of America to designate the City of Allen Park as a Runner Friendly Community.

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-024

Motion by Kelley

Supported by Tucci

RESOLVED, to approve Death Certificate fee increase from \$10/\$3 to \$15/\$5, effective February 1, 2011

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-025

Motion by Tertzag

Supported by Flynn

RESOLVED, to adjourn the regular council meeting of January 25, 2011

MOTION ADOPTED – 11-0125-026

Gary J. Burtka – Mayor

Michael I. Mizzi – City Clerk