

REGULAR MEETING OF THE LA SALLE CITY COUNCIL
Council Chambers, 745 2nd Street, LaSalle, Illinois
7:00 P.M., Tuesday, July 10, 2012

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes of the regular city council meeting held Tuesday, June 19, 2012.

PETITIONS

Request from Trinity United Church of Christ for permission to lease a portion of city right-of-way to place a handicapped ramp in the diamond alley behind 839 4th Street.

Request from Dan Burke to close First Street in the area of Two Fools from 11:00 A.M. to 11:00 P.M. for "Rock the Block" on Saturday, August 18, 2012.

Requests for "Slow – Children Playing" signs:

- 300 block of LaHarpe Street
- 1400 block of Linden Street

Ameren Illinois requests to break ground

- To retire gas service for demolition at 325 Gooding and 535 3rd Street.
- To trench and bore in new gas service at 353 3rd Street

Request for a solicitors license from Modesto Pantoja. Mr. Pantoja sells flavored ice products from a push cart.

Request from St. Hyacinth's Bazaar Committee for permission to block 11th Street from Tonti to Hennepin Streets on Saturday, August 25, 2012 from 4:00 P.M. to midnight for their annual bazaar.

REPORTS OF CITY OFFICERS

Treasurers' Report for May 2012 showing cash balances in the LaSalle State Bank of \$478,121.87 and in the Hometown National Bank of \$1,793,533.39.

Building Inspectors' Report for June 2012 showing total value of construction of \$129,025.00 and total fees collected of \$1,639.00

COMMUNICATIONS

Illinois Department of Transportation report listing motor fuel tax allotment for June 2012 of \$17,504.27.

BIDS

1. 1994 Crown Victoria; 1994 Ford F250 and 2000 GMC 2500 van
2. 2012 Road project

STANDING COMMITTEES

Request for referendum regarding whether the City should ban leaf burning, with the exception of issuing permits in limited circumstances, in the City of LaSalle and related matters.

Recommendation by the Public Health Committee concerning the Burning Ordinance

Recommendation of the Streets, Alleys and Traffic Committee regarding a request to remove a handicapped parking spot on 2nd Street in front the News Tribune.

Tabled Item: Recommendation by the Streets, Alleys and Traffic Committee regarding the speed limit on Crosat Street North from 11th to Baker Avenue.

Recommendation by the Streets, Alleys and Traffic Committee regarding a request for no parking (at least 2 car lengths) on the east side of Crosat Street south on 5th Street.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

Authorization to approve the recommendation by the Police and Fire Board regarding the hiring of police officers.

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

Discussion with possible action regarding chipper/shredder purchase

ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS

Ordinance authorizing agreement with Dore & Associates regarding demolition of Matthiessen School and related matters

Ordinance further regulating burning within the City of LaSalle and related matters.

Resolution Approving Charitable Donation Pledge Agreement

Ordinance authorizing Intergovernmental Agreement between the City of LaSalle and Dimmick Community Consolidated School District No. 175 concerning City of LaSalle Industrial Park TIF

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Regarding pending and/or potential imminent litigation and related matters: collective bargaining, including performance and discipline, with AFSCME, FOP, Fire Department Union and related matters.

APPROVAL OF BILLS

Total submitted \$835,614.92 (payroll \$305,897.93, bills to be paid \$204,509.06; bills paid \$325,207.93).

ADJOURNMENT

Virginia Kochanowski, City Clerk

Posted 07/06/12

Mayor Jeff Grove			
<u>Alderman 1st Ward</u>	Clerk Virginia Kochanowski	Treasurer Robert Ksiazkiewicz	<u>Alderman 4th Ward</u>
Diz Demes	<u>Alderman 2nd Ward</u>	<u>Alderman 3rd Ward</u>	T. "Boo" Herndon
Jim Bacidore	Tom Ptak	John Lavieri	Mark Schneider
<u>City Engineer</u>	Joe Edgcomb	John S. Duncan	
Mike Furlan	<u>Building Inspector</u>	<u>Director/ Superintendent Public Works</u>	
<u>Comptroller</u>	Brian Maddox	Sam McNeilly	
Joanne Milby	<u>Police Chief</u>	<u>Fire Chief</u>	<u>Attorney</u>
	Rob Uranich	Andy Bacidore	James McPhedran of Raccuglia & Associates
	<u>Director of Economic Development</u> Donald Aleksy		