



City Council

City Council Chambers ◊ 230 West Stephenson Street ◊ Freeport, IL 61032

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AGENDA PUBLIC SAFETY/COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT REGULAR MEETING OF Monday, February 21, 2006 at 5:15 p.m.

Call to Order

Roll Call by Mayor Gaulrapp

Public Comments (limited to 2 minutes per person)

Approval of Committee of the Whole Report from the meeting of February 6, 2006

Public Safety

1. [Resolution to approve Prairie Shield Regional Alliance Memorandum of Understanding and to repeal all contrary resolutions and motions](#)

Summary: Initiative to allow criminal justice agencies in a six county area to share information and deploy technology facilitating interoperability.

Information will be provided by Police Chief Whitmore

2. [An ordinance adopting additional disabled parking space requirements and increasing the fine for violation of the disabled parking ordinance, and repealing all contrary provisions](#)

Summary: Increases the fine from \$100 to a minimum of \$250 in accordance with Public Act 94-0619

Information will be provided by Police Chief Whitmore

Community Development

1. [A petition by Gill's Freeport Raceway, Inc.](#), d/b/a Freeport Raceway Park, Randy Gill, owner, 1910 S. Walnut Road, Freeport; requesting a Special Use Permit under M-2, General Manufacturing District, to enable Freeport Raceway Park to engage in motor vehicle racing activities and other special events at said premises in calendar year 2006 and subsequent years as allowed by Ordinance.

Summary: The recommendation from planning commission is to approve the special use permit with a sunset date of 12/31/06 and requirements for the raceway to submit and implement a plan to come into compliance with city zoning ordinances. In addition, planning commission recommends requiring races to finish earlier in the evening.

Information will be provided by Shelly Griswold

2. [A petition by Roy E. Ohlinger](#), 1515 S. Park Boulevard, Freeport, requesting a change of zoning from B-3, Commercial and Wholesale Business District, to R-4, One Family Residence District; for the property located at 2183 W. Galena Avenue, Freeport.

Summary: This petition received a unanimous recommendation from the planning commission.

Information will be provided by Shelly Griswold

3. [A resolution to enter into agreement with Vandewalle & Associates for certain services related to East Side Brownfield Site Prioritization and Opportunities Analysis](#)

Summary: The agreement is for continuation of services that are part of an ongoing Brownfields project plan.

Information will be provided by Shelly Griswold

4. [A resolution to enter into agreement with Vandewalle & Associates for certain services related to Rawleigh Complex and Rawleigh Corridor Redevelopment Implementation Services](#)

Summary: This agreement is for continuation of services that are part of an ongoing Brownfields project plan.

Information will be provided by Shelly Griswold

5. [A resolution to enter into agreement with Vandewalle & Associates for certain services related to a USEPA Clean-up Grant for CMC Heartland Project](#)

Summary: This agreement is for continuation of services that are part of an ongoing Brownfields project plan.

Information will be provided by Shelly Griswold

6. A resolution supporting Freeport's Designation as a Rural Community for the purposes of obtaining eligibility for USDA Rural Housing Grant and Loan Programs

Summary: Congressman Don Manzullo is assisting the City in receiving this designation, which will make the City eligible for participation in ten USDA housing grant and loan programs.

Information will be provided by Shelly Griswold

Other

Finance Committee

1. Distribution of 9 month results for Fiscal Year 2006

Information provided by Craig Joesten/Duane Price

Adjourn

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