

MINUTES

Municipal/County Intergovernmental Committee
Wednesday, March 27, 2024 - 6:00 PM
DuPage Mayors & Mangers Conference (DMMC) Office
1220 Oak Brook Road
Oak Brook, IL

WELCOME, INTRODUCTIONS, AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Co-Chair Craig called the meeting to order at 6:07 p.m., welcomed everyone and led the Pledge of Allegiance. A quorum was present.

Those in attendance included:

Committee Members:

Mayor Rodney Craig (Co-Chair)	Hanover Park
Mayor David Brummel	Warrenville
Mayor Scott Levin	Elmhurst
Mayor David Pileski	Roselle
Mayor Rich Veenstra	Addison
CB Member Michael Childress (Co-Chair)	District #1
CB Member Lucy Chang Evans	District #3
CB Member Patty Gustin	District #5

Others Present:

Suzette Quintell	DMMC
Alison Murphy	DMMC
Sheryl Markay	DuPage County Board Office
Renee Zerante	DuPage County State's Attorney's Office

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no in-person public comment. One public comment form was submitted online (see attached).

MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

Mayor Levin made a motion to approve the Minutes from the December 13, 2023, committee meeting, seconded by Member Gustin. All Ayes, motion carried.

SPRINGFIELD UPDATE

Sheryl Markay provided an overview of DuPage County's Legislative Priorities for the spring legislative session, including:

- Development of a Statewide Mental Health Care System
- Gun Safety Measures
- Increase in Local Government Distributive Funds (LGDF)
- Alternatives to declining Motor Fuel Tax revenues
- Additional tools to expand affordable housing opportunities
- Addressing food insecurity
- Authorize the expenditure countywide of County Impact Fee dollars
- Modernizing the state's public transit system
- Recycling and other environmental initiatives
- Legislation that protects animals and reduces county animal shelter costs.

Suzette Quintell provided an overview of actions the Conference is taking to forward their legislative priorities, including:

- Sharing municipal fact sheets for LGDF restoration and pension fairness with legislators
- Writing legislators in opposition of the state sales tax on groceries
- Supporting HB 1408 and SB103 amending the Open Meetings Act (OMA) to allow remote meetings without an emergency declaration
- Supporting HB 2620 and SB 2178 amending the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) to mitigate the misuse of requests
- Holding public safety pension briefings with legislators

Committee members discussed the pension fairness issue and the potential financial impact on municipalities. Mayor Levin asked if introductions could be made of those present. Mayor Craig highlighted that Hanover Park's Crime Free Housing Program enacted ten years ago has significantly reduced crime in his community.

MUNICIPAL & COUNTY UPDATES

Members shared updates and pending items they were working on in their respective roles as mayors or county board members.

OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

NEW BUSINESS-FUTURE MEETING DATES

There was no discussion.

ADJOURNMENT

With no further business remaining before the committee, Mayor Brummel moved to adjourn, seconded by Member Gustin. All yeas, motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 7:29 p.m.

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Subject: Criminal justice

Comment: I filled a complaint in February 2021 to get charges on attorney Blake Halperin for thief of my personal property
In amount of more than \$10,000. Via police report Wooddale Illinois WDP 200101158 TO Stephen Trevino who denied charges saying lack of evidence. PS I told him I have photos and videos proof and witness of him taking property. This is a class 2 felony sec 5/16 -1 theft 5.1 state chapter 720. PS I think he refused to press charges because defendant is ATTORNEY.