

AGENDA

Coffee With The Council Saturday, October 12, 2024 9:00 AM - Martin J. Conroy Center Community Room, 1000 W. Schaumburg Road

CALL TO ORDER

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. September 14, 2024 - minutes will automatically be approved unless there are any objections.

NEW BUSINESS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

DEFERRALS

COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

ADJOURNMENT

NEXT MEETING

November 9, 2024

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Presenter:	
Lead Department:	General Government
Executive Summary:	
	Recommended Action:

ATTACHMENTS:

Description
CWC Minutes 20240914

Type

Minutes

COFFEE WITH THE COUNCIL SEPTEMBER 14, 2024 9:00 AM – MARTIN J CONROY POLICE CENTER

resent: Trustees George Dunham, Mark Madej, Jamie Clar, and Jack Sullivan

Also Present: Andrew Buckwinkler, Village Manager's Office

Commander Joe Kaminski, Police Department Mike Hall, Director of Engineering & Public Works

Ryan Franklin, Assistant Director of Community Development

Sidney Kenyon, Director of Transportation

Jane Lentino, Village Clerk

Trustee Dunham introduced trustees and staff present.

1. Stan Giska, 1336 Princeton Lane

Mr. Giska said that Septemberfest was good this year.

2. Dave Lankin, 109 Haverhill Lane

Mr. Lankin said that Septemberfest went very well this year. Trustee Madej added that the weather was perfect. Trustee Madej reported that the numbers were good and that the arts and crafts increased quite a bit from previous years. Mr. Lankin asked if we had attendance numbers, Trustee Madej said with it being a free fest, it's hard to calculate that.

3. Fred Wilson, 1006 Shannock

Mr. Wilson stated that he's been reading in various publications about new businesses coming to Schaumburg. He asked if we know how much money they will be bringing into the community. Trustee Dunham said that there's so much that goes into it, we don't have those numbers. Trustee Madej added that some vacant office space is going to be filled up by ADP and the Wheels, Inc. moving to Schaumburg from neighboring towns.

Mr. Wilson asked about the police department moving to Woodfield Road. Trustee Dunham explained that village hall will move to the building on Woodfield Road that was just purchased. They will then demolish village hall and rebuild on the same site. Once village hall relocates back to Schaumburg Court, the building on Woodfield Road will be demolished. Once the police department is rebuilt at the Woodfield Road property, the police department will move in. Trustee Dunham added that while the buildings look very nice, they are very antiquated. He mentioned that we take excellent care of them, but in particular the police department has two different HVAC systems that do not work well together. Additionally, departments are running out of room, it's time that the buildings are replaced. The entire process is expected to take four to five years. We expect construction to begin on the new village hall in May 2025. Trustee Dunham assured everyone that Septemberfest will remain at village hall throughout the construction, it will probably be a little different, with things moved around, but their intention is to leave it on site.

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4. Robert Leesman, 1515 Syracuse

Mr. Leesman said that Septemberfest was great this year, he attended all three days. He added that he wanted to thank EPW for their diligent work recently on some water main breaks in his neighborhood. They were extremely informative, letting everyone know when the water was going to be shut off. Trustee Madej explained that there was some work being done on a water tower and with the pressure changing, it caused some weak spots in the water mains to break. Trustee Sullivan stated that over the last several years the village has been working on updating the mains. When there's road construction going on, they take advantage of the opportunity and make the repairs and update/replace the water mains. He added that although we don't have lead in our water mains, they are only good for so many years, and then they begin to rust out. We are currently using new material that will last much longer.

5. Crystal Berrios, 1433 Albany Court

Ms. Berrios said that she was new to Schaumburg and wanted to be involved, and therefore attended to see what Coffee with the Council was all about.

6. Marilyn Pande, 501 Cottonwood

Ms. Pande asked what was replacing Ricardo's. Trustee Dunham replied that an upscale Indian restaurant was moving in. He further stated that the owners tried selling the business, as they wanted to retire, but they couldn't get any buyers.

7. Bobbi Sloan, 736 Fennel Court

Ms. Sloan said that this year's Septemberfest ran like a well-oiled machine. Every department seemed to be very efficient, but also very happy.

Ms. Sloan also expressed frustration with the lights on Schaumburg Road. She said that she was stopped at almost every red light on her way to the meeting. The trustees explained that it's rare to hit every single green light. Additionally, the lights up and down Schaumburg Road are currently temporary lights while they continue upgrading the cabinets. Cook County has told us they expect the project to be completed by March.

Ms. Sloan reported that she contacted public works about a tree in her yard and within five minutes of the call, there was a knock on the door. She was very impressed.

Ms. Sloan stated that her neighbor's grandchild was riding an electric bike in the street, she called 311 and was transferred to 911. She's not sure what happened, but the child has since stopped riding in the street. Trustee Clar said that you must call 911 if you want a police officer dispatched, they are the only ones that can send an officer.

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8. Jessica Wither-Kim, 229 Wakefield Lane

Ms. Wither-Kim stated that she is concerned about people speeding on side streets, particularly Braintree and Springinsguth. The speed limit is 25mph, but motorists are typically going faster than that. Additionally, she has been tailgated by other motorists. She doesn't want to call 911 but wants to know what she should do. Trustee Dunham said that there are a variety of things that can be done. For instance, we have a speed trailer that we can put out that illuminates with the speed that the driver is going. Additionally, we can have officers conduct specialized enforcement, if there's a particular time that seems to be more prevalent for the speeders. Trustee Madej added that if she can safely get the license plate of a driver, she can call that in and we can have an officer reach out to the driver. Commander Kaminski said that for instances that require an immediate response, you should call 911. More commonly with speeding complaints, Commander Kaminski explained to Ms. Wither-Kim to complete a CSR. The CSR notifies all of the supervisors in addition to the traffic unit.

The following were in attendance to visit/observe:

- 1. Jeff Mytech, 721 Webley Court
- 2. Mike Larosa, 226 Gareth Lane
- 3. Pat Riley, 128 Caryville Lane
- 4. Marilyn Karr, 130 Chatsworth Circle

Trustee Madej explained that Hops and Props is at the Schaumburg Airport tonight.

Trustee Dunham said that there is a shredding event happening at village hall.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Hellmer Administrative Secretary

ec: Village President and Board of Trustees
Village Manager
Assistant Village Manager
Department Directors
Assistant to the Village Manager