

**Auburn City Council  
Business Meeting  
Thursday October 3, 2013 6:00 P.M.  
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
Minutes**

The regular meeting of the Auburn City Council was called to order at 6:00PM in City Council Chambers, 24 South St. Auburn N.Y. by Mayor Michael Quill.

**Roll Call**

The City Clerk called the roll. Councilor Graney, Camardo, Smith, Ruzicka and Mayor Quill, present.

**City Staff Present:**

City Manager	Doug Selby
Corporation Counsel	John Rossi
City Clerk	Debby McCormick
CIP Manager	Christina Selvek
Fire Chief	Jeff Dygert
Public Works Supervisor	Mike Talbot

Mayor Quill led the **Pledge of Allegiance** and asked for a **Moment of Silence**.

**Public to be heard -**

Connie Riley BID Executive Director 128 Genesee St. Auburn - spoke about the BID's opposition to the extended hours for metered parking. She asked that Council eliminate that section from the ordinance.

Christina Rusin 2797 Centre Rd. An employee of the Chamber of Commerce and member of Ignite asked that Council vote against extending the metered parking hours until 9PM.

Tim Lattimore, District 13 Legislator spoke against the parking ordinance extending hours until 9PM.

Mike Speno, owner of Speno's Music, spoke to oppose the extended parking enforcement downtown.

**Meeting Minutes:** Meeting minutes for September 12, 2013 were approved unanimously.

**Presentations & Proclamations**

The City Clerk read a proclamation on behalf of the Mayor recognizing **Fire Prevention Month** in the City. Fire Chief Jeff Dygert accepted and spoke briefly about the importance of safety at home for fire prevention.

**United Way Presentation - Jim Daddabo, United Way Campaign Chairman**

Mr. Daddabo spoke of his experience as a child with a disability and how the United Way helped him. He was the poster child for the United Way when he was a small child. He encouraged the community to support the United Way.

**Public Announcements** – The Clerk read.

**City Manager's Report**

Mr. Selby reported on the following:

- NYS DOT Inspectors have 'red flagged' the North Division St Bridge for load limits. Repairs and work will be scheduled as part of the Capital plan for 2015-16
- Franklin St. Waterline repair will begin soon and the Engineering office is working with the Clerk's office to communicate to the public when the project will start and details as they develop..

**Presentation of Petition and Communications** – None

**SEQR**

SEQRA Resolution # 116 of 2013 Determining Type II Action Related to the Purchase of Equipment for Public Works Department. **VOTE: Councilors Graney, Camardo, Smith, Ruzicka, Mayor Quill, Aye. CARRIED.**

**Ordinances -**

Bond Ordinance #10 of 2013 Authorizing the Issuance of Serial Bonds for the Purchase of Public Works Department Equipment **VOTE: Councilors Graney, Camardo, Smith, Ruzicka, Mayor Quill, Aye. CARRIED.**

The City Clerk read Ordinance #11 of 2013 Amending Chapter 213 - Nuisances of the Code of the City of Auburn into the record as a **FIRST READING.**

**Resolutions -**

Land Acquisition Resolution #115 of 2013 authorizing the acceptance of Streets situated in the Eastside heights Subdivision. **VOTE: Councilors Graney, Camardo, Smith, Ruzicka, Mayor Quill, Aye. CARRIED.**

Council Resolution # 117 of 2013 Applying for FY 2013 Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency (SAFER) Grant for the AFD. **VOTE: Councilors Graney, Smith, Ruzicka, no; Councilor Camardo, Mayor Quill, Aye. DEFEATED.** Prior to the vote Council debated at length on the pros and cons of this grant application resolution. Chief Dygert spoke to explain the grant and to defend the opportunity to apply for the funds.

**Tabled Legislation**

Ordinance #9 of 2013 Amending Chapter 285 of the City Code Entitled "Vehicle And Traffic" **VOTE: Councilors Graney, Camardo, Smith, Ruzicka, Mayor Quill, Aye.** Prior to this

vote, Connie Riley BID Director joined spoke with Council about solutions to meet everyone's needs.

**Other Business - None.**

Council adjourned at 7:45PM.