

AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING
City Council of the City of Blue Island, Illinois
2434 Vermont Street
March 24, 2015 – 7:00 P.M.

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Pledge of Allegiance**
3. **Roll Call**
4. **Presentation of Journal of Proceedings**
Motion to approve minutes from March 10, 2015
5. **Public Comment**
6. **Report of City Officials/Presentations/Resolutions**

- Mayor:
1. Swearing in of Officer Nicholas Babbitt as a Full-Time Police Officer.
 2. Certificate of Gratitude to Mr. Denis Robinson
 3. Certificate of Gratitude to Melissa Serviss, Jill Caldwell and Tina Nedved
 4. Introduction of Bob Jackson, Supervisor of the Rec Center

Bids:

- City Clerk:
1. Motion to Approve a request from the Salvation Army to have their Donut Day on Friday and Saturday, May 29-30 and June 5-6, 2015. They are also requesting permission to have their Red Kettle Campaign November 6, 2015 thru December 24, 2015 (Monday thru Saturday)

City Treasurer:

City Attorney:

7. **Committee Reports**
 - a. Community Development Committee
 1. An Ordinance Designating the City of Blue Island, Cook County, Illinois, Western Avenue Business Development District and Imposing a Retailers' Occupation Tax, Service Occupation Tax and Hotel Operators' Occupation Tax Therein.

b. Finance Committee

1. Motion for Approval of Payroll – March 13, 2015 for \$340,436.30
2. Motion for Approval of Accounts Payable – March 18, 2015 for \$420,949.99
3. Resolution opposing Governor Rauner's proposed Local Government Distributive Fund (LGDF) reduction that would cost the City of Blue Island approximately 1.1 million dollars annually.

c. Public Health and Safety

d. Municipal Services Committee

e. Judiciary Committee

1. An Ordinance Restricting a Portion of a Certain Street at or Near 2451 Collins Street for Handicapped Parking Only Within the City of Blue Island, County of Cook, State of Illinois and Providing Penalties for the Violation Thereof.
2. An Ordinance amending the Code of Ordinances, Title VII, Chapter 72, Section 72.08 of the City of Blue Island, Cook County, Illinois

8. **Aldermanic Announcements/Comments.**

9. **Motion to Retire to Closed Session for consideration of:**

- a. Discussion of Pending Litigation

10. **Motion to Reconvene Regular Session**

11. **Motion for Adjournment**