

Update Rock Island News Release

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Update Rock Island is a segment at City Council meetings given by Mayor Mark Schwiebert focusing on news in Rock Island. The video segment from the meeting is available on the home page of www.rigov.org and provides more information on the topics listed.

2009-2010 Budget Review

City Council will review the 2009-2010 budget in depth over two Saturdays – February 28 and March 7. Each department has the opportunity to talk to Council about their budget, new opportunities, and their accomplishments.

Armory Park Update

Work has started on the first phase of Armory Park including the First Avenue sewer project and demolition of the Armory. Final design work of the park is underway. It is anticipated the former casino boat will move offshore this Spring.

Kiwanis Club Gives Clock to City

Kiwanis Club of Rock Island is giving a clock manufactured by the Rock Island-based Fancy Street Clock Company to the City. The clock will be placed in the middle of the triangular greenspace located at the “five points” intersection of 18th Avenue and 17th / 20th Streets.

On-Site Nursing Program

City Council will consider adding an on-site nursing program as recommended by the City’s Health Care Planning Committee. This new program will allow for on-site medical services for minor occurrences, assessment of work-related injuries, wellness assessment of employees, pre-employment physical assessment, and more.