

The Rock Island City Council met in Study Session at 6:00 pm in City Council Chambers at Rock Island City Hall. Present were Mayor Pro Tem Stephen L. Tollenaer presiding, and Aldermen Jason W. Jones, Joy Murphy, Charles O. Austin III, Terry M.A. Brooks I, David Conroy and P.J. Foley. Also present were City Manager Thomas Thomas, Public Works Director Bob Hawes, Police Chief Scott Harris, other City staff and City Attorney Ted Kutsunis. Mayor Dennis E. Pauley was absent.

CORA DISCUSSION

Police Chief Scott Harris discussed CORA as it related to a proposal to add aggravated fleeing and eluding to the CORA Ordinance.

Police Chief Harris advised that a vehicle fleeing from Police is not just a city of Rock Island problem; it is a State problem. Chief Harris indicated that to date, 77 vehicles fled from Quad City area police on the Illinois side. It was noted that the Rockford, Illinois Police Department was the first department that had some type of ordinance to deal with vehicles fleeing from them.

Chief Harris stated that the procedure for CORA will not change; the process on how the Police deal with a vehicle that flees will be a little different. Chief Harris explained that with CORA, the moment an officer stops the vehicle, the driver of the vehicle is arrested. The Chief added that the driver is either the owner or he has permission to have that vehicle. It was noted that CORA paperwork is then completed and the vehicle is towed. Chief Harris stated that if the driver of the vehicle is not the owner, then the owner of the vehicle will be notified that the Police have the vehicle.

Chief Harris indicated that if the vehicle fled and it is not in police custody, and the officer later relocates that vehicle and the driver is around, then the driver will be arrested for fleeing and eluding and the vehicle will be towed at a later time. It was noted that if the vehicle cannot be located during the officer's shift, the officer will prepare a report for supervisor review. Chief Harris advised that if the supervisor agrees with the report, it will be placed in a special folder that entitles any officer to tow that vehicle within 96 hours when they see that vehicle on public right-of-way. Chief Harris added that if the vehicle is located and towed, the owner of that vehicle will be notified. It was noted that they will receive the paperwork and just like CORA, they have the right to a preliminary hearing. Chief Harris indicated that they have to file in writing within 24 hours of the notification of the tow; the hearing will be held within three days. The Chief added that if the citizen does not contest it, then they will go through the regular CORA court date.

Chief Harris advised that if the vehicle is not located within 96 hours, an intent to impound that vehicle will be filed with MUNICES. It was noted that the owner will be notified that the vehicle was involved in an incident in the City in which it fled from police officers and they will be summoned to appear before the MUNICES hearing officer. Chief Harris stated that if they are found guilty, they will pay a fine and or storage. Chief Harris commented that the vehicle may never be impounded. The Chief added that if the vehicle is not found in the City, they can still go

in front of MUNICES and be found guilty. Chief Harris stated that this is where it differs from the regular CORA.

Council discussed fleeing and eluding vehicles as it related to other Illinois Quad City police departments having the same issue. Council also discussed impoundment and cost as it related to the proposed ordinance amendment.

MISCELLANEOUS

Alderman Conroy advised that he would like to look into an ordinance in regards to sending letters to people owning one or multiple properties and not cutting their grass. Alderman Conroy stated that there are landlords in his Ward that are starting to not take care of their property or properties. Alderman Conroy stated that currently when the City sends a letter to the property owner for not cutting their grass for one property, the property owner has two weeks from the time the letter is sent to cut their grass. Alderman Conroy added that if they have multiple properties, separate letters are sent for each individual property.

Alderman Conroy advised that he would like it to be changed to where if a violation occurs and there are multiple rental properties involved, one letter could be sent to the property owner for all of the properties at the same time stating that they have to cut the grass on all of the properties that they own.

Council discussed this issue. City Manager Thomas stated that he would review this issue.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion made by Alderman Jones and seconded by Alderwoman Murphy to adjourn the meeting carried by the following Aye and No vote. Those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none. The meeting was adjourned at 6:15 p.m.

Aleisha L. Patchin, City Clerk

Rock Island City Council met in regular session at 6:45 p.m. in Council Chambers of Rock Island City Hall. Present were Mayor Pro Tem Stephen L. Tollenaer presiding, and Aldermen Jason W. Jones, Joy Murphy, Charles O. Austin III, Terry M.A. Brooks I, David Conroy and P.J. Foley. Also present were City Manager Thomas Thomas and City Attorney Ted Kutsunis. Mayor Dennis E. Pauley was absent.

Introductory Proceedings

Mayor Pro Tem Tollenaer called the meeting to order and led in the Pledge of Allegiance. Alderman Foley gave the Invocation.

Mayor Pro Tem Tollenaer thanked Parks and Recreation Director Bill Nelson and his staff for the great job they did to make the Red, White and Boom event a huge success.

Alderman Brooks asked for prayers for Dytanya Robinson and family. Alderman Brooks stated that she recently lost her son.

Agenda Item #5

Minutes of the meeting of June 18, 2012.

A motion was made by Alderman Austin and seconded by Alderman Conroy to approve the minutes of the meeting of June 18, 2012 as printed. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #6

CLAIMS

It was moved by Alderman Austin and seconded by Alderman Jones to accept the following reports and authorize payments as recommended. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

- a. Report from the Administrative Services Department regarding payment in the amount of \$6,747.90 to Kutsunis and Weng P.C. for legal services rendered for the month of June.
- b. Report from the Administrative Services Department regarding payment in the amount of \$2,325.12 to Sheryl Gross for General Liability Claim.
- c. Report from the Public Works Department regarding payment in the amount of \$19,407.94 to Brandt Construction Company for an emergency storm sewer repair on Ridgewood Road and 86th Avenue West. (142)

- d. Report from the Public Works Department regarding payment #2 and final in the amount of \$15,911.94 to Walter D. Laud, Inc. for services provided for the 2012 Brick Street Patch Program project. (146)
- e. Report from the Public Works Department regarding payment #2 and final in the amount of \$8,645.52 to Crafton Railroad, Inc. for services provided for the Southwest Railroad Crossing Repairs project. (147)
- f. Report from the Public Works Department regarding payment #3 in the amount of \$120,413.92 to Brandt Construction for services provided for 15th Avenue Resurfacing from 33rd to 38th Streets project. (148)
- g. Report from the Public Works Department regarding payment #1 in the amount of \$178,628.72 to Valley Construction for services provided for 24th Street Resurfacing from 5th Avenue to 9th Avenue project. (157)
- h. Report from the Public Works Department regarding payment in the amount of \$67,500.00 to the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency for annual fees for the NPDES permits. (158)

Agenda Item #7

Claims for the weeks of June 15 through June 21 in the amount of \$651,095.04, June 22 through June 28 in the amount of \$373,419.34 and June 29 through July 5 in the amount of \$555,357.75.

Alderman Conroy moved and Alderman Foley seconded to allow the claims. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaar; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #8

Payroll for the weeks of June 11 through June 24 in the amount of \$1,326,028.50.

It was moved by Alderwoman Murphy and seconded by Alderman Foley to allow the payroll. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaar; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #9

Report from the Public Works Department regarding bids for the 2012 Sewer Cleaning and Televising project, recommending the bid be awarded to CTR Systems, Inc. in the amount of \$43,440.57.

Alderman Foley moved and Alderman Conroy seconded to award the bid as recommended and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract documents. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy,

Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #10

Report from the Public Works Department regarding bids for the Jackson Square parking lot east of 24th Street project, recommending the bid be awarded to AJ Excavating in the amount of \$94,131.00.

It was moved by Alderman Jones and seconded by Alderman Conroy to award the bid as recommended and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract documents. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #11

Report from the Public Works Department regarding bids for the Fiber Optic Cable Phase Five project, recommending the bid be awarded to Tri-City Electric in the amount of \$79,510.47.

Alderman Foley moved and Alderman Conroy seconded to award the bid as recommended and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract documents. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #12

Report from the Public Works Department regarding bids for the 3rd Avenue Extension west of 46th Street project, recommending the bid be awarded to AJ Excavating in the amount of \$99,754.80.

It was moved by Alderman Conroy and seconded by Alderman Foley to award the bid as recommended and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract documents. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #13

Report from the Community and Economic Development Department regarding bids for demolition of P.S. #4 (Old Lincoln School), recommending the bid be awarded to American Demolition Corporation in the amount of \$444,600.00.

Alderman Brooks moved and Alderman Austin seconded to award the bid as recommended and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract documents, subject to EPA approval of the plan to treat all waste as asbestos containing material.

Discussion followed.

Mr. Nicholas Babeu of 1160 48th Street, Moline, IL stepped forward. Mr. Babeu stated that he was trying to lead a coalition against the destruction of Old Lincoln School for the past several months. It was noted that Mr. Babeu and his group had hoped to redevelop the property for continuous alternative reuses, but they did not meet their goals of raising enough funds to get the project off the ground. Mr. Babeu stated that he still remained adamantly against the destruction of this local historic treasure. Mr. Babeu further discussed this issue.

Alderman Jones thanked the people involved in saving Old Lincoln School, whether it was time, money or energy. Alderman Jones stated that their efforts were inspiring. Alderman Jones advised that he hoped that the City will continue forming public policy that embraces our history and works to preserve it. Alderman Jones added that preservation is not a barrier to progress but an economic tool.

After discussion, the motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, Alderman Jones.

Agenda Item #14

Report from the Police Department regarding an agreement with Tri-City Electric Company/Tri-City Security Solutions for Phase One of the installation of Axis IP cameras and wireless nodes along 15th Avenue.

It was moved by Alderman Foley and seconded by Alderwoman Murphy to approve the agreement as recommended and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract documents.

Discussion followed.

Alderman Brooks thanked the Police Chief and the City Manager for investigating this issue and coming up with a system that can possibly happen. Alderman Brooks advised that this will be a good tool in the future to have for some of the things that are going on in certain neighborhoods that are negative.

Alderman Jones stated that this is another tool that is going to keep continuing to make Rock Island safer.

After discussion, the motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #15

Report from the Public Works Department regarding an intergovernmental agreement for the 2012 Sewer Lining Program.

Alderwoman Murphy moved and Alderman Conroy seconded to approve the agreement as recommended and authorize the City Manager, City Attorney and City Clerk to execute the contract documents. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye

being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaar; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #16

Report from the Public Works Department regarding an agreement with Shive-Hattery, Inc. for architectural investigation and inspection services for the City Hall Window Replacement project.

It was moved by Alderwoman Murphy and seconded by Alderman Conroy to approve the agreement at the proposed fee schedule as recommended and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract documents. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaar; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #17

Report from the Community and Economic Development Department regarding four development agreements with Rock Island Economic Growth for the New Old Chicago Neighborhood.

Alderman Conroy moved and Alderman Foley seconded to approve the agreements as recommended and authorize the City Manager to execute the contract documents. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaar; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #18

Report from the Public Works Department regarding request for qualifications for design and construction inspection services relating to the 2012/2013 Neighborhood Water Improvement Program, recommending the selection of Shive-Hattery, Inc.

It was moved by Alderman Jones and seconded by Alderwoman Murphy to approve the selection of Shive-Hattery, Inc. as recommended and authorize the Public Works Department to negotiate a service agreement. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaar; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #19

Report from the Board of Local Improvements regarding a Special Assessment Ordinance for improvements to 42nd Street from 29th Avenue to Saukie Golf Course.

Alderman Austin moved and Alderman Conroy seconded to consider, suspend the rules and pass the ordinance.

Discussion followed.

Mr. Andy Sharp of 3023 42nd Street stepped forward. Mr. Sharp voiced concerns in regards to the proposed improvements to 42nd Street. Mr. Sharp inquired as to whether 29th Avenue was part of the project.

Mayor Pro Tem Tollenaer stated that it was not part of the project.

Mr. Sharp stated that he didn't think that 42nd Street needed to be redone. Mr. Sharp added that 29th Avenue is in worse shape than 42nd Street.

Alderman Foley stated that there seems to be some confusion among constituents on the two City programs. Aldermen Foley inquired upon Public Works Director Bob Hawes to explain the two programs.

Mr. Hawes advised that the City has two programs for local streets. Mr. Hawes added that one program is funded by Gaming money and these are the streets that are selected before they deteriorate to the point where they have to be completely replaced. Mr. Hawes noted that the ones that come from Gaming are strictly from staff.

Mr. Hawes indicated that the other local street improvement program is financed by property tax and special assessment. Mr. Hawes commented that this is for the streets that are completely worn out. It was noted that typically, but not always, the streets are brought to the City by petition from the neighborhood.

Alderman Austin inquired upon Mr. Hawes to explain about the water main break on 42nd Street. Mr. Hawes advised that originally, 42nd Street was intended to be a resurfacing like 44th Street. However, when the design began, it was realized that the condition of the water main was deteriorated. Mr. Hawes added that the water main is in the center of the street and requires removal of most of the street to replace the water main. Mr. Hawes added that this street went from a resurfacing project to a reconstruction project.

Mr. Sharp inquired as to why 29th Avenue could not be fixed.

Mr. Hawes stated that the Five Year Capital Improvement Plan contains many projects in various categories; 29th Avenue is not in that list. Mr. Hawes noted that 29th Avenue could be added to the CIP; it is reviewed each fall. Mr. Hawes indicated that 29th Avenue is a good candidate for a street improvement.

After more discussion, the motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #20

Report from the Board of Local Improvements regarding a Special Assessment Ordinance for improvements to 44th Street from 29th Avenue to Saukie Golf Course.

It was moved by Alderman Austin and seconded by Alderman Conroy to consider, suspend the rules and pass the ordinance.

Discussion followed.

Mr. Bob White of 2949 44th Street stepped forward. Mr. White thanked Alderman Chuck Austin for information and in finding the right people to speak with in regards to the improvements to 44th Street. Mr. White also thanked the Public Works staff that answered all of his questions. Mr. White stated that he really didn't receive the answers that he wanted but he got answers. It was noted that Mr. White received good customer service.

Alderman Murphy stated that Rock Island is the only city that continues to have assessments when street work is done. Alderman Murphy advised that this is something that Council should seriously look at over the next year during Goal Setting in regards to eliminating special assessments.

After discussion, the motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #21

Report from the Finance Department regarding adjustments to the Fiscal Year 2013 Budget, recommending increasing the Parks and Recreation Fund in the amount of \$92,405.00.

Alderman Conroy moved and Alderman Murphy seconded to approve the adjustments as recommended.

Alderman Conroy commented that this is not necessarily an increase but an acknowledgment of carryover funds from the previous year.

After comments, the motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #22

Report from the Police Department regarding an addition to the Code of Ordinances, Sec. 9-15.1: Vehicle involved in an unlawful attempt to flee and elude a peace officer, an insertion to Sec.9-12 (13) and amendments to Sections 9-16 and 9-13 of the Code of Ordinances.

It was moved by Alderman Foley and seconded by Alderman Conroy to approve the additions, insertions and amendments as recommended and refer to the City Attorney for an ordinance.

Discussion followed. Alderman Brooks inquired upon Police Chief Harris to give a brief overview of how this will work.

Police Chief Harris advised that fleeing and eluding is not a City of Rock Island problem; it is a State wide problem. It was noted that to date, 77 vehicles have fled from Illinois Quad City officers. Chief Harris stated that this is an attempt to use the CORA Ordinance and modify it and add the insertion of aggravated fleeing and eluding. Chief Harris explained that if a vehicle flees from a police officer in the City of Rock Island, the CORA Ordinance would be used; it would be a 30 day tow for any vehicle that flees from an officer. Chief Harris added that the CORA all rights previously afforded to the owner of the vehicle will go with the violation. Chief Harris indicated that the process will remain the same; the only thing that will change is the procedure on how CORA is enforced.

After more discussion, the motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #23

Report from the Traffic Engineering Committee regarding a request for City Ordinance (section 9-42) control of a parking lot at 1617 11th Street.

Alderwoman Murphy moved and Alderman Foley seconded to approve the request as recommended and refer to the City Attorney for an ordinance. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Items #24 and #25

It was moved by Alderman Conroy and seconded by Alderman Foley to approve the appointments as recommended for Agenda Items #24 and #25. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #24

Report from the Mayor regarding an appointment to the Board of Appeals.

Mr. Jim Davies was appointed to the Board of Appeals with a term to expire in July 2015.

Agenda Item #25

Report from the Mayor regarding an appointment to the Sunset Marina Boaters Advisory Committee for the 900 Dock.

Mr. Paul Dedoncker was appointed as the 900 Dock representative, fulfilling his current term to June 1, 2014.

Agenda Item #26

Report from the Martin Luther King Center regarding a street closing and sound amplification request for their 26th annual King Center Family Fun Day Celebration

scheduled for Saturday, August 4, 2012, requesting the food vendor and sound amplification fees be waived.

It was moved by Alderman Foley and seconded by Alderman Conroy to approve the requests and waive the fees as recommended.

Discussion followed.

Alderman Brooks inquired upon Martin Luther King Center Director Jerry Jones to give a brief overview of Family Fun Day.

Mr. Jones stated that everyone is invited to this neighborhood celebration, which will include lots of food and fun. Mr. Jones added that in the evening, everyone will see the return of the Drill Team Showdown, which has been gone from the community for a few years. Mr. Jones commented that the Metropolitan Youth Program has joined the Martin Luther King Center. Mr. Jones stated that this is an opportunity to remember Ken Martin. Mr. Jones added that they are having this wonderful event to support the youth programs at the King Center but also to support Ken Martin's dream and his memory.

Mr. Jones reminded Council that the King Center has 150 kids at Summer Day Camp along with new programs, which include the Rock Island Boxing Club and Rock Island Striders. Mr. Jones noted that the King Center received three State grants this year, which will allow for the King Center to continue the after school program, expand the drug prevention program and add a teenage pregnancy prevention program. Mr. Jones noted that the King Center will add three full time staff with the grant funding. Mr. Jones further discussed this subject.

After discussion, the motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #27

Report from the City Clerk regarding a request from Connie Hayes of the Community Caring Conference for a Street Closing at 14th Street between 9th Avenue and 10th Avenue, along with a Sound Amplification permit for the Celebrate Longview Block Party to be held on Saturday, July 21, 2012 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm.

Alderman Foley moved and Alderman Austin seconded to approve the requests as recommended. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #28

Report from the City Clerk regarding a request from Junior's Tap to hold an outdoor event on Saturday, July 28, 2012 from 3:00 pm to 9:00 pm at 2536 5th Avenue.

It was moved by Alderman Jones and seconded by Alderwoman Murphy to approve the event as recommended, subject to complying with all liquor license regulations and subject to being closed down early if noise complaints are received. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote; those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

Agenda Item #29

Other Business

No one signed up to address Council to speak on a topic.

Alderwoman Murphy reminded everyone to Shop Rock Island. Alderwoman Murphy stated that tomorrow at 4:00 pm, Against the Grain will open, which is located at 14th Avenue and 31st Street. Alderwoman Murphy stated that this is the area's first nano brewery. Alderwoman Murphy added that a nano brewery is a very small micro brewery that allows the owners and brew master to play around with recipes and use their creativity. Alderwoman Murphy stated that they will also have a game room. It was noted that Against the Grain will be open Monday through Thursday from 4:00 pm to midnight, Friday from 4:00 pm to 1:00 am, Saturday from 11:00 am to 1:00 am and Sunday from 11:00 am to 11:00 pm. Alderwoman Murphy encouraged everyone to shop local; Shop Rock Island.

Alderman Conroy commented on Bent River Brewery and Jim's Rib Haven. Alderman Conroy stated that if someone would like a beer with dinner at Jim's Rib Haven, they can walk over to Bent River Brewery, buy a beer and take it in to Jim's Ribs to have a drink with their dinner. In addition, a person can also take their dinner from Jim's Ribs over to Bent River Brewery.

Agenda Item #30

No Executive Session.

An Executive Session was not held.

Agenda Item #31

Recess

A motion was made by Alderman Foley and seconded by Alderwoman Murphy to recess to Monday, July 23, 2012 at 5:30 pm. The motion carried by the following Aye and No vote: those voting Aye being, Alderman Jones, Alderwoman Murphy, Alderman Austin, Alderman Brooks, Alderman Conroy, Alderman Foley and Alderman Tollenaer; those voting No, none.

The meeting was recessed at 7:25 p.m.