

**CITY OF COUNTRY CLUB HILLS
REGULAR MEETING
OF THE CITY COUNCIL
April 8, 2019**

1. A regular meeting of the City Council, City of Country Club Hills, County of Cook, State of Illinois, was held in the City Hall, 4200 W. 183rd Street at 7:00 p.m. The meeting was called to order by the Honorable James W. Ford, Mayor.

a. The Pledge of Allegiance was given by all those in attendance.

2. **THOSE ON ROLL CALL ANSWERING PRESENT WERE:**

Aldermen Lockett, Glispie, Evans and Spivey.

Excused as absent was Alderman Davis.

Also present were: City Clerk, Deborah McIlvain; City Treasurer Argie Johnson-Martin, and City Attorney John Murphey.

A representative from the Stuttley Group served as parliamentarian.
Tiffany Nelson-Jaworski served as legislative counsel.

2a. Invocation - The invocation was given by Pastor Dorn

3. **Journal of Proceedings**

A. Approval of Minutes -

1. **Administrative Meeting March 4, 2019**
2. **Special City Council Meeting March 4, 2019**
3. **Regular City Council Meeting - March 11, 2019**

Alderman Lockett moved for Council approval of the minutes of the administrative Meeting of March 4, 2019, the minutes of the Special City Council Meeting of March 4, 2019 and the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting of March 11, 2019. Second - Alderman Glispie. Discussion - none. Motion to approve the minutes of the Administrative Meeting of March 4, 2019, the minutes of the Special City Council Meeting of March 4, 2019 and the minutes of the Regular City Council Meeting of March 11, 2019 Carried Via Voice Vote.

4. **Communications and Reports by the Mayor:**

Mayor Ford thanked everyone who exercised their right to vote on election day.

She expressed hope that everyone would work together with no bickering and realize the importance of team work.

Alderman Lockett moved that the floor be closed to the public. Second - Alderman Glispie.
Motion Carried Via Voice Vote.

7. Aldermen's Reports

- ◆ Alderman Spivey offered congratulations to the newly elected officials and thanked the residents for attending the meeting.
- ◆ Alderman Evans congratulated all of the newly elected officials and stated that everyone has to participate in order to make team work effective.
- ◆ Alderman Glispie offered congratulations to the newly elected officials and stated that he appreciated everyone's hard work. He reminded everyone that the promise to lower taxes can not always be achieved and that residents need to make good choices.
- ◆ Alderman Lockett asked for a moment of silence upon the passing of Sandra Butler. He stated that he felt that things continue to get better and better here in Country Club Hills. He stated that Logistics locating here is a huge deal and that many businesses are clamoring to come to Country Club Hills.

Mayor Ford thanked everyone for their support and announced that the newly elected officials will be sworn in at the City Council meeting on May 13, 2019. He stated that he would be in Springfield on Wednesday and that 3 investors had come into the City last Friday interested in having their businesses here.

Alderman Lockett announced that the VIP Gala for Ingalls Hospital would be on June 1 with some tickets available for as much as \$60,000.

9 Adjournment

Motion to adjourn was made by Alderman Lockett. Second - Alderman Glispie. Motion Carried Via Voice Vote and hereby made a part of the original journal of proceedings this date.

Meeting adjourned at 7:30 pm.

Respectfully submitted
Deborah M. McIlvain, City Clerk