

Town of Riverdale park  
Monday, May 2, 2011  
Regular Legislative Meeting Minutes

**Attendance**

Vernon S. Archer            Mayor  
CM Alice Ewen            Ward 1  
CM Alan Thompson        Ward 2  
CM David Lingua          Ward 3  
CM Christopher Henry     Ward 4  
CM Raymond Rivas        Ward 5  
CM Keelah Allen-Smith    Ward 6

Town Administrator- Ms. Sara Imhulse  
Police Department – Capt. Patrick Timmons, Acting Police Chief  
Fire Department – President Steve Lamphier

The Legislative Meeting for the Town of Riverdale Park began at 9:25 p.m. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited, followed by a moment of reflection directed by Mayor Archer.

**Approval of Agenda**

CM Thompson motioned to approve the agenda.  
CM Ewen Second.  
Motion passes 6-0

Discussion: Mayor Archer would like to move the election results to the beginning of the meeting.

**Mayor's Report**

No Mayor's Report.

*This concludes the Mayor's Report*

**Treasurer's Report**

As of April 30, 2011: Revenue = \$6,234,855.16, Expenses = \$3,749,578.27.

CM Thompson moved to approve the treasurer's report subject to audit.  
CM Ewen Second  
Motion passes 6-0

Discussion: CM Henry pointed out that the date on the Treasurer's Report was wrong.

This concludes the Treasurer's Report

**Town Administrator's Report**

- Report was submitted last week.

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This concludes the Town Administrator's Report

**Police Department Report**

- Report was submitted last week.

**Code Enforcement Issues**

- Report was submitted last week.

*This concludes the Police Department Report*

**Public Works Report**

Director Addison is on vacation.

*This concludes the Public Works Report*

**Fire Department Report**

- The Fire Department participated in the Arts Festival.
- Chief Ryan has moved to the 'step down' unit and can receive visitors now. Thanks to all for your support. The DCFD Burn Foundation has been an excellent resource!
- New statistical system is working properly.
- Balloon frame construction information will be posted on the website soon.

*This concludes the Fire Department Report*

**Ward and Committee Reports**

**Ward 1, CM Ewen, Economic Development Committee**

- Congratulations to Jonathan Ebbeler. It's been a wonderful 4 years of service.

*This concludes Ward 1, CM Ewen's Report*

**Ward 2, CM Thompson, Finance Chairman Committee**

- Election season is over but the Budget season is officially on. Meetings will be held on May 11<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>.
- Thanked the residents for coming out to vote today.

*This concludes Ward 2, CM Thompson's Report*

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**Ward 3, CM Lingua, Public Safety Committee**

- Central Revitalization Committee will meet tomorrow at 6200 Sheridan St (Multi Cultural Center in Riverdale) @ 7pm.
- Thanks to the voters who came out to support the election.
- Thanked CM Ewen for her years of service.

*This concludes Ward 3, CM Lingua's Report*

**Ward 4, CM Henry, Public Works Committee**

- Thanked CM Ewen for doing a great job while she was on council and looks forward to working with Jonathan Ebbeler. Thanked CM Allen-Smith for her work on council as well. CM Henry is looking forward to another 2 years of service to the Town of Riverdale Park.

*This concludes Ward 4, CM Henry's Report*

**Ward 5, CM Rivas, Community Affairs Committee**

- Thanked everyone for coming out to vote. Hopes to have more registered voters in Ward 5 for the next election.
- Thanked CM Ewen for her support and showing him 'the ropes'. Thanked

*This concludes Ward 5, CM Rivas Report*

**Ward 6, CM Allen-Smith, Legislative Committee**

- Congratulations to all the council members, new and old. Mayor Archer thanked CM Allen-Smith for continuing to represent Ward 6 even after moving. He wishes her the best.

*This concludes Ward 6, CM Allen-Smith's Report*

**Public Comments**

## **Legislative Action**

### **1. Approval for April 4, 2011, minutes for Regular Legislative meeting.**

CM Henry moved to accept the minutes.

CM Lingua Second

Motion passes 6-0

Discussion: Ward 2 Report, last bullet - MUTC.

### **2. To approve Election Results.**

CM Thompson moved to accept the Election Results subject to the conditions that Mr. Silva submits his application fee and financial disclosure paperwork. Election results as follows:

Mayor (Mr. Archer) - 179 votes (3 voided/2 absentee/5 no vote)

Ward 1 (Mr. Ebbeler) – 55 votes (2 voided)

Ward 2 (CM Thompson) – 50 votes (1 voided/1 absentee/1 no vote)

Ward 3 (CM Lingua) – 35 votes (1 voided)

Ward 4 (CM Henry) – 26 votes (1 voided/1 absentee)

Ward 5 (CM Rivas) – 7 votes (2 no vote)

Ward 6 (Mr. Silva) – 16 votes

189 total votes. No one ran with opposition.

CM Lingua Second

Motion passes 6-0

## **New Business**

## **Unfinished Business**

## **Adjournment**

CM Henry moved to adjourn 9:47pm

CM Lingua Second.

Motion passes 6-0

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