

VIRTUAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

Monday, February 1, 2021

Regular Session – 7:00 p.m.

As the City of Des Plaines continues to follow social distancing requirements along with Governor Pritzker's Executive Orders and mandated mitigation restrictions, the City Council Meeting on Monday, February 1, 2021 will be held virtually beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The meeting will be live-streamed via: <u>http://desplaines.org/accessdesplaines</u> and played on DPTV Channel 17. The meeting may also be viewed in person at City Hall in the Council Chambers. However, pursuant to the current state-wide executive orders, no more than 10 people (including City staff) can be in the Council Chambers at one time during the meeting. Therefore, the City encourages residents and interested parties to participate in the meeting by watching the live-stream or by submitting written public comments in advance of the meeting. Public comment can be taken during the meeting for those that choose to be physically present, those that follow the instructions below to participate virtually, or by submitting public comments by e-mail to <u>publiccomments@desplaines.org</u>.

Public comments received by 5 p.m., Monday, February 1, 2021 will be distributed to City Council members prior to the Council meeting. Please indicate if you wish to have your comment read at the meeting. Public comments read at the meeting are limited to 200 words or less. Public comments should be e-mailed and contain the following information:

- In the subject line, identify "City Council Meeting Public Comment"
- Name
- Address (optional)
- City
- Phone (optional)
- Organization, agency representing, if applicable
- Topic or agenda item number of interest

If you would like to provide live public comment during the virtual meeting, please send your request to <u>publiccomments@desplaines.org</u> and you will be sent a link with additional information to join the meeting.

All e-mails received will be acknowledged. Individuals with no access to e-mail may leave a message with the City Clerk's Office at 847-391-5311.

The City of Des Plaines remains united in ensuring the safety and health of our community and our employees. To protect the public and staff, the City will continue to provide only essential functions and services during the Governor's Stay-at-Home Order. The City urges residents and businesses to comply with the Order. If residents must leave their home, it is very important to practice social distancing and keep at least six feet between others. For a list of services and additional information during this time, please visit <u>www.desplaines.org</u>. The City encourages individuals to sign up for its e-news for important information from the City and its government partners, including State and Federal authorities. The City updates its website and posts on social media daily. To sign up for electronic newsletters, please visit <u>https://www.desplaines.org/mycity/</u>.