

**ROCHELLE CITY COUNCIL
REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES
June 27, 2011**

The Rochelle City Council met in Regular Session at 7:00 p.m. on Monday, June 27, 2011 in the Council Chambers of City Hall; 420 N. 6th Street; Rochelle, IL 61068.

PLEDGE TO THE FLAG & PRAYER: The Prayer was said by City Clerk McKinney.

ROLL CALL: Present on Roll Call was Councilmembers Eckhardt, Berg, Hayes, Hollonbeck, Rice, and Mayor Olson. Absent: Councilman McDermott. Also present were City Manager Plyman and City Clerk McKinney.

PROCLAMATIONS, COMMENDATIONS, ETC.: None

REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS:

Mayor:

- **Appointments to Boards & Commissions, Effective July 1, 2011:** After Mayor Olson introduced the appointments, Councilwoman Hollonbeck moved and Councilman Berg seconded, **“I move the Council concur with the Mayor’s appointments to the following Boards and Commissions:”**

Kathryn Shaw-Dickey	Planning & Zoning Commission	Reappointment to 7/1/2016
Vicki Snyder-Chura	Planning & Zoning Commission	Reappointment to 7/1/2016
Edward Rodriguez	Planning & Zoning Commission	Reappointment to 7/1/2016
Robert Johns	Planning & Zoning Commission	Moved up to Voting Position -- 7/1/15
Ryan Carson	Planning & Zoning Commission At-Large	Reappointment to 7/1/2016
Tom Huddleston	Planning & Zoning Commission At-Large	Reappointment to 7/1/2016
Robert Johns	Board of Police & Fire Commissioners	Reappointment to 7/1/2014
Ron Stonebraker	Stormwater Advisory Commission	Reappointment to 7/1/2014
John C. Kenney, Jr.	Airport Advisory Board	Reappointment to 7/1/2014
William W. Tyler, Jr.	Airport Advisory Board	Reappointment to 7/1/2014
Dale Meyers, Sr.	Airport Advisory Board	Reappointment to 7/1/2014
Joel Thompson	Airport Advisory Board	Moved to Voting Position - 7/1/14

Motion passed by voice vote without dissent.

Council Members:

- **Councilman Berg:** Brought up a conversation he had with Mr. Plyman during the City Manager interviews in which Mr. Plyman had noted the lack of councilmembers participation in committees and communication. Now that Mr. Plyman has taken over the City Manager position, it seems a good time to set up a meeting-of-the-whole for the council members to discuss how we can open up some lines of communication, such as forming committees, not to micro-manage but a way of sharing information, how we would like to do this, get some input from Mr. Plyman as well as Councilman Rice, who has previously served on committees for the County. Mr. Plyman added that this furthering of communication can also include ideas from the community. Mr. Berg will set up a time for the council to meet as a meeting-of-the-whole.

Financial Statements - May 2011: Included in Council Agenda Packets.