

**City of Columbia, Illinois**  
**Agenda for City Council Meeting**  
**Monday, May 3, 2021 – 7:00 p.m.**  
**(Virtual Meeting) City Hall, 208 South Rapp Avenue**



- A. Call Meeting to Order**
- B. Roll Call**
- C. Pledge of Allegiance**
- D. Proclamations/Recognition/Presentations**
- E. Public Input**
- F. Comments & Announcements – Mayor**
- G. Comments & Announcements – Aldermen**
- H. Comments & Announcements – Department Directors**
- I. Consent Agenda**
  - 1. Motion to Approve Minutes of the April 12, 2021 Committee of the Whole Meeting
  - 2. Motion to Approve Minutes of the April 19, 2021 Regular City Council Meeting
  - 3. Motion to Approve Closed Session Minutes of the April 19, 2021 Regular City Council Meeting
  - 4. Motion to Approve Minutes of the April 26, 2021 Special City Council Meeting
  - 5. Motion to Approve Payment of Vouchers for the Period of April 16, 2021 through April 30, 2021 Totaling \$242,345.12
  - 6. Motion to Approve Statement of Funds for March 2021
  - 7. Motion to Approve Resolution No. 2021-05 Regarding the Release of Closed Session Minutes
  - 8. Motion to Approve Special Event Permit for Columbia Library Babygarten (Wednesdays in June/July)
  - 9. Motion to Approve Special Event Permit for Columbia Library Story Hour (Wednesdays in June/July)
  - 10. Motion to Approve Special Event Permit for Columbia Library Tot-Time (Wednesdays in June/July)
  - 11. Motion to Approve Special Event Permit for The Glen Foster Show (July 16, 2021)
- J. Unfinished Business**
  - 1. Ordinance No. 3569 Granting a Sign Variance Request for a Sign Located at 900 Admiral Weinel Blvd. (Harres Home Furnishings & Appliance)
  - 2. Ordinance No. 3570 Approving an Agreement Between the City of Columbia, Illinois and Historic Main Street Columbia Association, Inc., an Illinois Nonprofit Corporation, to Provide Services Implementing the Columbia Main Street District Plan and Supporting Main Street Businesses
  - 3. Resolution No. 2021-06 for Improvements Under the Illinois Highway Code (GM&O Connector Trail Project)
  - 4. Motion to Approve a Preliminary Engineering Agreement with Gonzalez Companies, LLC. for the Centerville Avenue Reconstruction Project – Phase 1
  - 5. Motion to Award 2021 Pavement Marking Program to Varsity Striping & Construction Company in the Amount of \$13,495.60

- K. Adjournment - Sine Die
- L. Oaths of Office – Mayor, City Clerk, Aldermen
- M. Call Meeting to Order
- N. Roll Call
- O. New Business
- P. Closed Session
- Q. Announcements
- R. Adjournment

**NOTE:** As Illinois has transitioned into Phase 4 of the Restore Illinois Plan, this meeting allows hybrid participation (both in-person and virtually utilizing Zoom Meetings). In-person attendance is limited. Priority for in-person attendance will be given to those directly participating in an item appearing on the agenda. To attend the meeting virtually go to <https://www.columbiaillinois.com/virtual-meetings>.

To submit a written comment prior to a meeting to be read during the public comment portion of the meeting:

Pursuant to Resolution 2020-10, members of the public may address public bodies of the City by submitting comments to be read aloud during the public comment portion of a meeting. Comments must be received prior to the start of the meeting, must be no more than 200 words in length and be free of abusive or obscene language.

To participate in a meeting virtually during the designated public comment portion of a meeting via telephone or virtual means:

Pursuant to Resolution 2020-10, members of the public must send a request to the City Clerk 5 hours before the commencement of the meeting.

- Public participants will only be allowed to speak during the designated Public Input portion of the virtual meeting;
- Public participants' lines will be muted until they are recognized by the Chair;
- Public participants must keep their comments to less than 3 minutes; and,
- Abusive or obscene comments will be prohibited and grounds for the public participant to be removed from the virtual meeting.