
AGENDA



CHICAGO CITY COUNCIL

REGULAR MEETING

7/22/2026 10:00 AM

CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER, 2ND FLOOR, CITY HALL, 121 NORTH LA SALLE STREET - CHICAGO, IL
60602

CHICAGO CITY COUNCIL



**City Council Chamber, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 121 North LaSalle Street
- Chicago, IL 60602**

MEETING DATE: 7/22/2026 10:00 AM

City Council Regular Meeting Agenda *

**Agenda items are shown in bold font. Text not in bold font is explanatory, for the convenience of the reader.*

In accordance with Rule 3 of the City Council Rules of Order and Procedure, the following is the agenda and order of business for regular City Council meetings:

1. Call to order by the Mayor.

The Mayor, or in his or her absence the President Pro Tempore, calls the City Council to order to begin the meeting.

2. Call of the roll.

The City Clerk calls the roll of members present beginning with the 1st Ward.

3. Determination of Quorum.

If a quorum is present, the Council may proceed. A quorum consists of the majority of the members of the City Council, including the Mayor. If no quorum is present, the City Council shall, by majority vote of the members present, move to recess or adjourn.

4. Pledge of Allegiance.

The Pledge of Allegiance is recited by the members of the City Council and assembled guests.

5. Invocation.

An invocation is given.

*The committee agendas/reports posted on the Chicago City Council Calendar list the items that may be called for a vote at the City Council meeting and are considered to be part of the City Council meeting agenda.

6. Public Comment.

Members of the general public may address the City Council on subject matters appearing on meeting agenda.

7. Resolutions and Acknowledgments.

Resolutions and acknowledgments honoring or paying tribute to individuals or organizations, or ceremonial or celebratory in nature, are considered.

8. Reports and Communications from the Mayor.

Reports and communications from the Mayor and City departments are announced into the record by the City Clerk and sent to the appropriate committee unless there is 2/3 vote to Suspend the City Council's Rules of Order and Procedure and consider them immediately. The Mayor or Presiding Officer may also present resolutions or proclamations.

9. Communications from the City Clerk.

The City Clerk apprises the City Council of communications from various departments and agencies that were filed in his or her office from the time of the previous meeting. The City Clerk also notes the publication of the previous City Council Journal and other documents required or requested to be published. Matters submitted to the City Clerk by members of the general public or other entities requiring City Council approval are also introduced and referred to the appropriate committee for deliberation.

10. Reports of Standing Committees.**

Standing committee chairs report out to the full City Council the recommendations of the membership on matters under their consideration. Joint committees comprising two or more standing committees also report their recommendations at this time.

**The committee agendas/reports posted on the [Chicago City Council Calendar \(link is external\)](#) list the items that may be called for a vote at the City Council meeting and are considered to be part of the City Council meeting agenda.

11. Reports of Special Committees.

Special committee chairs present their reports. Special committees are created by resolution adopted by 2/3 affirmative vote of the alderpersons entitled by law to be elected.

12. Agreed Calendar.

Non-controversial resolutions honoring or paying tribute to individuals or organizations or ceremonial in nature are considered under the Agreed Calendar and on recommendation of the Chair of the Committee on Committees and Rules, they are voted upon as a group by the full City Council. The Agreed Calendar is also commonly referred to as the Consent Calendar.

13. Presentation of petitions, communication, resolutions, orders, and ordinances introduced by Alderpersons.

The City Clerk will "Call the Wards" and read into the record new legislative proposals (ordinances, orders, petitions, resolutions, or other original matters) introduced by alderpersons on a variety of topics including but not limited to Municipal Code amendments, traffic regulations, zoning matters, licensing requirements, etc. The order of presentation alternates each meeting beginning with the 1st Ward on one meeting, then the 50th Ward on the next succeeding meeting, and so forth.

Under City Council Rules, all legislative matters introduced are automatically referred to a City Council Committee without debate, unless there is a 2/3 vote of the members (34 votes are required) to suspend the rules to allow immediate consideration of the matter in question.

Matters may be referred to a Joint Committee for consideration; however, if two or more committees are called, the subject matter is referred, without debate, to the Committee on Committees and Rules.

14. Correction and approval of the Journal of the Proceedings of the last preceding meeting or meetings.

Corrections to the Journal of Proceedings are presented and referred to the Committee on Committees and Rules for review. The Chair of the Committee on Finance will also recommend that the full City Council approve of the Journal(s) of the last preceding regular meeting, as corrected, as well as any special meetings which occurred from the time of the last City Council meeting.

15. Unfinished Business.

Alderpersons may request that the City Council call up for consideration previously deferred items. Notification of intentions to consider such matter(s) must be given to all alderpersons and must clearly identify the item intended to be called up for a vote.

16. Miscellaneous Business.

At this point in the meeting, any alderman may motion to discharge a committee from further consideration of a matter which has been pending in committee for more than 60 days. The motion to discharge requires a majority vote of all alderpersons (26 votes are required).

17. Ordinance setting the next regular meeting.

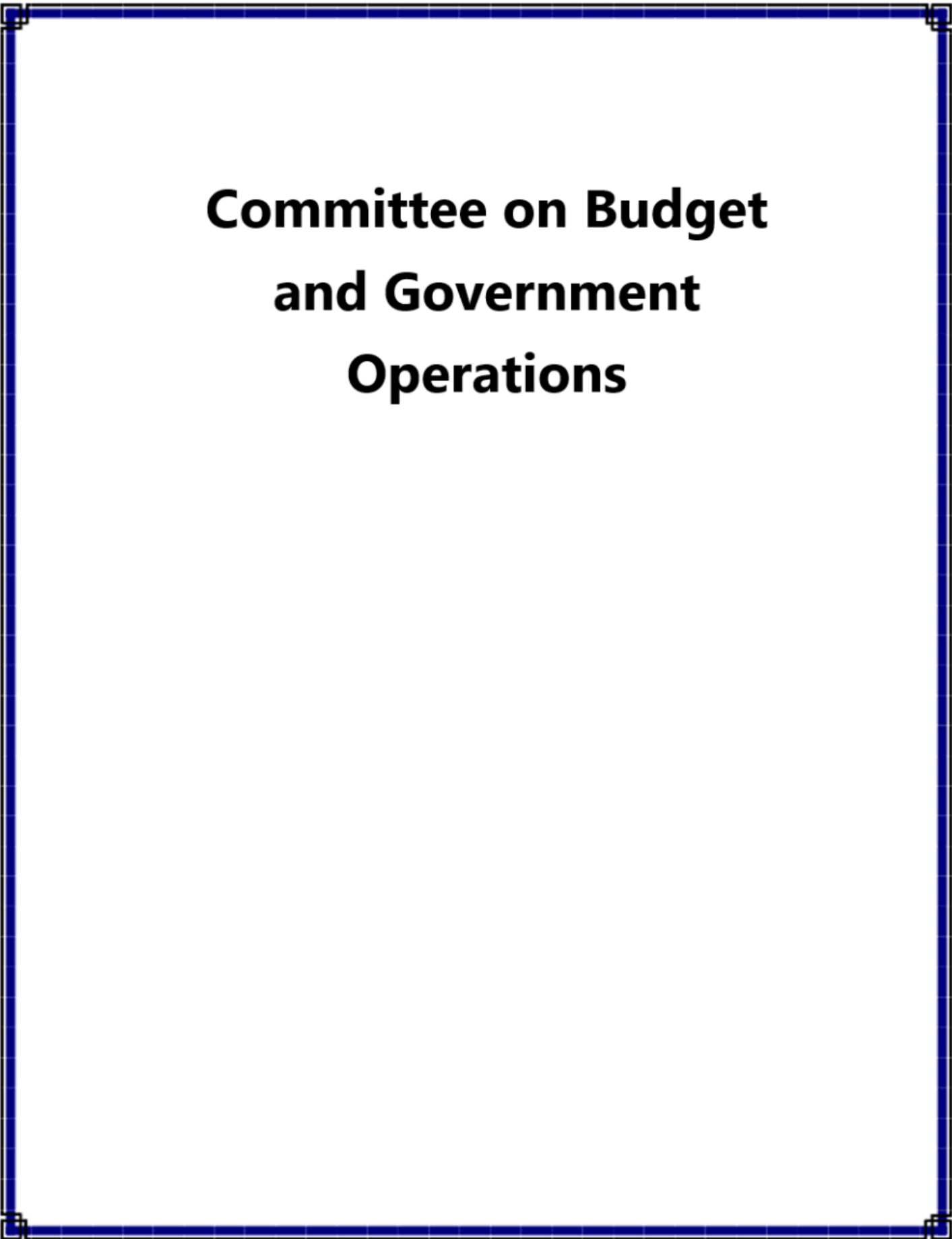
An ordinance is presented setting the date and time of the next regular meeting of the City Council. If no meeting date is set, then in accordance with the Municipal Code, the regular meeting shall be held at 10:00 a.m. of every second and fourth Wednesday of each calendar month.

18. Roll call on omnibus.

An omnibus vote is a single roll call vote taken and applied to all items not voted upon separately, or for which another vote was not employed during the course of the meeting.

19. Adjournment.

If no further business is to be considered and the meeting is concluded, then a motion is made to adjourn.

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Committee on Budget and Government Operations



CITY OF CHICAGO

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COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET AND GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS
CITY COUNCIL
CITY HALL-ROOM 200
121 NORTH LASALLE STREET
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ALDERMAN JASON C. ERVIN
CHAIRMAN

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July 2, 2026

JULY 16, 2026

NOTICE/AGENDA OF HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the COMMITTEE ON THE BUDGET & GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS will host a FY2026 MID-YEAR BUDGET HEARING to commence on THURSDAY, JULY 16, 2026, at 10:00 A.M. in City Council Chamber, City Hall, 2nd Floor. This will be a SUBJECT MATTER HEARING with the Office of Budget & Management, Chief Financial Officer and Comptroller. **NO VOTES WILL BE TAKEN.**

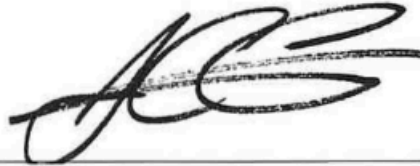
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1. Mid-Year Budget Hearing (Financial Overview)

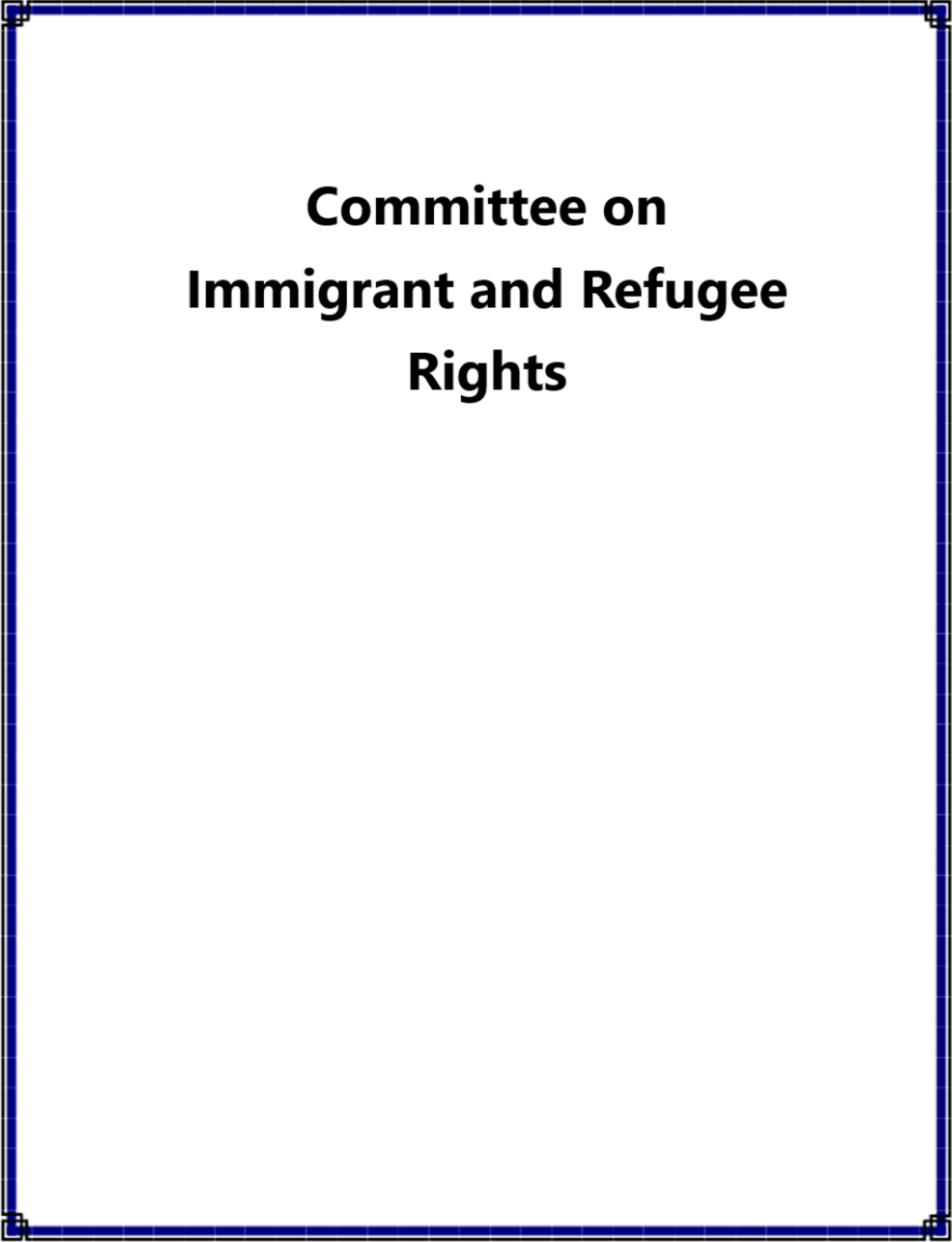
Public comments will be available at the beginning of the Hearing. There will be no other public participation during the Hearing.

Written public comment on any of the items listed on the Agenda will be accepted at CommitteeontheBudgetandGovernmentOperations@cityofchicago.org until WEDNESDAY, JULY 15th at 9:00A.

Copies of the documents pertaining to this meeting will be available for review electronically on the Chicago City Clerk's website.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'J. Ervin', written over a horizontal line.

Alderman Jason C. Ervin
Chairman, Committee on Budget &
Government Operations



Committee on Immigrant and Refugee Rights

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ETHICS AND GOVERNMENT OVERSIGHT
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FINANCE : SUBCOMMITTEE ON REVENUE
PUBLIC SAFETY
WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

AGENDA OF MATTERS
CONSIDERED
BY THE
Committee on Immigrant and Refugee Rights
Friday, July 17, 2026
10:15

201A, 2nd Floor, City Hall, 121 North LaSalle Street - Chicago, IL 60602

Roll Call(s)

Quorum

Attendance

Monthly Rule 45 Report

Approval of the June 2026 Rule 45 Report

Subject Matter Hearing

1. Investigation process for DHS violations in Chicago, and how DHS-related Mayoral executive orders are being operationalized
2. Chicago Police Department enforcement of street vendor violations and related detainments and deportations
3. Proposed sale of Chicago Parking Meters to Stonepeak Partners, and their related financial interest in Omni Air International, facilitator of ICE deportation flights

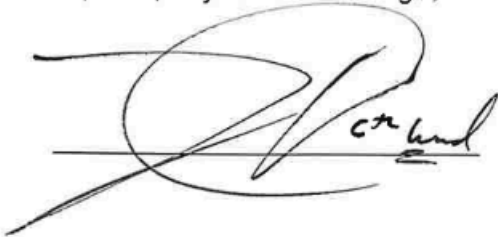
Unfinished Business

NOTICE

July 15, 2026

To Whom It May Concern,

Pursuant to Rule 41 of the City Council Rules of Order, I hereby give notice that at the next regular City Council meeting occurring following this notice, I intend to call for a vote on Resolution R2026-0026834 concerning the submission of public question by referendum to voters at November 3, 2026 general election on whether City shall pursue all lawful means to recover financial compensation from the federal government for the costs and economic harm caused by the Donald Trump administration's ICE operations to recover lost tax revenue, public safety response costs, and services provided to residents and families affected, which was reported out of the Committee on Committees and Rules and deferred and published at the July 15, 2026, City Council meeting.

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NOTICE
July 15, 2026

Anna M. Valencia
City Clerk
121 N. LaSalle St., Room 107 – City Hall
Chicago, IL 60602

RE: Rule 41 Notice

Dear Clerk Valencia:

Pursuant to Rule 41 of the Rules of Order and Procedure of the City Council of the City of Chicago, to call for a vote on a deferred matter, notice is hereby given that at the meeting of the City Council on Wednesday, July 22, 2026, I intend to call for a vote on the items attached hereto, which were deferred and published at the Wednesday, July 15, 2026, City Council meeting.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Samantha Nugent", with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Samantha Nugent
Alderman, 39th Ward

COMMITTEE ON COMMITTEES AND RULES

- (1) **R2026-0025443:** Submission of public question by referendum to Chicago voters at November 3, 2026 general election on whether Chicago should make its contribution to city pension funds in first quarter of year to reduce long-term debt
- (2) **R2026-0025438:** Submission of public question by referendum to Chicago voters at February 23, 2027 primary election on whether Chicago should create permanent monument celebrating Chicago's global contributions to music and arts
- (3) **R2026-0025457:** Submission of public question by referendum to Chicago voters at February 23, 2027 primary election on whether Chicago City Council should establish and fully fund its own independent legal counsel separate from City's Law Department
- (4) **R2026-0025460:** Submission of public question by referendum to Chicago voters at February 23, 2027 primary election on whether Chicago should withhold funding from its sister agencies that do not enforce debt repayment plans for outstanding debt owed to City
- (5) **R2026-0026834:** Submission of public question by referendum to voters at November 3, 2026 general election on whether City shall pursue all lawful means to recover financial compensation from the federal government for the costs and economic harm caused by the Donald Trump administration's ICE operations to recover lost tax revenue, public safety response costs, and services provided to residents and families affected

Miscellaneous Business

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& ENERGY
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Revenue (sub-committee)
Youth Employment (sub-committee)

July 16, 2026

NOTICE

Anna M. Valencia
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Chicago City Clerk-Council Div.
2026 JUL 16 AM 10:11

RE: Invoking City Council Rule 41 regarding R2025-0021177

Dear Clerk Valencia:

Pursuant to Rule 41 of the Rule of Order and Procedure of the City Council of the City of Chicago, notice is hereby given that at the meeting of the City Council on July 22, 2026, I intend to discharge and call for a vote resolution R2025-0021177: Submission of public question by referendum to Chicago voters at March 17, 2026 primary election on whether Illinois General Assembly should approve Joint Resolution to authorize amendment to Illinois Constitution imposing an additional 3 percent tax on net income over \$1,000,000 to fund property tax relief and public education, which was referred to the Committee on Committees and Rules on December 10, 2026.

Kindly return this notice with the appropriate time stamp so that electric copies of this notification can be delivered to the Members of the City Council of the City of Chicago as required by this rule.

Sincerely,

Byron Sigcho-Lopez
Alderman, 25th Ward