

CITY OF OAK FOREST
City Council Meeting

Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, February 24, 2026 – 7:30 p.m.

City Council Chambers



15440 S. Central Avenue
Oak Forest, IL 60452
(708) 687-4050

MAYOR:	Jim Hortsman	ALDERPERSONS:
CLERK:	Nicole Tormey	1 st Ward – Kenneth Keeler
TREASURER:	JoAnn Kelly	2 nd Ward – Joe McCarthy
TAXPAYER ADVOCATE:	Grace Bardusk	3 rd Ward – Chuck Wolf
CITY ADMINISTRATOR:	Moses Amidei	4 th Ward – Curt Kunz
FINANCE DIRECTOR:	Colleen Julian	5 th Ward – Jim Emmett
FIRE CHIEF:	Garrick Kasper	6 th Ward – Jim Stuewe
POLICE CHIEF:	Scott Durano	7 th Ward – Ericka Vetter
BUILDING COMMISSIONER:	Michael Forbes	
PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR:	Michael Salamowicz	
ASST. COMM. DEV DIRECTOR:	Paul Ruane	
EMA DIRECTOR:	David Rana	
IT DIRECTOR:	Tom Rieman	
CITY ATTORNEY:	Klein, Thorpe and Jenkins, Ltd.	

1. Pledge of Allegiance
2. Roll Call
3. Consideration of a motion to appoint Temporary Chairperson or Mayor Pro Tem of Council
4. Announcements
5. Citizen Participation ([Policy](#))
6. Motion to establish Consent Agenda
7. Consent Agenda

A. Consideration of the following list of bills dated:

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| 1. Regular Bills | - | FY 2025-2026 |
| 2. Supplemental Bills | - | FY 2025-2026 |

B. Consideration of the following minutes:

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| 1. Senior Commission | - | 1/14/2026 |
| 2. Planning & Zoning Commission | - | 2/4/2026 |
| 3. Cable Commission | - | 2/12/2026 |
| 4. Civil Service Commission | - | 1/29/2026 |
| 5. Consumer Protection Commission | - | 2/17/2026 |
| 6. Veterans Commission | - | 11/20/2025 |

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- C. Approval of Special Event Permit & Temporary Liquor License Request by Clover's Bar and Grill - 15548 South Cicero (Fleadh Event). See attached memorandum with supporting details from Deputy Clerk Kelly Oehrlein.
 - D. Approval of Special Event Permit & Temporary Liquor License Request by Cooper's Bar and Grill - 15158 South Cicero (Fleadh Event). See attached memorandum with supporting details from Deputy Clerk Kelly Oehrlein.
 - E. Approval of Special Event Permit & Temporary Liquor License Request by Flannery's in the Forest - 15427 South Cicero (Fleadh Event). See attached memorandum with supporting details from Deputy Clerk Kelly Oehrlein.
 - F. Approval of Special Event Permit & Temporary Liquor License Request by Marcotte's Bar and Grill - 15501 South Cicero (Fleadh Event). See attached memorandum with supporting details from Deputy Clerk Kelly Oehrlein.
8. Public Works
- A. Motion to approve invoice from Airy's, Inc. in the amount of \$10,426.79 to perform repairs to City storm sewer/street at southeast corner of Corey Lane and Terrace Drive as a result of ComEd cable installation. See attached memorandum with supporting details from Director of Public Works Michael Salamowicz.
9. Police
- A. Approval of Ordinance 2026-02-11390 – Amending Chapter 32 of the Code of Oak Forest (Emergency Telephone System Board). See attached memorandum with supporting details from Chief of Police Scott Durano.
 - B. Motion to approve purchase of Kustom Signals, Inc. SMART 12 Radar Trailer in the amount of \$8,998.50. See attached memorandum with supporting details from Chief of Police Scott Durano.
10. Community Development
- A. Approval of Resolution 2026-02-0518R, Approving a Commitment to Funding and Consenting to an Invest in Cook Application for Natalie Creek Trail along the North Side of 151st Street from Central Avenue to Ridgeland Avenue. See attached memorandum with supporting details from Assistant Director of Community and Economic Development Paul Ruane.

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- B. Approval of Resolution 2026-05-0519R, Authorizing a Plat of Condominium at the Property Known as 5560 West 159th Street. See attached memorandum with supporting details from Assistant Director of Community and Economic Development Paul Ruane.

11. Old Business

12. New Business

13. Executive Session

14. Adjournment