

Rock Island Beautification Commission Agenda

Online call-in with Google Meet
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September 14, 2020
5:00 PM



Notice: As part of his Executive Order in Response to Covid-19, #2020-07, section 6, Governor Pritzker announced in part that “During the duration of the Gubernatorial Disaster Proclamation, the provisions of the Open Meetings Act, 5ILCS 120, requiring or relating to in-person attendance by members of a public body are suspended. Specifically, (1) the requirement in 5 ILCS 120/2.01 that ‘members of a public body must be physically present’ is suspended; and (2) the conditions in 5 ILCS 120/7 limiting when remote participation is permitted are suspended. Public bodies are encouraged to postpone consideration of public business where possible.” On Friday, June 12, 2020, the Governor signed P.A. 100-640 (SB 2135) into law, amending the OMA to expressly authorize public bodies to meet remotely without the otherwise required quorum present at the meeting place during a declared public health disaster such as those related to COVID-19.

1. Call to Order and Roll Call

Bob Towler	Todd Linscott	Emily Smith
Sue McDevitt	Jane Tschappat	David VanLandegen
Wanda Lambert	Roy Plasschaert	Lloyd Davis, Sr.

2. Public Comment

3. Opening Items

A. Approval of the Written Agenda for September 14, 2020

Recommended Motion: Move to approve the written agenda for September 14, 2020.

B. Approval of the August 24, 2020 Meeting Minutes

Recommended Motion: Move to approve the meeting minutes for August 24, 2020.

4. Old Business

None

5. New Business

A. “August Yard of the Month” Selection

Recommended Motion: Move to select the winner.

B. “2020 Community Gardens” Review

Recommended Motion: Move to approve Community Garden participant certificates.

C. “2020 Rain Garden” Selection

Recommended Motion: Move to select the winner. Others will receive a participant certificate.

D. Reminder that there will be a Beautification Commission meeting this October and to send staff photos and addresses for noteworthy commercial properties for review at the meeting for the 2020 Commercial Beautification Awards.

6. Other Business

None

7. Adjournment

Recommended Motion: Move to adjourn.