



City of Naperville

400 S. Eagle Street
Naperville, IL 60540

Meeting Minutes - Draft

City Council

Tuesday, May 21, 2024

7:00 PM

Council Chambers

Agenda Introductory Language

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TO PROVIDE PUBLIC COMMENT:

The public may choose to provide public comment in any of the following ways:

1. Address the City Council live during the City Council meeting in-person in City Council Chambers. Individuals wishing to address the City Council during the meeting must sign up online at www.naperville.il.us/speakersignup by 6:30 p.m. on May 21.
2. Individuals can also have their name added to the speaker list by calling the Community Services Department at (630) 305-5300 by 6:30 p.m. on May 21.
3. Submit a written comment to the City in advance of the City Council meeting by 4 p.m. on May 21. Written comments will be compiled and posted with the electronic meeting agenda on the City's website prior to the start of the meeting. The cumulative number of comments will be announced during the City Council meeting.
4. Submit a one-word statement of "SUPPORT" or "OPPOSITION" regarding a specific agenda item by 4 p.m. on May 21. The names of participants who submitted position statements will be compiled and posted with the electronic meeting agenda on the City's website prior to the start of the meeting. The cumulative number of position statements will be announced during the City Council meeting.

There will be no on-site speaker sign up permitted.

PUBLIC ACCOMMODATION:

- Any individual who may require an accommodation to listen to or participate in the meeting should contact the Community Services Department at (630) 305-5300 by 4 p.m. on May 21.
- Questions regarding online sign-up may be directed to the Community Services Department by calling (630) 305-5300.

PARTICIPATION GUIDELINES: The citizen participation guidelines are outlined in 1-5-6-6: - CITIZEN PARTICIPATION of the Naperville Municipal Code.

- **ALL VIEWPOINTS AND OPINIONS WELCOME:** All viewpoints are welcome, positive comments and constructive criticism are encouraged. Speakers must refrain from harassing or directing threats or personal attacks at Council members, staff, other speakers or members of the public. Comments made to intentionally disrupt the meeting may be managed as necessary to maintain appropriate decorum and allow for city business to be accomplished.
- **SPEAKER TIME LIMITS:** Speakers must limit their remarks to no more than three minutes. Petitioners may speak on an agenda item first and have up to 10 minutes and are also granted a five-minute rebuttal once all other speakers have commented.
- **IF YOU SIGNED UP TO SPEAK,** staff will call your name at the appropriate time during the City Council meeting. Once your name is called you may identify yourself for the public record and then address remarks to the City Council as a whole. Speak clearly and try to limit remarks directly to the matter under discussion. Speakers are called in the order they sign up.

A. CALL TO ORDER:**B. ROLL CALL:**

Present: 9 - Mayor Scott Wehrli
Councilwoman Jennifer Bruzan Taylor
Councilman Ian Holzhauer
Councilman Patrick Kelly
Councilman Paul Leong
Councilwoman Allison Longenbaugh
Councilman Josh McBroom
Councilman Benjamin White
Councilman Nathan Wilson

C. CLOSED SESSION - 6:30 p.m.

A motion was made by Councilman White, seconded by Councilman Kelly, to recess to Closed Session to discuss [5 ILCS 120/2(c)(21)] Approval of Minutes and [5 ILCS 120/2(c)(1)] Performance of a Specific Employee of the City. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 - Wehrli, Bruzan Taylor, Holzhauer, Kelly, Leong, Longenbaugh, McBroom, White, and Wilson

OPEN SESSION - 7:00 p.m.

D. ROLL CALL:

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Councilman Ian Holzhauer
Councilman Patrick Kelly
Councilman Paul Leong
Councilwoman Allison Longenbaugh
Councilman Josh McBroom
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Councilman Nathan Wilson

Also Present

City Manager, Doug Krieger; Deputy City Manager, Pam Gallahue; City Attorney, Mike DiSanto; City Clerk, Dawn Portner; Assistant to the City Manager, Marcie Schatz; Fire Chief Mark Puknaitis; Police Chief, Jason Arres; Director of Finance, Ray Munch; Director of IT, Jacqueline Nguyen; Director of TED, Bill Novack, Deputy Director of TED, Allison Laff, Director of Public Utilities - Electric, Brian Groth; Director of Public Utilities - Water, Darrell Blenniss; Director of Human Resources, Blaine Wing; Director of Communications, Linda LaCloche

Daily Herald, Naperville Sun, NCTV-17

E. PLEDGE TO THE FLAG:

The pledge was given.

F. AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS:

1. Presentation of Fire Chief's Citizen Awards
Fire Chief Mark Puknaitis presented the Fire Chief's Citizen Awards
2. Proclaim May 22 - 26, 2024 VFW Buddy Poppy Days in the City of Naperville
Councilwoman Bruzan Taylor presented the proclamation.
3. Proclaim May 2024 as Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Awareness Month in Naperville
Councilwoman Longenbaugh presented the proclamation.
4. Proclaim May 2024 as Asian American and Pacific Islander Month in Naperville
Councilwoman Longenbaugh presented the proclamation.
5. Proclaim May 27, 2024 as Memorial Day and National Moment of Remembrance in Naperville
Councilwoman Bruzan Taylor presented the proclamation.

The Proclamations were presented in the following order:

- May 22-26, 2024 VFW Buddy Poppy Days in the City of Naperville
- May 27, 2024 Memorial Day and National Moment of Remembrance in Naperville
- May 2024 as Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis Awareness Month
- May 2024 as Asian American and Pacific Islander Month in Naperville

G. PUBLIC FORUM:

SPEAKERS

NEST Energy Efficiency Codes

Nicholas Mitchell (Naperville) discussed the importance of future proofing buildings by adopting adaptive and updated building codes as discussed in the Sustainable Naperville 2036 Report, and adopting the Illinois Stretch Energy Code.

Cease fire resolution

Fares Ibrahim urged Council to pass a resolution for a cease fire in Gaza.

Palestine

Ebraheem Yaghmour urged Council to pass a resolution for a cease fire in Gaza.

Divest from genocide collaborators

Keith Larson (Aurora) stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Gaza

Sabrina Hamdan (Naperville) urged Council to pass a resolution for a cease fire in Gaza.

National Historic Preservation Month

Bill Simon (Naperville- Naperville Preservation Inc.) May is Historical Preservation Month.

Palestine

Alisha Sethi (Plainfield) urged Council to pass a resolution for a cease fire in Gaza.

Divestment

Angel Tovar (Naperville) - stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Cease fire resolution in Naperville

Nabilah Siddiqui urged Council to pass a resolution for a cease fire in Gaza.

Divestment

Qasim Rashid (Naperville) stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Human rights attorney Gaza

Farah Chalisa (Naperville) stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Divestment from Boeing

Lauren Reyes-YU (Naperville) stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Palestine

Eakta Gill (Naperville) stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Gaza cease fire

Patty Droogan (Naperville) stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Cease fire and divest resolution

Nicole Pronger (Naperville) stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Cease fire and divest resolution

Jasmine Amimi Pronger (Naperville) urged Council to pass a resolution for a cease fire in Gaza.

Divestment from Boeing

Salek Khalid - stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Divestment

Dr. OM Mohammad - stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

Divestment from companies that support Israel

Basim Esmail (Naperville) - stated that Naperville should not invest in any companies that directly support Israel.

WRITTEN COMMENT ONLY

Peggy Frank (Naperville) I am a long time Napervillian who wrote to you back in March expressing my views opposing a ceasefire resolution. For reference, I am restating my earlier comments. "I am a Naperville resident who strongly feels that having my municipal officials pass a resolution on international affairs is totally inappropriate and outside your elected area of responsibilities. You have paid a great amount of respect to the number of people (both residents and non-residents) you've allowed to express their views during public forum.

However, their message has been heard; continued consumption of large amounts of council meeting time focused on these points takes away from council members being able to address issues affecting our local community. Should council decide to add a "cease fire" resolution to their agenda, I would be deeply offended and appalled should such a resolution be passed. I strongly support humanitarian care throughout the world, including right here in our own country. Is our elected leadership supposed to pick and choose between atrocities in the world? What about the woes in Africa? Ukraine? Every country and region, including the Middle East, faces complexities that have caused rife, warfare and oppression. You cannot just vote for a "cease fire" in Gaza without guaranteeing release of hostages, recognition of Hamas as a terrorist organization that deliberately uses civilians and children as shields, and insurance that Hamas will honor agreements and stop their hostilities. No municipal resolution can provide the impact needed to make this happen. "As public comment continues in your chambers; I urge you to stay steadfast in your decision not to vote on a ceasefire resolution.

Faiza Khan (Naperville) I am reaching out to urgently request the addition of the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" to the agenda for the upcoming Board Meeting scheduled on 06/04/24. As a city celebrated for its commitment to safety and values, Naperville must not remain silent on pressing global concerns. The ongoing breaches of international law by the Netanyahu government, coupled with substantial financial support, demand our immediate attention. As our most direct representative, your decision carries significant weight and will resonate at **higher** levels of governance. The situation is dire: with over 35,000 innocent lives lost and countless children trapped under debris, urgent action is imperative. Esteemed organizations like Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations stress the critical necessity of a ceasefire. The UN's projected 14-year timeline for debris cleanup underscores the extent of devastation, with vital institutions such as schools and hospitals reduced to rubble.

Naperville cannot turn a blind eye to this humanitarian catastrophe. Our city's reputation for safety and family values compels us to denounce such atrocities. The suffering in Gaza transcends geographical boundaries, demanding a unified response rooted in compassion and justice. I urge you to lead the charge in advocating for a ceasefire resolution during the upcoming meeting, amplifying Naperville's voice for peace and humanity.

Zohara Tamjeed I am writing to respectfully request that the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" be added to the agenda for the next Naperville Board Meeting on 06/04/24. I am very proud to be living in the neighborhood of Naperville, my kids go to Naperville schools, and I work here. I am proud of its reputation for safety, diversity, family values, and excellence. However, I am deeply troubled by the ongoing humanitarian crisis in Gaza, which stands in

stark contrast to our city's values. Despite international law violations, billions of dollars in aid continue to flow to the Netanyahu government. As our most direct form of government, I urge you to represent our community's conscience and advocate for an immediate ceasefire. Your decision will resonate with higher levels of government and send a powerful message. The statistics are staggering over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children remain trapped under rubble. Renowned organizations like Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have all called for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations estimates that clearing metal debris alone will take over 14 years. The destruction of churches, mosques, schools, and libraries is almost total, and the healthcare system teeters on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Aid is being blocked, leading to starvation and famine. This is not just a local issue but a humanitarian crisis that demands our collective action. As residents who take pride in our city's values, we cannot remain silent in the face of such atrocities. I implore you to pass a ceasefire resolution and stand up for humanity.

Mahnaz Mohiuddin (Naperville) I am writing to request you to have the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. Naperville is a city known for its safety and values. Billions of dollars are being sent to the Netanyahu government as it continues to violate international law. You are the most direct form of government to us, and I request that you represent us. Your decision will send a message to higher levels of government. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations reported that the cleanup of metal from the debris will take more than 14 years. Almost all churches, mosques, schools, and libraries are destroyed, and The World Health Organization reports that the healthcare system is on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Adequate aid is not being allowed into the strip, resulting in starvation and famine. This is not a local issue, but it is a humanitarian crisis that we must stand up for. As residents that take pride in our city for being known for its safety, family values, and excellence, we cannot tolerate these crimes against civilians. The extent of the violence against innocent people has gone too far for us to stay silent. I urge you to please pass a ceasefire resolution to advocate for humanity.

Sana Shafiuddin As a citizen resident of DuPage County, and an educator, children's advocate, and mental health professional: I am requesting the city to call for an immediate and permanent ceasefire to end the massacre of children and genocide in Palestine. I am also requesting an urgent flow of humanitarian assistance, and a call to establish a viable, independent Palestinian state, free

from Israel and any oppression. This is a local matter as the situation has drastically been affecting citizens of DuPage county, including me, my family, my students, and my communities. I understand the board does not have the authority to change federal actions, however you are the first line of communication for us citizens and you can make a difference by passing a resolution and showing support to the oppressed side. Please be on the right side of history, on the side of the oppressed and colonized. Our tax money should not be sent to arm Israel against innocent children and families. This is a call for humanity for a whole. Use our tax money where it should be spent such as healthcare, education, social services, proper nutrition and preserving the planet. Your consideration for humanity will encourage other communities and cities to follow, please me a good example for them and for our younger generation.

Mukarram Qureshi (Naperville) I am writing to request you to have the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. Naperville is a city known for its safety and values. Billions of dollars are being sent to the Netanyahu government as it continues to violate international law. You are the most direct form of government to us, and I request that you represent us. Your decision will send a message to higher levels of government. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations reported that just the cleanup of metal from the debris will take more than 14 years. Almost all churches, mosques, schools, and libraries are destroyed, and The World Health Organization reports that the healthcare system is on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Adequate aid is not being allowed into the strip, resulting starvation and famine. This is not a local issue, but it a humanitarian crisis that we must stand up for. As residents that take pride in our city for being known for its safety, family values, and excellence, we cannot tolerate these crimes against civilians. The extent of the violence against innocent people has gone too far for us to stay silent. I urge you to please pass a ceasefire resolution to advocate for humanity.

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Shafeequrrahman Manglore (Aurora) Billions of dollars are being sent to the Netanyahu government as it continues to violate international law. You are the most direct form of government to us, and I request that you represent us. Your decision will send a message to higher levels of government. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations reported that the cleanup of metal from the debris will take more than 14 years. Almost all churches, mosques, schools, and libraries are destroyed, and The World Health Organization reports that the healthcare system is on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Adequate aid is not being allowed into the strip, resulting in starvation and famine. This is not a local issue, but it is a humanitarian crisis that we must stand up for. As residents that take pride in our city for being known for its safety, family values, and excellence, we cannot tolerate these crimes against civilians. The extent of the violence against innocent people has gone too far for us to stay silent. I urge you to please pass a ceasefire resolution to advocate for humanity.

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Omer A Rehman (Naperville) I am writing to request you to have the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. Naperville is a city known for its safety and values. Billions of dollars are being sent to the Netanyahu government as it continues to violate international law. You are the most direct form of government to us, and I request that you represent us. Your decision will send a message to higher levels of government. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations reported that the cleanup of metal from the debris will take more than 14 years. Almost all churches, mosques, schools, and libraries are destroyed, and The World Health Organization reports that the healthcare system is on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Adequate aid is not being allowed into the strip, resulting in starvation and famine. This is not a local issue, but it is a humanitarian crisis that we must stand up for. As residents that take pride in our city for being known for its safety, family values, and excellence, we cannot tolerate these crimes against civilians. The extent of the violence against innocent people has gone too far for us to stay silent. I urge you to please pass a ceasefire resolution to advocate for humanity.

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Yasmeen Tahir (Naperville) I am writing to request you to have the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. Naperville is a city known for its safety and values. Billions of dollars are being sent to the Netanyahu government as it continues to violate international law. You are the most direct form of government to us, and I request that you represent us. Your decision will send a message to higher levels of government. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations reported that just the cleanup of metal from the debris will take more than 14 years. Almost all churches, mosques, schools, and libraries are destroyed, and The World Health Organization reports that the healthcare system is on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Adequate aid is not being allowed into the strip, resulting starvation and famine. This is not a local issue, but it is a humanitarian crisis that we must stand up for. As residents that take pride in our city for being known for its safety, family values, and excellence, we cannot tolerate these crimes against civilians. The extent of the violence against innocent people has gone too far for us to stay silent. I urge you to please pass a ceasefire resolution to advocate for humanity.

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Moaz Khan (Warrenville) Hello, I am writing to request a permanent ceasefire in

Gaza. Billions of dollars are spent resulting in mass civilian casualties, mostly women and children. I urge our people of power to not remain silent in this manner as we have the power to end the genocide. America must not remain silent as we are the greatest nation in the world, we have a great responsibility. Change for a better future filled with love starts now. Please stop the killing. Please pass a permanent ceasefire for humanity.

Ali Mihiuddin (Naperville) I am writing to request you to have the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. Naperville is a city known for its safety and values. Billions of dollars are being sent to the Netanyahu government as it continues to violate international law. You are the most direct form of government to us, and I request that you represent us. Your decision will send a message to higher levels of government. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations reported that the cleanup of metal from the debris will take more than 14 years. Almost all churches, mosques, schools, and libraries are destroyed, and The World Health Organization reports that the healthcare system is on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Adequate aid is not being allowed into the strip, resulting in starvation and famine. This is not a local issue, but it is a humanitarian crisis that we must stand up for. As residents that take pride in our city for being known for its safety, family values, and excellence, we cannot tolerate these crimes against civilians. The extent of the violence against innocent people has gone too far for us to stay silent. I urge you to please pass a ceasefire resolution to advocate for humanity.

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Huda Silat (Naperville) The city of Naperville cannot and must not continue to perpetuate this dichotomy that we are currently living in. There is a genocide going on, funded by our tax dollars. Naperville needs to be on the right side of history. We have witnessed enough hate in our city and surrounding ones. It is time to show that the city of Naperville wants to foster a safe environment not only for its residents but also for those across the world. Please call for a ceasefire

Kashif Mahmood (Naperville) I am writing to request you to have the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. As a Naperville resident millions of dollars of my tax is being sent to Israel as "aid". Israel is massacring innocent Men, women and children in Gaza, Palestine! Over 35,000 civilians are killed by bombs and tanks, maimed or under the rubble in past 6 months. The international Court of Justice has called it plausible case of genocide. 70% of the murdered are women and children! Almost all hospitals, churches, schools and mosques are destroyed. Deliberate starvation of masses is happening by blocking aid! Intent of genocide is very clear. All this must stop! As Americans, we should never tolerate crimes against humanity. As a Naperville resident, I plan to join the Village Board Meeting on 05/21/24 and look forward to your decision to pass the Permanent Ceasefire Resolution.

Wael Ibrahim (Naperville) We have received information that the Zionist opposition to the resolution has sent 800 comments/emails so that the city council does not pass the resolution. We are asking your support to please submit a written speaker-sign-up/comment/ It is encouraged you write your own comment: I am writing to request you to have the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. Naperville is a city known for its safety and values. Billions of dollars are being sent to the Netanyahu government as it continues to violate international law. You are the most direct form of government to us, and I request that you represent us. Your decision will send a message to higher levels of government. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations reported that the cleanup of metal from the debris will take more than 14 years. Almost all churches, mosques, schools, and libraries are destroyed, and The World Health Organization reports that the healthcare system is on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Adequate aid is not being allowed into

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Zura Liaqat (Naperville) Billions of dollars are being allocated to the Netanyahu administration despite ongoing breaches of international law. As citizens, we look to you, our most direct representatives, to voice our concerns. Your decision will resonate with higher authorities. In the past six months alone, over 35,000 innocent lives have been lost, with thousands of children trapped beneath rubble. Esteemed organizations like Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations stress the urgent need for a ceasefire. According to the United Nations, clearing debris will take over 14 years. Nearly all places of worship, schools, and libraries lie in ruins, while the healthcare system teeters on collapse due to fuel shortages, as per the World Health Organization. Essential aid is denied entry, leading to starvation and famine. This transcends local concerns; it's a humanitarian crisis demanding our action. As proud residents of a city known for safety, family values, and excellence, we cannot turn a blind eye to these atrocities. The scale of violence against civilians demands our vocal opposition. I implore you to pass a resolution for an immediate ceasefire, advocating for humanity

Fatimah Murad (Naperville) I acknowledge that the issue that I raise today may seem to be distant and irrelevant to some residents of our small city. It does not have any tangible affect on our day to day lives, but it is relevant to our humanity and to our communal values. Naperville is a city that prides itself in being a safe and prosperous place to live where residents can thrive and feel secure. Experiencing such comforts should make us recognize how essential it is for all people. Right now there are over 2 million people in+ Gaza that are living in horrific circumstances which are the extreme opposite of our own quality of life. Every library, school, and place of worship is either destroyed or irreparably damaged. The sanitation infrastructure is non-functional. The hospitals that are still standing are struggling to operate, a man made famine is causing widespread starvation. And every day bombs made in our country and acquired by our tax dollars rain down from the sky adding to a death toll already exceeding 35,000 more than half of whom are innocent children. Experts have said that restoring Gaza to its pre war conditions will take decades, but the process cannot even begin while the war continues. Reputable international organizations such as Doctors Without Borders and the United Nations have stressed that a permanent ceasefire is imperative to prevent further catastrophic loss of life and end the unimaginable suffering of a captive population. I urge the residents and City Council of Naperville to join many other

conscientious communities from around the country such as Santa Monica, CA and our own City of Chicago in calling for permanent ceasefire in Gaza and showing our commitment to humanity.

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Jessica Baragas I am urging the city of Naperville to divest from Boeing and all other companies profiting from war, human right violations, or genocides. The city of Naperville is shown to have over \$300,000 investment in Boeing, and receives regular interest payments on corporate bonds owned. Continuing to Invest in Boeing is an endorsement of how Boeing earns its profits and how recipients of Boeing’s products (e.g. Israel Defense Forces) use them. Does Naperville endorse the use of bombs on civilian targets? Palestinian residents of Naperville have family members in Gaza whose lives are in imminent danger of being killed by Boeing’s bombs and warplanes. Council members can take a moral and courageous stand for their Palestinian constituents by divesting from the company creating the weapons used to kill their families. The City of Naperville can easily sell its Boeing-issued corporate bonds and redirect those funds to a more ethical alternative. For example, US Treasury bonds and municipal bonds are used to fund critical infrastructure projects here at home. The City of Naperville can also update its Investment and Cash Management Policy to prohibit investments in companies profiting from war and human rights violations. As Americans we must stand for justice and that means condemning genocide to the highest degree and demanding a cease fire.

Fatima Khan (Naperville) I am writing to request you to have the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. Naperville is a city known for its safety and values. Billions of dollars are being sent to the Netanyahu government as it continues to violate international law. You are the most direct form of government to us, and I request that you represent us. Your decision will send a message to higher levels of government. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire. The United Nations reported that just the cleanup of metal from the debris will take more than 14 years. Almost all churches, mosques, schools, and libraries are destroyed, and The World Health Organization reports that the healthcare system is on the brink of collapse due to fuel shortages. Adequate aid is not being allowed into the strip, resulting starvation and famine. This is not a local issue, but it a humanitarian crisis that we must stand up for. As residents that take pride in our city for being known for its safety, family values, and excellence, we cannot tolerate these crimes against civilians. The extent of the violence against innocent people has gone too far for us to stay silent. I urge you to please pass a ceasefire resolution to advocate for humanity.

Shoaib Khadri (Naperville) I am appealing to the moral conscience of the Naperville City Council to show your disdain for the genocide happening in Gaza. Therefore, I am requesting that you include the "Permanent Ceasefire Resolution" on the agenda for the next Board Meeting on 06/04/24. While you may feel that this is not a local issue, resolutions from local cities send a message to Washington DC that Americans care about humanitarian issues. Over 35,000 innocent civilians have lost their lives, and thousands of children have been under the rubble in the past 6 months. Several renowned bodies such as Doctors Without Borders, the International Court of Justice, and the United Nations have urged the necessity for an immediate ceasefire.

Kate Kownacki (Tinley Park) As someone who was born and raised in the Chicago suburbs, and who has family living and working in Naperville, I was deeply disturbed and disappointed when I learned that the City of Naperville owns corporate bonds issued by Boeing, and receives interest payments from Boeing on a regular basis in exchange for its investment. Boeing made the most guided bombs and munitions delivered to Israel of any U.S. company from 2021-2023. According to Amnesty International, in just two of the many documented air strikes, Boeing-made bombs killed 43 civilians in Gaza. One of those airstrikes in Deir al-Balahon on October 10th killed the family Suleiman Salman al-Najjar (48), who told Amnesty International that his wife Susanne Subhi Asalam Najjar (40) was killed along with four of their children: daughters Safa (17 months) and Farah (23), and sons Yazan (14) and Nadim (20). Not

only is the choice to own corporate bonds and profit off the interest unethical, it is extremely disrespectful to the Palestinian residents of Naperville who have family members in Gaza and are in imminent danger of being killed by Boeing's bombs and warplanes. Naperville City Council can, and should, take the moral and courageous stand for its Palestinian constituents by divesting from the company creating the weapons used to kill their families.

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Salek Khalid (Aurora) I was deeply disturbed to learn that the City of Naperville's investment portfolio includes Boeing-issued corporate bonds. Boeing is a defense contractor that has a well-documented record of providing weaponry to states that routinely carry out violence against civilian populations. Boeing's weapons have been used extensively in war crimes against civilians in Yemen since 2014, and they've also been used repeatedly by Israel to target civilian infrastructure in Gaza since October 2023. I urge the Naperville City Council to divest as soon as possible from Boeing. The city's investment is an endorsement of how Boeing earns its profits and how recipients of Boeing's products use them. Palestinian residents of Naperville have family members in Gaza whose lives are in imminent danger of being killed by Boeing's bombs and warplanes. Council members can take a moral and courageous stand for their Palestinian constituents by divesting from the company creating the weapons used to kill their families. Last I urge the City of Naperville to update its Investment and Cash Management Policy to prohibit any future investments in companies profiting from war and human rights violations.

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Tage Brahmhatt I think many of us often think about what our legacies will be after we are gone from this world. I find it instructive to look at legacies like those of my political hero Nelson Mandela and my favorite writer James Baldwin to find, in a chaotic world, what truly matters in the end. I've found that this thing can be defined as basic humanity and you do not need to look at famous individuals for incredible legacies in service of it. You can look at the legacy of the over 150 states, counties, and municipalities they placed sanctions on businesses operating in Apartheid South Africa long before Congress passed a National set of restrictions against that government. These municipalities were pivotal in getting Congress to place restrictions and ultimately breaking apartheid in South Africa. The city of San Francisco imposed similar sanctions on Myanmar pressuring President Clinton to do the same.

Further still, New York City and a number of surrounding suburbs banned certain Swiss Banks from bidding on bonds because those municipalities were not satisfied with the explanation given about the dispossession of assets of Holocaust victims in World War II. As a North Central College Alum, I know now is the time for Naperville to add its name to the list. We have an economic and moral imperative to divest from Boeing. I ask you city council members, what will your legacy be? Will you tell your constituents that you have no moral and economic imperative when looking at their dead family members? Is that the legacy you want? It's getting close to too late to change it.

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Lena Mackley (Naperville) I am writing to express my support with Naperville divesting from Boeing. Boeing is funding genocide happening in Palestine as its aircraft and weaponry have been used since 1948, according to research center WhoProfits.org. Boeing has also made the most guided bombs and munitions delivered to Israel of any U.S. company from 2021-2023, according to an infographic that can be found on NPR dated May 13, 2024. Boeing-manufactured weapons facilitated the mass killings of Palestinian families in Deir al-Balah (Oct 10 and 22) and Jabalia Refugee Camp (Oct 31 and Nov 1). Please consider divesting from Boeing as our tax dollars should be used towards improving our city and our community, not killing and ethnic cleansing Palestinian people or any people. Let's put our dollars to use for good.

POSITION STATEMENT

Resolution for a cease fire in Gaza.

SUPPORT

Abdul-Ghani Hanidu (Aurora)
Mohammed Sayeed (Bolingbrook)
Mohammed Waheed (Naperville)
Annie Usman (Naperville)
Roxana Waheed (Naperville)
Danish Iqbal (Naperville)
Anjum Yousuf (Naperville)
Mariam Ahmed (Naperville)
Mohammed Khadir (Aurora)
Aki Moinuddin
Jabeen Shaik (Naperville)
Syed Mohiuddin
Seema Islam (Woodridge)
Faaria Husain (Naperville)
Faiza Ahmed (Naperville)

Ismat Jahan (Naperville)
Muhammad Ahmar Arshi (Naperville)
Syeda Amber Ahmar (Naperville)
Arsal Ahmar (Naperville)
Ashir Ahmar (Naperville)
Arham Ahmar (Naperville)
Aariz Ahmar (Naperville)

Council discussed the new lobbying process instituted this year, a letter sent to the City from the Naperville Area Chamber of Commerce and the Restaurant Association concerning a proposed bill in the Illinois Legislature that would eliminate the sub-minimum wage (\$8.40) and raise the hourly rate for all tipped employees to \$14.

Krieger acknowledged the Chamber did contact the City regarding the proposed bill and this information was included in the regular correspondence to the Council. Based on the response from the Council the City decided not to take a position on this issue.

The meeting recessed from 8:35 p.m. to 8:41 p.m.

H. CONSIDERATION OF MOTION TO USE OMNIBUS METHOD FOR THE CONSENT AGENDA:

I. CONSENT AGENDA:

Approval of the Consent Agenda

A motion was made by Councilman White, seconded by Councilman Kelly, to approve the Consent Agenda with an amendment to the minutes as reflected in the Q&A. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 - Wehrl, Bruzan Taylor, Holzhauser, Kelly, Leong, Longenbaugh, McBroom, White, and Wilson

1. Approve the Cash Disbursements for the period of April 1, 2024 through April 30, 2024 for a total of \$26,349,318.39

Council approved.

2. Approve the regular City Council meeting minutes of May 7, 2024

Council approved.

3. Approve the City Council meeting schedule for June, July, and August 2024
Council approved.
4. Waive the applicable provisions of the Naperville Procurement Code and award Procurement 24-140, SOG Sedan Vehicle Replacement - Unit 100, to Valley Honda, for an amount not to exceed \$27,498.03 and for a one-time purchase
Council awarded.
5. Approve an appointment to the Historic Preservation Commission
Council approved.
6. Receive the year-to-date Budget Report through April 30, 2024
Report received.
7. Receive the year-to-date Investment and Cash Balance Report through March 31, 2024
Report received.
8. Approve the award of Bid 24-122, Electric Equipment Painting, to BP&T, for an amount not to exceed \$500,000 and for a one-year term
Council approved.
9. Waive the applicable provisions of the Naperville Procurement Code and approve the award of Procurement 24-116, Spoils Disposal, to Heartland Recycling and Waste Management, for an amount not to exceed \$150,000 and for a three-year term
Council approved.
10. Approve the award of Change Order #1 to Contract 22-315.0-01, Navistar OEM Parts, to Rush Truck Centers of Illinois, Inc., for an additional three months
Council approved.
11. Approve the award of Change Order #4 to Contract 19-009.0-04, 248th Avenue Phase I, to Civiltech Engineering, for an amount not to exceed \$47,393 and a total award of \$450,600
Council approved.
12. Approve the award of Change Order #8 to Contract 16-135.0-08, North Aurora Road Underpass Design, to TranSystems Corporation, for an amount not to exceed \$134,240 and a total award of \$2,663,176.35
Council approved.
13. Approve the award of Cooperative Procurement 24-148, Shop Tools and Equipment,

to Snap-on Industrial, for an amount not to exceed \$107,800 and for a 44-month term

Council approved.

14. Approve the award of Cooperative Procurement 24-144, Multi-Functional Copiers Cost-Per-Copy Program Phase Four, to Canon Solutions America, Inc., for an amount not to exceed \$238,890 and for a five-year term

Council approved.

15. Approve the award of RFQ 24-021, Bridge Program Manager, to TranSystems Corporation, for an amount not to exceed \$110,248 and for a 31-month term

Council approved.

16. Accept the public street improvements at Carpenter Rd. & Lacebark Ln. in Ashwood Park South Unit 3, Phase 3 and authorize the City Clerk to reduce the corresponding public improvement surety

Council approved.

17. Waive the first reading and pass the ordinance approving revisions to the City's Investment and Cash Management Policy (requires six positive votes)

ORD 24-042

Council passed.

18. Pass the ordinance to establish temporary traffic controls and issue Special Event and Amplifier permits for the 2024 Downtown Naperville Car Show on Saturday, June 15, 2024

ORD 24-043

Council passed.

19. Pass the ordinance approving a platted setback deviation for the property at 730 Douglas Avenue - PZC 24-1-042

ORD 24-044

Council passed.

20. Pass the ordinance prohibiting the use of groundwater as a potable water supply within the specified limits for the properties located at 1061 S Washington Street and 5 E Gartner Road

ORD 24-045

Council passed.

21. Pass the ordinance approving a conditional use for the property at 424 Fort Hill Drive Unit 142 -PZC 24-1-028

ORD 24-046

Council passed.

22. Receive the staff report for southeast corner of IL Route 59 and 103rd Street (South 40 Lots 4, 5, & 6 Resub) (Life Time) - PZC 23-1-091 (Item 1 of 4)

Report received.

23. Pass the ordinance approving the Preliminary Plat of Naperville - South Forty Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7 Resubdivision (Life Time) - PZC 23-1-091 (Item 2 of 4)

ORD 24-047

Council passed.

24. Pass the ordinance rezoning Lot 1 of the South Forty Lots 4, 5, 6 and 7 Resubdivision from B2 to OCI (Life Time) - PZC 23-1-091 (Item 3 of 4)

ORD 24-048

Council passed.

25. Pass the ordinance granting a variance to Section 6-16-5:2.1 of the City's Sign Code to allow a wall sign on the south façade of the building (Life Time) - PZC 23-1-091 (Item 4 of 4)

ORD 24-049

Council passed.

26. Approve the award of RFQ 22-265, 87th Street Bridge Reconstruction Over Springbrook Creek - Phase II, to Baxter & Woodman, Inc., for an amount not to exceed \$391,678 and for a five-year term (Item 1 of 3)

Council approved.

27. Adopt the resolution approving an appropriation for an amount not to exceed \$391,678 for Phase - II design engineering services for the 87th Street Bridge Reconstruction over Springbrook Creek - Phase II (Item 2 of 3)

RES 24-14

Council adopted.

28. Adopt the resolution approving the local-public agency agreement with the Illinois Department of Transportation for Phase II design engineering services of the 87th Street Bridge Reconstruction over Springbrook Creek Phase II (Item 3 of 3)

RES 24-15

Council adopted.

29. Adopt the resolution authorizing an Institutional Custody Agreement between the City

of Naperville and Midwest Institutional Trust Company

RES 24-16

Council adopted.

K. OLD BUSINESS:

L. ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS:

M. AWARD OF BIDS AND OTHER ITEMS OF EXPENDITURE:

1. Approve the award of Bid 24-019, 2024 Roadway Resurfacing - Motor Fuel Tax South, to K-Five Construction Corporation for an amount not to exceed \$4,163,126.63 plus a 3% contingency (Item 1 of 3)

Council discussed the noise issues resulting from the fall 2023 resurfacing project on West Street.

Novack explained that the noise issues were caused by new equipment used by the vendor as well as a different mix of product which resulted in the imperfections of the rolling patterns. Due to the warmer weather the imperfections have cleared up in the southbound lanes and are expected to do the same in the north bound lanes throughout the summer months. He stated City inspectors and the City's testing firms will continue to monitor the area.

Councilman White made a motion, seconded by Councilman Kelly, to approve the award of Bid 24-019, 2024 Roadway Resurfacing - Motor Fuel Tax South, to K-Five Construction Corporation for an amount not to exceed \$4,163,126.63 plus a 3% contingency (Item 1 of 3). The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 - Wehrli, Bruzan Taylor, Holzhauser, Kelly, Leong, Longenbaugh, McBroom, White, and Wilson

2. Adopt the IDOT resolution in the amount of \$4,163,126.63 to allow for expenditure of State Motor Fuel Tax dollars to fund the 2024 Roadway Resurfacing - Motor Fuel Tax South (Item 2 of 3)

RES 24-17

Councilman White made a motion, seconded by Councilman Keyy, to adopt the IDOT resolution in the amount of \$4,163,126.63 to allow for expenditure of State Motor Fuel Tax dollars to fund the 2024 Roadway Resurfacing - Motor Fuel Tax South (Item 2 of 3). The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 - Wehrli, Bruzan Taylor, Holzhauser, Kelly, Leong, Longenbaugh, McBroom, White, and Wilson

3. Pass the ordinance approving an amendment to the City of Naperville 2024 Annual Budget for the 2024 Street Maintenance Improvement Program (requires six positive votes) (Item 3 of 3)

ORD 24-050

Councilman White made a motion, seconded by Councilman Kelly, to pass the ordinance approving an amendment to the City of Naperville 2024 Annual Budget for the 2024 Street Maintenance Improvement Program (requires six positive votes) (Item 3 of 3). The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 - Wehrli, Bruzan Taylor, Holzhauer, Kelly, Leong, Longenbaugh, McBroom, White, and Wilson

N. PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS:

O. REPORTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Receive the report on the Naperville Electric Utility and changes in consumer behavior

Groth gave the third in a series of presentations on the Electric Utility which focused on how the conversation around energy has changed over the past two decades, a shift that has taken place in consumer behavior and sustainability trends that impact business, how this shift has impacted the utility's business model, goals of the Electric Utility and the City's local sustainability efforts.

Council discussed the findings of the City's battery storage research and an update on hiring a consultant and the RFP process.

Groth stated he and his staff are continually researching different options for battery storage. At the present time there would be a significant investment required by the City to interconnect the battery storage and it is not cost neutral. There would need to be a financial investment by the City that they could not recoup in the markets. The City currently has two RFP's out for review and final contracts are currently being negotiated. The contract should part of the June 4, 2024 agenda for Council consideration.

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Report received

P. NEW BUSINESS:

Financial support for NCTV17

White proposed directing staff to bring back a report for the June 19, 2024 Council meeting that discusses potential resources and options for increase funding for NCTV17. The report should also include a cost analysis of how NCTV17 benefits the City vs. the City going out to the marketplace for the services they offer. Reach out to City partners such as D203 and D204 for any suggestions or resources available to support NCTV17.

By consensus, Council directed staff to come back with potential suggestions and resources available for this proposal.

Q. ADJOURNMENT:

A motion was made by Councilman White, seconded by Councilman Kelly, to adjourn the Regular City Council Meeting of May 21, 2024 at 9:14 p.m. The motion carried by a voice vote.

/S/ Dawn C. Portner
Dawn C. Portner
City Clerk