

**SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING AUGUST 24, 2026
CONTINUED ON AUGUST 27, 2026, AT 6:13 P.M.
204 PULASKI ROAD, CALUMET CITY, ILLINOIS**

Reconvened From The Special Meeting from August 24, 2026, continued at 6:03 p.m. on August 27,
Special Meeting 2026, by 6:13 p.m. on July 30, 2026, by Mayor Thaddeus Jones.

Recess

ROLL CALL

PRESENT 7 ALDERMEN: Harvey, Wilson, Tillman, Williams, Gardner, Nelson, Phillips.
ABSENT: 0 ALDERMEN: None

Also present were: City Clerk Dr. Figgs, City Treasurer Tarka,
City Administrator Deanne Jaffrey, Police Chief Kolosh, Fire Chief Bachert
ESDA Director Ashley Allen, Crime Free Housing Director Mike Banskee,
Deputy Fire Chief Sam Vega, Corporation Counsel Maurie Hunt,
Corporation Counsel Paul O'Grady, Finance Director John Kasperek, and Deputy
Clerk I Jessica Coffee.

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

Approval to the Repeal Alderman Wilson moved, seconded by Alderman Gardner to approve the
And the Amendment of repealing of Chapter 2, Article IV, Division 6 of the Municipal Code of
Chapter 2, Article IV, Calumet City and the abolition of the office of City Administrator/ Comptroller,
Division 6 including any related amendments necessary to effectuate the abolition of the
office.

(Ord.#26-15) (See Attached 1A)

ROLL CALL

AYES: 7 ALDERMEN: Harvey, Wilson, Tillman, Williams, Gardner, Nelson,
Phillips
NAYS: 0 ALDERMEN: None
ABSENT: 0 ALDERMAN: None

MOTION CARRIED

Salary Ordinance Alderman Wilson stated the council has received a clean version of the salary
Preparation ordinance but has questions regarding two positions listed in the ordinance. The
Discussion council decided to discuss and take action on the Salary Ordinance at the next
meeting after their questions had been answered.

Tabling of the Alderman Harvey moved, seconded by Alderman Gardner to table action on the

**Ordinance 26-15 Was Not
Provided to the City Clerk**

Salary Ordinance

Salary Ordinance as well as authorizing Corporation Counsel and/or designated labor council to provide any notices required by law or applicable collective bargaining agreements concerning the city's proposed staffing reorganization and the potential abolition of positions identified through the city's staffing and personnel review; to commence and conduct collective bargaining concerning the proposed action and its effects to the extent required by the Illinois Public Labor Relations Act and applicable collective bargaining agreement; to provide relevant and nonprivileged information as required by law; and to take all lawful actions necessary to preserve the City's rights in pending or anticipated administrative or judicial proceedings.

ROLL CALL

AYES:	7	ALDERMEN:	Harvey, Wilson, Tillman, Williams, Gardner. Nelson, Phillips
NAYS:	0	ALDERMEN:	None
ABSENT:	0	ALDERMAN:	None

MOTION CARRIED

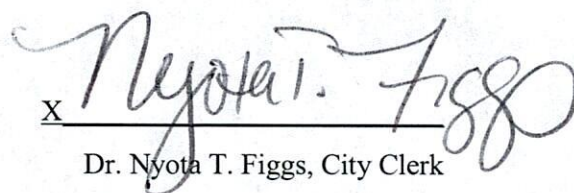
Alderman Gardner

Alderman Gardner announced for the residents knowledge that action was taken item #6 regarding the reimbursement to the City of Calumet City by Mayor Jones.

ADJOURNMENT

Alderman Gardner moved, seconded by Alderman Phillips to adjourn at 6:11 p.m.

MOTION CARRIED

X 
Dr. Nyota T. Figs, City Clerk