

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE  
HELD ON MAY 14, 2026  
204 PULASKI ROAD, CALUMET CITY, ILLINOIS

CALL TO ORDER The Committee of the Whole meeting was called to order at 5:37 p.m. on May 14, 2026, by Mayor Thaddeus Jones.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT 7 ALDERMEN: Harvey (6:02 p.m.), Wilson, Tillman (5:42 p.m.), Williams, Gardner, Nelson (5:48 p.m.), Phillips.

ABSENT: 0 ALDERMEN: NONE

Also present were: City Clerk Dr. Figgs, City Treasurer Tarka (5:58 p.m.)  
Deputy Clerk I Jessica Coffee, Fire Chief Bachert,  
Water Commissioner Gerry Surufka, Water  
Deputy Kevin Embry, City Administrator Deanne  
Jaffrey, Legislative Counsel Jayman Avery,  
Corporate Counsel Paul O' Grady (6:02 p.m.)

PUBLIC COMMENT None

Motion to Enter Into Closed Session Alderman Phillips moved, seconded by Alderman Gardner to discuss IEPA/EPA/ Calumet City Order and USEPA Administrative Order.

**MOTION CARRIED**

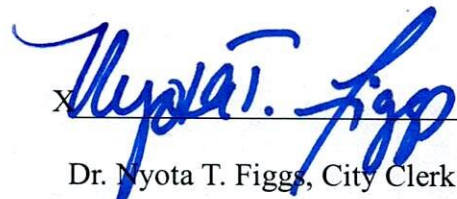
Executive Session The council met in executive session from 5:48 p.m. to 6:40 p.m.

Return to the Regular Order of Business Alderman Phillips moved, seconded by Alderman Tillman to return to the regular order of business at 6:45 p.m.

**MOTION CARRIED**

Adjournment Alderman Harvey moved to adjourn, seconded by Alderman Phillips at 6:45 p.m.

**MOTION CARRIED**

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Dr. Nyota T. Figgs, City Clerk