

CITY OF WASHINGTON, ILLINOISCommittee of the Whole Agenda Communication

Meeting Date: November 10, 2025

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Agenda Item: Golf Carts on City Streets – Referendum Question Discussion

Background:

City Council discussed the allowance of Golf Carts on City Streets at the October Committee of the Whole meeting. During this conversation, there were multiple items brought up but no clear consensus. One of the items that was brought up was a possible nonbinding advisory question referendum on the next election ballot. The City Clerk would need to provide the referendum language to the County by Monday, December 29, 2025.

A possible nonbinding advisory question might be worded similar to the following:

"Should the City Council allow the operation of golf carts within City of Washington?"

Action Requested: Staff seeks discussion and direction from Council regarding the development and placement of a nonbinding advisory question on the next election ballot.

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