

**CITY OF WASHINGTON, ILLINOIS**  
**SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING - MONDAY, JULY 11, 2016**  
**LIBRARY MEETING ROOM**  
**380 N. WILMOR ROAD – 6:30 P.M.**

Mayor Manier called the Special meeting of Monday, January 11, 2016 to order at 6:30 p.m. in the Library Meeting Room at Five Points Washington.	Call to Order
Present and answering roll call were Aldermen Brownfield, Brucks, T. Gee, Moss, Butler, Dingledine, and J. Gee.	Roll Call
Also present was City Administrator Culotta, Controller Joanie Baxter, Director of Public Works Ed Andrews, P & D Director Jon Oliphant, Police Chief Don Volk, City Treasurer Ellen Dingledine, City Clerk Pat Brown, and members of the press.	
Mayor Manier asked for a moment of silence in memory of the recent Dallas Police Officer shootings. He shared that following the moment of silence, the WCHS Girls Softball Team and 4x800 Relay Team will lead the Pledge. All present stood for the Moment of Silence and the Pledge of Allegiance.	Pledge of Allegiance Moment of Silence
None.	Audience Comments
City Clerk Brown swore in Ward IV Alderman Jon Moehle.	Swearing In: Ward IV Alderman, Jon Moehle
Mayor Manier recognized the WCHS Girls Softball Team for their outstanding season and 2 <sup>nd</sup> place State title finish. He recognized the WCHS Girls 4x800 Relay Team for their outstanding season and 1 <sup>st</sup> place State title finish. Following an introduction of all team members by their coaches several girls shared about their season experiences and how they came together as a team. Girls Track Coach Tom Smith and Girls Softball Coach Stephanie Ramsey shared their appreciation for community support they receive. Mayor Manier thanked them for their successes and all they have done in shaping these young ladies lives and for the wonderful job they have done in preparing them for the media. He also shared that the community recognition signs will be going up soon.	Recognition of WCHS Girls Softball Team & 4x800 Relay Team
Mr. Brian Barron from the Washington Fire Department Board of Directors introduced Mr. Roger Traver and his wife Nancy. He shared that Mr. Traver will be the new Executive Director of Operations for the Fire Department. Mr. Traver shared that he is appreciative of the opportunity and shared that it will open a nice channel between the Department and the City to enhance services on a daily basis. He thanked the Fire Board for the opportunity and shared that he or Acting Fire Chief Randy Hurd are always available to be contacted. He shared an abbreviated report with the Council on their call activity for the month and that they have an upcoming training event that will help boost tourism called Nozzle Forward on August 8 <sup>th</sup> and 9 <sup>th</sup> . He shared that they have filled 34 of the 50 spots available with 14 of those coming from out of state and they will be staying in our hotels and eating in our restaurants and encouraged everyone to say hello if they see them out. Mayor Manier pointed out that the paramedics had a recent incident where they were able to revive someone from a drug overdose and Mr. Traver indicated that paramedics are different today and their training is very effective when dealing with this type of incident. Mayor Manier pointed out that they also have a new procedure for administering CPR where they do not have to pump all the way to the hospital and Mr. Traver indicated that they do have a new machine that is modern and easier on the patient and eliminates the need for manual compressions. He shared if anyone is interested in seeing the new machine to stop by the station. Mayor Manier asked City Administrator Culotta to read a recent letter that was received showing appreciation for the Police Officers who had responded to an emergency call. Mayor Manier shared that it shows the cooperation between both agencies and shared his appreciation to the Fire Department for being here tonight.	Washington Fire Department Board Report
At 7:00 p.m. Alderman Brucks moved and Alderman Brownfield seconded to adjourn. <u>Motion carried unanimously by voice vote.</u>	Adjournment

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Patricia S. Brown, City Clerk