

WHAT DOES YOUR ALDER-PERSON DO FOR YOU?

- Vote on liquor licenses, building permits and special use permits (including Social Equity Marijuana Dispensary Permits)
- Vote on budgets for public services including Aurora Police and Fire Departments, public housing, community services, and more.
- Vote on city infrastructure investments, city contracts, new ordinances and ordinance amendments.
- Promote city resources to residents
- Work with constituents to address concerns specific to their ward.
- And so much more

Typically your first non-emergency phone call for local city government issues should be directed toward your ward alder-person.

AURORA HAS FIVE STANDING-COMMITTEES WITH ALDER-MEMBERS

These committees address specific issues and routine city business before bringing them to the Committee of the Whole (City Council). (Note: Meetings online may change, check the city website for info: www.aurora-il.org)

- Building, Zoning, and Economic Development (BZE) | Meets online, 4 PM, 2nd & 4th Wednesday of each month
- Infrastructure and Technology (I&T) | Meets online, 4 PM, 2nd & 4th Monday of each month
- Rules, Administration, and Procedures (RAP) | Meets online, 3 PM, 1st & 3rd Tuesday of each month
- Finance Committee | Meets online, 3 PM, 2nd & 4th Thursday of each month
- Public Health, Safety and Transportation (PHST) | Meets online, 4 PM, 2nd & 4th Tuesday of each month




IMPORTANT DATES

GENERAL EARLY VOTING: May 19
GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION: June 28
GENERAL ELECTION DAY: November 8
MUNICIPAL EARLY VOTING: February 2023
MUNICIPAL GENERAL ELECTION: April 2023
Municipal election dates are subject to change.
For accurate dates, refer to
<https://www.elections.il.gov/>

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-  [Instagram.com/Indivisible.Aurora](https://www.instagram.com/Indivisible.Aurora)
-  [Twitter.com/IndivisibleIL11](https://twitter.com/IndivisibleIL11)



BY INDIVISIBLE AURORA

We are a local grass-roots community advocacy group.

This information is intended for educational purposes only. It does not constitute an endorsement of any candidate. Indivisible Aurora is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization.

Sources: www.kanecountyclerk.org, City Of Aurora, www.aurora-il.org, <https://www.dupageco.org/countyclerk/>, <https://www.co.kendall.il.us/offices/county-clerk-recorder>, <https://www.thewillcountyclerk.com/>

IT STARTS BY *Showing up*

2022

City of Aurora
Aldermanic Election
INFORMATION



CURRENT LIST OF ALDERMEN

- **Ward 1** - Emmanuel Llamas
 - ellamas@aurora-il.org | 630-256-3010
- **Ward 2** - Juany Garza
 - jgarza@aurora-il.org | 630-499-5560
- **Ward 3** - Ted Mesiacos
 - tmesiacos@aurora-il.org | 331-452-3479
- **Ward 4** - Bill Donnell
 - wmdonnellald4@gmail.com | 630-698-2516
- **Ward 5** - Carl Franco
 - cfranco@aurora-il.org | 630-631-4296
- **Ward 6** - Michael Saville
 - msaville@aurora-il.org | 630-896-9895
- **Ward 7** - Scheketa Hart-Burns
 - shart-burns@aurora-il.org | 630-898-2943
- **Ward 8** - Patty Smith
 - psmith@aurora-il.org | 630-341-1176
- **Ward 9** - Edward Bugg
 - aldermanbugg@gmail.com | 630-886-1615
- **Ward 10** - Shweta Baid
 - baid@aurora.il.us | 630-256-3030
- **At-Large** - Sherman L. Jenkins
 - sjenkins@aurora-il.org | 630-391-1293
- **At-Large** - Ron Woerman
 - woermanR@aurora.il.us | 630-256-3037

WHO IS YOUR ALDER-PERSON?

To find your ward use the City of Aurora's Ward Map here:
www.aurora-il.org/1602/Ward-Maps

To find your alderman, and find other city council info, go here:
www.aurora-il.org/222/Aldermens-Office

*If you need internet access to find this information call Santori Library for a schedule of available computers here: **630-264-4771***

COUNCIL MEETINGS & MINUTES

City Council Meetings - 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month, live on the City of Aurora Facebook page or in-person at 44 E Downer Place, Aurora, 2nd Floor Council Chambers

Committee Of The Whole Meetings - 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month, live on the City of Aurora Facebook page or in-person at 44 E Downer Place, Aurora, 2nd Floor Council Chambers

Council Vs. Committee of the Whole

- COW meetings summarize issues, proposals, ordinances, that were discussed in the independent standing committees.
- Final ordinances, proposals, etc., are voted for in council meetings only.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

City of Aurora residents can sign up for public comment. Public comments are accepted at independent committee meetings, Committee of the Whole, and City Council meetings. To sign up for public comments, email or call the Mayor's office:

mayorsoffice@aurora-il.org | 630-256-3010

ALDERMANIC SEATS FOR RE-ELECTION IN 2023

- Emmanuel Llamas | Ward 1
- Ted Mesiacos | Ward 3
- Carl Franco | Ward 5
- Mike Saville | Ward 6
- Patty Smith | Ward 8
- Shermin L. Jenkins | At-Large

WHO RAN UNOPPOSED FOR AURORA CITY COUNCIL?

2019

- Ted Mesiacos | Ward 3

2021

- Juany Garza | Ward 2
- Edward Bugg | Ward 9

VOTER TURNOUT FOR AURORA ELECTIONS

2021 | KANE, KENDALL, WILL, DUPAGE

- *Mayoral election year*
- *Total 30,404 voted*
- *Total registered voters:*

Kane	Kendall	Will	DuPage
318,506	83,568	464,661	629,137

VOTING INFORMATION

Voter Application/Registration Lookup - <http://bit.ly/IL-Voter-Registration>

First-time voters need a picture ID. Vote in-person at a local polling station is possible, but voters must order a ballot and bring it with.

DID YOU KNOW THAT ANYONE CAN PARTICIPATE IN THE FUNCTIONS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT WITHOUT BEING A CITIZEN?

Residents of any city in the U.S. have the right to be heard, to demand changes for the betterment of their cities and can do so without being citizens.