

**City of Darien**  
**Minutes of the Administrative/Finance Committee of the Whole**  
**Budget meeting**  
**February 23, 2016**

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The Meeting was called to order by Chairman/Alderman Ted Schauer at 6:30 pm. Council members in attendance include Mayor Weaver, Aldermen Schauer, Kenny, Chlystek, Beilke, McIvor, and Marchese.

Others present include Treasurer Mike Coren, City Clerk Joanne Ragona, City Administrator Bryon Vana, Assistant City Administrator Paul Nosek, and Accountant Marie Kyriakoulis, Director of Municipal Services Dan Gombac.

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1        FYE 4-30-17 Budget Review

Alderman Schauer began the meeting by reviewing *Administration Budget 10-4239 Public Relation* expenses, which were open items from the previous budget meeting. The 4<sup>th</sup> of July fireworks contribution was removed from the proposed Public Relations budget. The Council then continued budget discussions with the Municipal Services Street division. The staff presented the budget and Alderman Schauer asked for Council feedback on all of the Discretionary items and only those maintenance items anybody had a question about. The Council discussed the Streets barricade expense for the Darien Fest. That item generated discussion on all Darien Fest expenses. The consensus was the City will only include Darien Fest expenses if those expenses are reimbursed to the City from the Chamber. The Council also agreed that the Lions Club would need to reimburse the City for all City costs associated with the 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade.

**Adjournment** - The meeting adjourned at 9:42pm

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Mayor Pro Tem

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City Clerk