



Notice of changed format of the Hearings and Board Meeting for the DuPage Water Commission scheduled for April 16, 2020 due to COVID-19 pandemic

April 9, 2020

Governor JB Pritzker's Executive Order requiring shelter in place and prohibiting public gatherings means that the DuPage Water Commission's Charter Customer Hearing and Public Budget Hearing and the Board Meeting occurring on April 16, 2020 will take place **electronically**.

Both Executive Order 2020-07 (extended through April 30 by Executive Order 2020-18) as well as Illinois Attorney General Guidance to Public Bodies on the Open Meetings Act and the Freedom of Information Act during the COVID-19 Pandemic allow for public bodies to hold public meetings electronically to prevent the transmission of COVID-19.

It is strongly encouraged that you submit any comments in writing for the April 16, 2020 Commission's Charter Customer Hearing, Public Budget Hearing, or board meeting, and your comment will be read at the Board meeting. Comments should be emailed to admin@dpwc.org. The DuPage Water Commission location at 600 E Butterfield Road in Elmhurst will be closed to the public.

If you are interested in providing comment in person at the hearings or meeting or watching the live stream of the hearings or meeting, you must contact the Commission at the information provided below no later than 10:00 a.m. on April 14, 2020. The location and address for anyone planning on commenting or watching in person is:

Elmhurst City Hall,

290 N York Street, Elmhurst IL 60126

Conference Rooms 2 & 3 at the top of the staircase

Parking is available on the east side of the building.

Space will be limited to a small number of people and social distancing will be required.

The Finance, Engineering and Administration Subcommittee meetings have been canceled. The Charter Customer and Public Budget Hearings and Board Meeting will start at 6:30 pm on Thursday, April 16th. All board and meeting information is available on the Commission's website at www.dpwc.org. **Again, it is strongly encouraged that you submit any comments in writing for the April 16, 2020 meeting, and your comment will be read at the Board meeting. Thank you for your understanding during these trying times.**

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