



Office of the City Clerk

City Hall
121 N. LaSalle St.
Room 107
Chicago, IL 60602
www.chicityclerk.com

Legislation Details (With Text)

File #: R2021-335
Type: Resolution
File created: 3/24/2021
Status: Failed to Pass
In control: City Council
Final action: 5/24/2023
Title: Call for hearing(s) on sanitation service disruptions due to extreme winter weather
Sponsors: La Spata, Daniel, Lopez, Raymond A., Rodriguez, Michael D., Sigcho-Lopez, Byron, Rodriguez Sanchez, Rossana, Vasquez, Jr., Andre, Smith, Michele, Martin, Matthew J., Hadden, Maria E.
Indexes: Environmental Protection & Energy and Ethics & Government Oversight, Streets & Sanitation
Attachments: 1. R2021-335.pdf

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
5/24/2023	1	City Council	Failed to Pass	
3/24/2021	1	City Council	Referred	

Joint Committee on Environmental Protection and Energy and Ethics and
Government Oversight March 24, 2021 City Council Meeting

RESOLUTION To call a hearing on sanitation service disruptions

WHEREAS, the City of Chicago ("the City") recently encountered extreme winter weather events that initially disrupted sanitation services, including both garbage and recycling service, and service disruptions during extreme weather events are to be expected; but,

WHEREAS, these service disruptions continued for weeks following the clearance of most snow and ice obstacles, and these continued service disruptions occurred both for residents that receive service from City of Chicago recycling contractors as well as residents that contract services with private haulers; and,

WHEREAS, residents that contract with private haulers have experienced missed service citations due to alleged ice and snow build-up, even weeks after the extreme winter weather events, which subsequently resulted in these private haulers assessing additional pick-up fees against residents; and,

WHEREAS, over the last two weeks, recycling service has lagged for residents who receive their service from City contractors, resulting in hundreds of 311 complaints for missed recycling pick-up; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Chicago benefits from regular sanitation service from its contractors for City service, and from private haulers that operate within the City, and therefore improving service disruptions will improve the sanitary conditions of the City.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO:

The City Council shall call a hearing on sanitation service disruptions. This hearing shall address service disruptions that occurred over the course of the last six weeks, but especially over the last two weeks, as extreme winter weather conditions cleared. This hearing may include representatives from each private hauler that operates within the City; each hauler that contracts with the City to provide recycling service; and the Department of Streets and Sanitation.

Daniel La Spata Alderman, 1st Ward

NOW BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, the City Council shall assess the extent to which the Department of Streets and Sanitation can offer services improvements above and beyond the services currently offered by its contractors; and the extent to which recent service disruptions caused by the City's contractors are in breach of the agreements with the City.

The following legislation is being introduced by Daniel La Spata regarding a Resolution to call a hearing on sanitation service disruptions.

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 11

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 12

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 13

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 14

Raymond Lopez

Alderman Ward 15

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 16

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 17

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 18

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 19

Click or tap here to enter text.

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 21

The following legislation is being introduced by Daniel La Spata regarding a Resolution to call a hearing on sanitation service disruptions.

Rossana Rodriguez Sanchez

Alderman Ward 33

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 34

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 35

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 36

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 37

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 38

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 39

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 40

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 41

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 42

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 32 2 | P a g e

The following legislation is being introduced by Daniel La Spata regarding a Resolution to call a hearing on sanitation service disruptions.

Click or tap here to enter text. Alderman Ward 44

Click or tap here to enter text.

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 45

Mayor Lightfoot

Click or tap here to enter text.

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 46

Clerk Valencia

Matthew Martin

Alderman Ward 47

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 48

Maria Hadden

Alderman Ward 49

Click or tap here to enter text.

Alderman Ward 50

