		AGENDA ITEM EXECUTIVE SUMMARY							
		Title:	Recommendation to Approve Temporary, Partial						
			Closure of Municipal Parking Lot "T" for Polling						
		Presenter:	Location Chief Lamkin						
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Please check appropriate box:									
	Government O	perations	X Government Services 10.28.1			10.28.13			
Planning & Development					City Council				
	Public Hearing								
Estimated Cost: \$N/A				Budg	eted:	YES		NO	
If NO, please explain how item will be fu			e funded:	Duug		120		110	
Executive Summary:									
Due to the fact that one polling place was eliminated in Geneva and the VFW is no longer available as a polling location, per the request of the Kane County Elections Department, the Police Department is recommending approval of a temporary, partial closure of Municipal Parking Lot "T" to accommodate voters during the General Primary Election on Tuesday, March 18, 2014 and General Election on November 4, 2014. This will allow for additional, guaranteed parking for voters utilizing the St. Charles Free Methodist Church Polling location. As outlined in the diagram, only half the lot will be closed as to keep the other half available to downtown patrons.									
Attachments: (please list)									
Diagram of the new Lot T; Request Letter from Kane County Elections Department									
Recommendation / Suggested Action (briefly explain):									
Recommendation to approve temporary, partial closure of Municipal Parking Lot "T" for polling location.									
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## **COUNTY OF KANE**

John A. Cunningham KANE COUNTY CLERK

719 S. Batavia Ave., Bldg. B Geneva, IL 60134



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October 3, 2013

Bob Vann, Manager Building Code Enforcement Division 2 East Main Street St. Charles, IL 60174

Dear Mr. Vann:

St. Charles Free Methodist Church located at 214 Walnut Street serves three precincts now, and will need additional parking accommodations for both the General Primary Election held on Tuesday, March 18, 2014 and the General Election held on November 4, 2014. Please understand that both the church and the Moss Family Funeral Home share some parking lots to accommodate the overflow of their visitors. Should the need arise during the designated election days; Pastor David Mann advised the parking accommodations for voters would be significantly reduced.

To circumvent any unforeseen circumstances we would like to reserve the small municipal parking lot located at Walnut Street and Route 31 for any overflow created and to accommodate the voters' parking needs. The location of this municipal parking lot is an ideal choice because of its close proximity to the St. Charles Free Methodist Church Polling Place.

With your permission and acquisition of these additional parking spaces we would be willing to handle the "parking signage" for the Election Day; however, we would be happy to discuss these in detail with the St. Charles Police Department and Public Works to assure the optimum setup is utilized. Mike Payne, our Warehouse Coordinator will oversee this.

Your assistance and cooperation in resolving the ensuing parking problems for this polling place would be greatly appreciated. We are confident with your collaboration we can assure our voting public will have adequate parking and experience a better traffic flow while exercising their right to vote in the City of St. Charles.

Sincerely,

talues to

Suzanne Fahnestock, Director of Elections Office of the Kane County Clerk, John A. Cunningham

SF:tk

Cc: James E. Lamkin, Chief of Police Dan Rowe, Public Service Division Manager Brian Moss, Moss Family Funeral Home Director

