

October 7th, 2022

2023 Budget Hearings - Office of City Clerk; Office of City Treasurer, Dept. of Human Resources notes by: Tytania Holliman

<https://www.chicityclerk.com/>.

Meeting begins approx. 9 am

Dr. Ahmad, data scientist “ the bigger problem is that I believe the city creates situations that the citizens violates the law and generates revenue from fees. one example is vehicle late fees”

Dr Ahmad continues to speak about how the city has accumulated millions of dollars in late fees since 2020, and how the system is built to work against the citizens of chicago.

Dr. Ahmad “ I believe this is something we have to do earn the back the trust of citizens. Everyone wants to follow the law, and the city should create situations where they can.”

City Keys distributed about 200,00 and can be used as a secondary Identification

<https://www.chicityclerk.com/how-apply>

Madam Clerk “ I do think late fees and a back-charge can be excessive... I also I am willing to look at price points for the \$200 dollar ticket or look it at from income based perspective”

Alderman Riley “ Just to be consistent and fair to the city clerk the salary’s were brought up. Both The city clerk and treasurer or scheduled for a 21% salary increase”

[1:15 pm meeting will resume]

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Important numbers:

How many vehicle stickers were issued in 2022? 766,808, late fees about 7.5 million

2020 & 2021: 9.9 millions dollars collected in late fees 2020

City Key Card Budget 925,00

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Meeting Ends