

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that there will be a public hearing before the City of Paxton Planning Commission at 6:00p.m. On Tuesday, December 14, 2021. There will also be a public hearing before the City of Paxton City Council during a regular City Council meeting on December 14, 2021 at 7:00 p.m. Both hearings shall take place at City Hall located 145 S. Market Street, Paxton, IL 60957.

Both hearings shall consider amending the City of Paxton Zoning Ordinance to combine the Planning Commission and the Zoning Board of Appeals into the Planning and Zoning Commission.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The City of Paxton will hold a closeout public hearing on Tuesday, December 14, 2021 at 6:45 p.m. at Paxton City Hall in the Council Chambers, 145 South Market Street, Paxton, IL 60957 to report outcomes and provide interested parties an opportunity to express their views on the program activities and performance of the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Downstate Small Business Stabilization (DSBS) grants funded through the Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity. This program is funded by Title 1 of the federal Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended. Persons with disabilities or non-English speaking persons who wish to attend the public hearing and need assistance should contact Mayor Bill Ingold at City Hall, 217-379-4022, 145 South Market Street, Paxton, IL 60957 no later than 4:00 p.m. on December 13, 2021. Every effort will be made to make reasonable accommodations for these persons.

Due to the ongoing COVID-19 emergency, interested parties may participate in the hearing and gain access to the Council Chambers based on the enforcement of social distancing requirements. The City Clerk will ask all present in the Council Chamber to identify themselves and to give their addresses for the purpose of creating a sign-in sheet.

The total amount of funds awarded to Elm Street Ventures, LLC dba Public House was \$25,000 and was used to assist the business with working capital needs.

All interested citizens are invited to provide written comments either at the public hearing or by prior written statement. Written comments should be submitted to Mayor Bill Ingold, 145 South Market Street, Paxton, IL 60957 no later than 4:00 p.m. December 13, 2021 to ensure placement of such comments in the official record of the public hearing proceedings. These grant funded projects resulted in no displacement of any persons or businesses.