

## Resolution 2013-R-10

### Resolution to Authorize the Usage of a Consent Agenda

Introduced by: CM Jonathan Ebbeler

Date Introduced: March 4, 2013

Date Adopted: March 4, 2013

Date Effective: March 4, 2013

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WHEREAS, a the Town of Riverdale Park recognizes the need to continually evaluate and find ways to implement tools for improving governance; and

WHEREAS, meetings should be run as effectively and efficiently as possible without losing transparency of the decision-making process; and

WHEREAS the Town Council routinely deals with noncontroversial administrative matters that are required by law to be voted on; and

WHEREAS the implementation of a consent agenda is consistent with Robert's Rules of Order; and

WHEREAS, a consent agenda, if used properly, will fully implement the intent of having committees and work sessions to discuss town business in public forums;

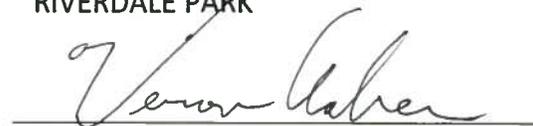
THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Riverdale Park Town Council authorizes the usage of a Consent Agenda to be incorporated into all regular legislative meeting agendas.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor or any member of the Town Council may remove any item from the Consent Agenda without reason or question for full discussion and deliberation. The motion does not require a second, is not debatable, and no vote is taken to remove an item from the consent agenda.

ATTEST:

  
Sara Imhulse, Town Administrator

COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF  
RIVERDALE PARK

  
Vernon Archer, Mayor