

## CITY OF HILLSBORO

## MONTGOMERY COUNTY, ILLINOIS

County Seat
Montgomery County

Established 1823

Hillsboro City Council Regular Meeting, 7 p.m. Second & Fourth Tuesdays

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## 03/10/2021

My friends,

I would like to thank you all for your continued patience as the City of Hillsboro has cautiously navigated the Covid-19 pandemic.

We, your elected officials, have sought to conduct city business in a manner that neither trivializes or politicizes the situation the country and our community finds itself in.

Our only focus has been the safety of our staff and you, our constituents.

The federal government has stated that vaccines to combat this deadly virus will be widely available to every American who wants one by May. I, along with Mayor Duncan and legal counsel, have agreed that the City of Hillsboro will work to reopen our public buildings and public spaces in the coming months while following guidelines from the Montgomery County Health Department and IDPH.

The City Council is looking forward to the day when we are able to return to the activities that have come to define our daily lives. In the meantime, the City encourages the washing of hands, social distancing, and masking so that together we can keep our infection rate down and maintain our ability to conduct our business as best we can.

We thank you for your understanding and continued patience during this time. Your health and safety and that of our staff will always guide our decision making.

Sincerely and Respectfully,

Michael Murphy Public Health and Safety Commissioner City of Hillsboro