

Use of Electronic Communication Devices During City Council Meetings

A City Council Policy to set acceptable use standards for the City of Rochester Hills City Council members during City Council meetings for the following devices:

- Cell phones
- Pagers
- Electronic mail (email) systems
 - Internal (intranet)
 - External (internet)
- Internet services
 - Accessed via a city provided internet connection
- Other electronic communication devices

While official meetings/workshops of Council are in session, the use of cell phones and pagers is prohibited.

Email, Internet and Other Electronic Communication Systems/Devices

Access

During official meetings of Council, City Council members have access to all of the above communication systems/devices

Use

During official meetings of Council are in session, City Council members will refrain from using all of the above communication systems/devices with the following exceptions:

- Access, via Internet, of the City of Rochester Hills web site for use of “Rochester Hills City Council Intranet – City Council Links” items (excluding City Intranet)
- Requested Information Search
Council members, at any time during a meeting, may request of the President a break in order to perform Internet research pertaining to an agenda item

Conduct for Use of Electronic Communication Devices

Council will proscribe to and be subject to adhering to all administrative policies of the City of Rochester Hills, as well as its own policy, regarding the use of electronic communication devices