

# **City of Pittsburgh**

*510 City-County Building  
414 Grant Street  
Pittsburgh, PA 15219*



## **MEETING MINUTES**

*Proceedings of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh*

**Wednesday, December 29, 2010**

**Council Chambers**

### **City Council**

**ONE-HUNDRED  
THIRTY-SIXTH COUNCIL**

**Darlene Harris, President**

**Council Members: Reverend Ricky V. Burgess, Patrick Dowd, Bruce A. Kraus, R. Daniel  
Lavelle, William Peduto, Natalia Rudiak, Douglas Shields, Theresa Smith**

**Linda M. Johnson-Wasler, City Clerk  
Mary Beth Doheny, Deputy City Clerk**

## **RECONVENED REGULAR MEETING CARRIED OVER FROM 12-28 ; HELD ON 12-29**

**HELD ON DECEMBER 29TH**

### **ROLL CALL**

Present: 9 - Rev. Burgess, Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

### **PRRESENTATION OF PAPERS**

Bill No. Ordinance supplementing the Pgh Code, Title 5-Traffic, Article VII; Parking, by adding Section 540, "Definitions" and Section 541.08(d) "Restricting rates of Public Parking Authorities."  
[2010-1255](#)

**SPONSOR(S): DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**Read and referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee**

### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

#### **MOTION TO RECONSIDER BILLS PASSED FINALLY ON 12-28 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES OF COUNCIL AND ROBERTS RULES OF ORDER**

Bill No. Resolution making Appropriations to pay the expenses of conducting the Public Business of the City of Pittsburgh and for meeting the debt charges thereof for the Fiscal Year, beginning January 1, 2011.  
[2010-1187](#)

**A motion was made that this matter be Motion to Reconsider. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 6 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mr. Shields  
Noes: 2 - Rev. Burgess and Mrs. Smith  
Abstentions: 1 - Mr. Lavelle

Bill No. Resolution making Appropriations to pay the expenses of conducting the Public Business of the City of Pittsburgh and for meeting the debt charges thereof for the Fiscal Year, beginning January 1, 2011.  
[2010-1187](#)

**A motion was made that this matter be AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 6 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mr. Shields  
Noes: 2 - Rev. Burgess and Mrs. Smith  
Abstentions: 1 - Mr. Lavelle

**A motion was made that this matter be Passed Finally, As Amended. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2010-1188](#)

Resolution fixing the number of officers and employees of the City of Pittsburgh, and the rate of compensation thereof, and setting minimum levels for designated positions.

**A motion was made that this matter be Motion to Reconsider. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 0

**A motion was made that this matter be Passed Finally. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 7 - Mr. Dowd, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 1 - Mrs. Harris

Bill No.

**2010-1189**

Resolution adopting and approving the 2011 Capital Budget and the 2011 Community Development Block Grant Program; and approving the 2011 through 2016 Capital Improvement Program," by adjusting various line items in conformance with City Council's 2011 Capital Budget amendments.

**A motion was made that this matter be Motion to Reconsider. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 0

**A motion was made that this matter be Passed Finally, As Amended. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 0

## **REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION**

### **COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND LAW, MR. PEDUTO, CHAIR**

Bill No.

[2010-1253](#)

Report of the Committee on Finance and Law for December 28, 2010 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

**Read, Received and Filed**

Bill No.

[2010-1245](#)

Ordinance supplementing the Pittsburgh Code of Ordinances, Title 2, Fiscal, creating a new Article XI: Dedicated Funding for the Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund, to allow for specific funding to be dedicated to the Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund with the goal of retaining local oversight immediately and into the future.

(Parking Assets and Pension)

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, PATRICK DOWD, BRUCE A. KRAUS, WILLIAM PEDUTO, NATALIA RUDIAK AND DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**A motion was made that this matter be AMENDED. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 0

**A motion was made that this matter be Passed Finally, As Amended. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 7 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mr. Shields

Noes: 2 - Rev. Burgess and Mrs. Smith

Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2010-1246](#)

Ordinance amending and supplementing the Pittsburgh Code, Title Five - Traffic, Article VII - Parking, Chapter 543 - Parking Meters, Section 543.01 - Parking Meter Zones and Rates, so as to set metered parking zones, rates and hours of enforcement throughout the City of Pittsburgh.

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, PATRICK DOWD, BRUCE A. KRAUS, WILLIAM PEDUTO, NATALIA RUDIAK AND DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**A motion was made that this matter be Passed Finally. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 7 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mr. Shields

Noes: 2 - Rev. Burgess and Mrs. Smith

Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2010-1248](#)

Resolution requesting that the Intergovernmental Cooperation Authority authorize the transfer of all money in the City Restricted Debt Fund to the Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund for the new purpose of improving the cash position of the City of Pittsburgh's pension fund

(Parking Assets and Pension)

**A motion was made that this matter be Passed Finally. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 7 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mr. Shields

Noes: 2 - Rev. Burgess and Mrs. Smith

Abstentions: 0

## **COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS**

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs for December 28, 2010 with an  
[2010-1254](#) Affirmative Recommendation.

**A motion was made that this matter be Read, Received and Filed. The motion carried.**

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh to renegotiate the  
[2010-1115](#) co-operation agreements between the City of Pittsburgh and the Pittsburgh Public Parking Authority so as to dedicate irrevocably the revenue generated by increased meter rates to the Pittsburgh Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund (Parking Assets and Pension)

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, NATALIA RUDIAK, PATRICK DOWD, BRUCE A. KRAUS, WILLIAM PEDUTO AND DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**A motion was made that this matter be Passed Finally. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 0

**Roll Call:** Present: 9 - Rev. Burgess, Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

## **MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

### **ADDITIONAL COUNCIL MEETINGS SCHEDULED**

**Thursday, December 30th - Regular and Standing Committees Meetings**

### **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

### **ADJOURNMENT**