

City of Pittsburgh

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414 Grant Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15219*



MEETING MINUTES

Proceedings of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh

Monday, August 5, 2013

10:00 AM

Council Chambers

City Council

**ONE-HUNDRED
THIRTY-SEVENTH COUNCIL**

Darlene M. Harris, President

**Council Members: Rev. Ricky V. Burgess, Bruce A. Kraus, R. Daniel Lavelle, Corey O'Connor,
William Peduto, Natalia Rudiak, Theresa Kail-Smith**

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

ROLL CALL

Present: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PROCLAMATIONS

Bill No.

[2013-1801](#)

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby commend and recognize the important work of Remembering Hiroshima, Imagining Peace and their advocacy for the need of a reduction of stockpiles and safer handling procedures worldwide as steps toward a world free of nuclear weapons.

SPONSOR(S): R. DANIEL LAVELLE AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2013-1802](#)

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Pittsburgh does hereby recognize Style Week Pittsburgh and the team from Style & Steel for their work in enhancing Pittsburgh's cultural climate, advancing the cause of local entrepreneurs and designers, and offering a unique opportunity for local residents to partake in fashion-centric events; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare August 5, 2013 to be "Style Week Pittsburgh" in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR(S): WILLIAM PEDUTO AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2013-1803](#)

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby recognize Youthpreneurs for starting business ventures that are having a positive and direct impact on our community; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare August 5th to be "Youthpreneur Day" in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR(S): WILLIAM PEDUTO AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2013-1804](#)

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby commend East Liberty Valley Historical Society; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare August 16-31, 2013, to be "East Liberty Valley Historical Society Days" in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR(S): REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2013-1805](#)

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby commend all professionals in the forensic science field and recognize the invaluable contribution of forensic science to the City of Pittsburgh Bureau of Police; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare the week of August 11-17, 2013, to be "Forensic Science Week" in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR(S): THERESA SMITH AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2013-1806](#)

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby commend Logan Byers for the work he does in making the City of Pittsburgh a better place to live and his parents, Paul and Barb Byers for the support they have given him; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare Monday, August 5, 2013, to be "Logan Byers Day" in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR(S): THERESA SMITH AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2013-1807](#)

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby recognize Barbara McNees for her contributions to both the City and the broader Pittsburgh region; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare August 5, 2013 to be "Barbara McNees Day" in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR(S): WILLIAM PEDUTO AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2013-1808](#)

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh recognizes Paul "Bucky" Harrison as a dedicated servant to the rich history of Carrick High and South Pittsburgh and as an instrumental partner in fostering the continued connectivity and activity of Carrick High's alumni through the Carrick High Alumni Association.

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare Sunday, August 11, 2013 to be Paul "Bucky" Harrison and the Carrick High Alumni Association Day in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR(S): NATALIA RUDIAK AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

Bill No.

[2013-1809](#)

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh recognizes the abovementioned alumni as outstanding ambassadors from Carrick High and for the South Pittsburgh community.

THEREFORE BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare Sunday, August 11, 2013 to be the Ninth Annual Distinguished Carrick High Alumni Day in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR(S): NATALIA RUDIAK AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS

COUNCILMAN REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS PRESENTS:

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the issuance of a warrant in the total sum of Twenty-Five
[2013-1797](#) Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), in favor of One Three Five, Inc., c/o Goldberg, Kamin & Garvin, LLP releasing and discharging the City of Pittsburgh from liability in the civil action filed at 2:13-CV-00467-NBF in the United States District Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania, and arising from an alleged incident on or about March 13, 2013 in the City of Pittsburgh.

Read and referred to Finance and Law Committee

COUNCILMAN BRUCE A. KRAUS PRESENTS:

Bill No. Resolution providing for a Contract or Contracts or for the use of existing Contracts,
[2013-1798](#) providing for an Agreement or Agreements or for the use of existing Agreements, providing for repairs, maintenance, improvements, emergencies and/or the purchase of materials, equipment and supplies in connection with the renovations and maintenance of various public buildings, and further providing for the payment of the costs thereof.

Read and referred to Public Works Committee

COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS:

Bill No. Resolution Providing for an Agreement(s) and Contract(s) or for use of existing
[2013-1799](#) Agreement(s) and Contract(s) with the Community Design Center to conduct a study to re-purpose three closed public schools in Council District two at a cost no to exceed \$150,000.00.

SPONSOR(S): THERESA SMITH

Read and referred to Land Use and Economic Development Committee

COUNCIL PRESIDENT DARLENE M. HARRIS PRESENTS:

Bill No. Resolution revising the boundaries of the South Side Works TIF District by removing
[2013-1800](#) the Excluded Property from the TIF District. (Council District 3)
Presented by Mrs. Harris and Mr. Kraus

Read and referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION

COUNCILMAN REV. RICKY V. BURGESS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND LAW

Bill No. [2013-1791](#) Report of the Committee on Finance and Law for August 31, 2013 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

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

Bill No. [2013-1707](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the City Solicitor to enter into an Agreement with Aon Risk Solutions for professional consulting services related to developing phases two and three of a loss control program related to general liability claims against the City, at a cost not to exceed \$29,300.00 (Twenty Nine Thousand Three Hundred Dollars and No Cents).

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. [2013-1735](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor to accept and expend on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh a grant from the American Beverage Foundation/PA Beverage Association in the total amount of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) for the purpose of expanding the Green Up Pittsburgh: Edible Gardens initiative.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. [2013-1736](#) Resolution amending Resolution 29 of 2013 authorizing the Mayor to: 1) award Event Mini-Grants to selected current participants in the 2013 Edible Gardens Program, and 2) to expand the scope of the 2013 Cool Roofs Program by donating painting supplies and materials to selected non-profit organizations for use on eligible non-City roofs.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1737](#)

Resolution providing for the filing of petitions for the sale of certain properties, acquired at tax sales in accordance with Act No. 171 of 1984, "Second Class City Treasurer Sale and Collection Act", effective December 11, 1984.
ITEMS A through M. [A: 3209 Dobson DELETED, B: 3203 Brereton - DELETED], C: Kent, D: 5517, 5513 & 5511 Armitage, E: 6725 Hamilton, F: 924 Lincoln, 921 Laxton, G: 969 & 967 E. Warrington, [H: 458 Natchez - DELETED], I: 215 Tabor, J: 204 Oregon, [K: 1464 High DELETED, L: 2034 Ley DELETED], M: 2241 Spokane.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1738](#)

Resolution providing for conveyance by the City of Pittsburgh of certain property, under Act No. 171 of 1984, entitled, "Second Class City Treasurer Sale and Collection Act", effective December 11, 1984.
ITEM A.
A: 405 Tabor.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1739](#)

Resolution providing for the conveyance by the City of Pittsburgh of certain property, under Act No. 171 of 1984, entitled, "Second Class City Treasurer Sale and Collection Act", effective December 11, 1984; having been placed for sale to adjoining property owners in conjunction with the City of Pittsburgh Side Yard Program. ITEMS A through Q.
A: 2840 Webster, B: 4831 Plum, C: 225 N. Atlantic, D: 310 Fram, E: 310 Four-Mile Run, F: 2438 S. 18th, G: 917 Manton, H: 608 Delmont, I: 616 Delmont, J: 1095 Arlington, K: 1118 Tweed, L: 1954 Lithgow, M: 304 Venture, N: 412 Rochelle, O: 290 Georgette, P: 2215 Saranac, Q: 1040 N. Wheeler.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1757](#)

Resolution amending Resolution 761 of 2012 to add authorization for the Mayor and the Director of Finance to execute all required agreements and to accept a deed relating to the purchase of 1553 Broadway Avenue and further authorizing the expenditure of allocated funds for closing and other associated auxiliary costs.

SPONSOR(S): NATALIA RUDIAK

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1759](#)

Resolution providing for the execution of an option agreement with the Housing Authority of the City of Pittsburgh, granting HACP the option to purchase the property on Larimer Avenue in the 11th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh designated as Block & Lot No. 84-D-160, and providing for the execution of a deed if the option is exercised. (Council District No. 9)

SPONSOR(S): REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1774](#)

Resolution further amending Resolution No. 74, effective February 29, 2012 entitled "Providing for an Agreement or Agreements, or use of existing Agreements and/or a Contract or Contracts, or use of existing Contracts, and for the purchase of materials, supplies, equipment, and/or services for various projects in connection with the City Council Neighborhood Needs Program; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof", by transferring \$30,000 from District 9 Neighborhood Needs and by adding that amount to the Poise Foundation Community Outreach. Total of all projects is not to exceed \$264,758.42.

SPONSOR(S): REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. [2013-1778](#) Resolution further amending Resolution No. 493, effective August 6, 2012 entitled "providing for an agreement/s, or use of existing agreements and/or a contract/s, or use of existing contracts, and for the purchase of materials, supplies, equipment, and/or services for City Council Neighborhood Needs Program and providing for the payment of the costs thereof", by transferring \$3,000 from District 6 Neighborhood Initiative to the Prime Stage Theatre in Council District 6 Neighborhood Needs. Total cost of all projects is not to exceed \$130,802.79.

SPONSOR(S): R. DANIEL LAVELLE

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

COUNCILMAN BRUCE A. KRAUS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

Bill No. [2013-1792](#) Report of the Committee on Public Works for August 31, 2013 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

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

Bill No. [2013-1740](#) Resolution accepting the location of the proposed right-of-ways for parcels 2-C-300, 2-C-382, 2-C-383, and 2-C-400 for the Lower Hill Redevelopment Site Infrastructure, in the 2nd and 3rd Wards, 6th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

COUNCILMAN R. DANIEL LAVELLE PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON LAND USE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Bill No. [2013-1793](#) Report of the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development for August 31, 2013 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

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

Bill No. Resolution providing for the implementation of the Residential Parking Permit Program (RPPP) Area “FF” in the North Oakland community (Council Districts #8) pursuant to Pittsburgh Code Chapter 549.

[2013-1712](#)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution amending Resolution #772, effective January 1, 2013 Resolution providing for the filing of a Community Development statement by the City of Pittsburgh with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for a grant in connection with the 2013 Community Development Block Grant Program; providing for required assurances; providing for execution of payment vouchers on letter of credit and for certification of authorized signature; the deposit of the funds in a bank account and providing for the payment of expenses within categories.

[2013-1741](#)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreements with various community organizations for operational/administrative expenses, maintenance, purchase of equipment; and/or rehabilitation of neighborhood facilities; and for administrative/operational costs, maintenance, purchase of equipment, and/or rehabilitation of neighborhood facilities of various departmental programs/projects for the benefit of the residents of the City of Pittsburgh, at a cost not to exceed \$675,000.00.

[2013-1742](#)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreements with various community organizations for operational/administrative expenses, maintenance, purchase of equipment, and/or rehabilitation of neighborhood facilities; and for the administrative /operational costs, maintenance, purchase of equipment, and/or rehabilitation of neighborhood facilities of various departmental programs/projects for the benefit of residents of the City of Pittsburgh, at a cost not to exceed \$1,282,500.00.

[2013-1743](#)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1744](#)

Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreement(s) and to provide administrative/operating expenses, including but not limited to, rehabilitation, maintenance, operation, insurance, utilities, furnishings, homeless prevention and essential services and other miscellaneous expenses associated the Emergency Shelter Grant funds, at a cost not to exceed \$950,373.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1745](#)

Resolution providing for an Agreement, or Agreements with the Urban League of Pittsburgh, for the implementation/administration of the Housing Counseling Program, and related costs, in the amount not to exceed \$100,000.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1746](#)

Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreements with the Jewish Healthcare Foundation to provide administration and operating expenses, housing and housing related supportive services to persons with HIV/AIDS and their families, at a total cost not to exceed \$689,847

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1748](#)

Resolution providing for an Agreement(s) and Contract(s) with Consultant(s) and Vendor(s) to assist the City in its Comprehensive Planning process and provide for the payment at a cost thereof, at a cost not to exceed \$300,000.00.00.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1749](#)

Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreements, or Contract or Contracts, or use of existing Agreements or Contracts, with a Consultant or Consultants, or Vendor or Vendors, for the purpose of conducting planning and management studies, and related activities in support of such studies including the purchase of data and data analysis equipment at a cost not to exceed \$75,000.

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1750](#)

Resolution providing for an Agreement(s) and Contract(s) with Community Based Organizations for community and economic development planning assistance in various neighborhoods in the City and providing operating support for these groups, and provide for the payment, at a cost not exceed \$700,000.

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

Votes: Ayes: 7 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 1 - Ms. Rudiak
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1751](#)

Resolution Providing for an Agreement(s) and Contract(s) with Consultant(s) and Vendor(s), or for use of existing Agreement(s) and Contract(s) with Consultant(s) and Vendor(s), for the purpose of preparing a "Cultural Heritage Plan" and related activities in support of such plan at a cost no to exceed \$50,000.00."

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1775](#)

Resoluiton further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 855 of 2011, entitled "adopting and approving the 2012 capital budget and the 2012-2017 Capital Improvement Program" by transferring \$30,000 from District 9 Neighborhood Needs and by adding that amount to the Poise Foundation Community Outreach.

SPONSOR(S): REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1779](#)

Resolution further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 855 of 2011, entitled "adopting and approving the 2012 capital budget and the 2012-2017 Capital Improvement Program" by transferring \$3,000 from District 6 Neighborhood Initiative to the Prime Stage Theatre in Council District 6 Neighborhood Needs.

SPONSOR(S): R. DANIEL LAVELLE

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

COUNCILMAN COREY O'CONNOR PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON URBAN RECREATION

Bill No.

[2013-1794](#)

Report of the Committee on Urban Recreation for July 31, 2013 with an Affirmatiave Recommendation.

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

Bill No.

[2013-1649](#)

Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Directors of the Departments of Finance, Parks and Recreation and Public Works to enter into an Agreement with the Pittsburgh Parks Conservancy ("PPC"), pursuant to which the PPC will make renovations/capital improvements to the Frick Environmental Center (the "Center") and undertake natural area restoration in dedicated areas of the Frick Woods Nature Reserve and will thereafter further assist with operation and maintenance of the Center/Frick Woods Nature Reserve and with the provision of related programs.

SPONSOR(S): COREY O'CONNOR

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

COUNCILWOMAN NATALIA RUDIAK PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PERFORMANCE AND ASSET MANAGEMENT

Bill No. [2013-1795](#) Report of the Committee on Performance and Asset Management for July 31, 2013 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

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

Bill No. [2013-1758](#) Ordinance supplementing the Pittsburgh Code, Title Four - Public Places and Property, Article XIV- Public Buildings, by adding Chapter 491 - Family Accommodations.

SPONSOR(S): NATALIA RUDIAK

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

COUNCIL PRESIDENT DARLENE M. HARRIS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Bill No. [2013-1796](#) Report of the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs for July 31, 2013 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

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

Bill No. [2013-1718](#) Resolution authorizing the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh to acquire all of the City's Right, Title and Interest, if any, in and to the Publicly-Owned Property in the 21st Ward of the City of Pittsburgh Designated in the Deed Registry Office of Allegheny County as Block 22-L, Lots 321, 331, and 337, under the Residential Land Reserve Fund - 1009 Liverpool 1415-1417 Allegheny Avenue - (Council District No. 6 - Parking).

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. [2013-1719](#) Resolution approving Execution of a Contract for Disposition by Sale of Land by and between the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh and Bidwell Street United Presbyterian Church for the Sale of Block 22-L, Lots 320, 321, 330, 331, and 337, in the 21st Ward of the City of Pittsburgh - Council District No. 6 (1415 Allegheny Avenue and 1009 Liverpool Street and Warlo Street - Parking)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1720](#)

Resolution approving Execution of a Contract for Disposition by Sale of Land by and between the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh and Lisa Ann Goldsmith for the Sale of Block 88-N, Lots 1, 2, and 4, in the 15th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh - Redevelopment Area No. 40 - Council District No. 5 (Tesla Street - Sideyard).

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1724](#)

Resolution authorizing the City to enter into a Cooperation Agreement with the Housing Authority of the City of Pittsburgh to Serve as Co-Applicant for the purposes of filing an Application with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for a Choice Neighborhoods Initiative grant in the amount of thirty million dollars (\$30,000,000) and pledging City financial support in the amount of twelve million dollars (\$12,000,000) for the project and City Owned Land to Effectuate the Purposes of the Larimer/East Liberty Choice Neighborhood Transformation Plan.

SPONSOR(S): REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS

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

Votes: Ayes: 7 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 1 - Ms. Rudiak
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2013-1752](#)

Resolution providing for the execution of a Cooperation Agreement or Agreements with the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh for the performance of certain work in connection with the 2013-2014 Community Development Block Grant Program, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, not to exceed \$3,050,000. (Council Districts: All).

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution providing for the execution of a Cooperation Agreement or Agreements
[2013-1753](#) with the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh for the payment of URA property management costs City-wide, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, not to exceed \$350,000.00. (Council Districts: All).

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution authorizing a Cooperation Agreement or Agreements with the Urban
[2013-1754](#) Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh designating URA as the City's agent for administration of the 2013 HOME Investments Partnership Program. (Council Districts: All)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh to acquire
[2013-1755](#) all of the City's Right, Title and Interest, if any, in and to the following Publicly-Owned Properties in the 12th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh (Council District No. 9 - Site Assemblage)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution amending Resolution 426, effective June 20, 2013, entitled "Resolution
[2013-1756](#) adopting Plan Revision to the City of Pittsburgh's Official Sewage Facilities Plan for New Environmental Center at Frick Park, 2005 Beechwood Blvd Pittsburgh, PA 15217."

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution authorizing a cooperation agreement with the Urban Redevelopment
[2013-1776](#) Authority of Pittsburgh designating URA as the City's agent in connection with a \$882,990 Penn Works grant for the the Lawrenceville Technology Center site owned by RIDC Southwestern Pennsylvania Growth Fund (Council District 7)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the filing of an application with the Pennsylvania Department
[2013-1777](#) of Community and Economic Development for a \$882,990 Penn Works grant for the Lawrenceville Technology Center site owned by RIDC Southwestern Pennsylvania Growth Fund. (Council District 7)

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

Votes: Ayes: 8 - Rev. Burgess, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 0

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bill No. NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh
[2013-1810](#) condemns racism and prejudice in our society, and renews its commitment to combating these social ills, and ensuring justice and equality for all; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby request that the Administration make anti-racism and racial sensitivity training a high priority for all City of Pittsburgh employees.

SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, NATALIA RUDIAK AND ALL MEMBERS

A motion was made that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried.

EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBERS - NONE

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ADJOURNMENT

LEGISLATION PRESENTED BY SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER