

City of Pittsburgh

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



Regular Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, December 11, 2018

10:00 AM

Council Chambers

City Council

***ONE-HUNDRED
FORTIETH COUNCIL***

Bruce A. Kraus, President of Council

***Council Members: Rev. Ricky V. Burgess, Anthony Coghill, Deborah L. Gross, Darlene M.
Harris, R. Daniel Lavelle, Corey O'Connor, Theresa Kail-Smith, Erika Strassburger***

Brenda F. Pree, City Clerk - Kimberly Clark-Baskin, Deputy City Clerk

ROLL CALL**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****PROCLAMATIONS****2018-1195****2018-1197****2018-1198****2018-1199****2018-1200****2018-1201****2018-1202****2018-1203****2018-1204****PUBLIC COMMENTS****PRESENTATION OF PAPERS****COUNCILMAN REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS PRESENTS:**

[2018-1181](#) Resolution realigning a total of \$3,775,000.00 between various accounts within the 2018 Operating Budget. This transfer is necessary for the 2018 close in order to meet expenditures for the remainder of the fiscal year.

[2018-1182](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Finance to enter into an Agreement or Agreements to make a payment to the Children's Museum of Pittsburgh for repairing, improving and/or replacing of the roof of the property located at 6 Allegheny Square East, for a sum not to exceed One Hundred Eighty-Four Thousand Dollars (\$184,000.00) and for the payment of the costs thereof.

(Waiver of Rule 8 Requested)

[2018-1183](#) Resolution designating Banks and Lending Institutions to act as Depositories for the year 2019 in accordance with the Pittsburgh Code, Title Two, Fiscal, Article III, Depositories.

[2018-1184](#) Resolution authorizing, pursuant to Ch. 210 (“Acceptance of Gifts to City”) of the City Code and Resolution 761 of 2018, the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety to accept a donation from Comcast of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000) to assist the City of Pittsburgh Department of Public Safety.

2018-1196 Resolution establishing the **STOP the Violence Initiative** to reduce both police officer-related violence and proximity-related violence in the City of Pittsburgh.
SPONSOR /S: REV. BURGESS

COUNCILWOMAN DEBORAH L. GROSS PRESENTS:

[2018-1185](#) Resolution amending Resolution 859-2017 providing for an Agreement(s) and Contract(s) with ~~Consultant(s) and Vendor(s)~~ Cascadia Partners to assist the City in developing plans and studies for the development of a data manual for the Comprehensive Plan and provide for the payment at a cost thereof, not to exceed ~~\$80,000.00~~ \$173,212.00.

COUNCILMAN R. DANIEL LAVELLE PRESENTS:

[2018-1186](#) Resolution authorizing the issuance of a warrant in favor of the Port Authority of Allegheny County, 345 Sixth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15222, in an amount not to exceed Seventeen Thousand, Five Hundred Five Dollars and Zero Cents (\$17,505.00), for transportation services provided for the City of Pittsburgh Richard S. Caliguiri Great Race on September 30, 2018.

[2018-1187](#) Resolution providing for the issuance of a warrant in favor of ESO Solutions, Inc., in the amount of \$13,400.00 for the annual maintenance fee for the Fire Bureau’s operating software.

COUNCILMAN COREY O'CONNOR PRESENTS:

2018-1194 Resolution authorizing the Mayor to establish and convene the Joint Task Force on Construction Industry Fraud.
SPONSOR /S: MR. O'CONNOR

COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS:

[2018-1087](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a Cooperation Agreement with Tree Pittsburgh for the purpose of supporting Tree Pittsburgh’s efforts to promote and advance the City of Pittsburgh’s Urban Forest Master Plan.

Legislative History

11/5/18 City Council Not introduced

- [2018-1188](#) Resolution providing for a Resolution to extend City Controller contract # 50116 with Allied Communications., by extending the term of the Agreement for eight (8) months at an additional cost not to exceed Fifty Thousand dollars (\$50,000) for Fleet GPS Tracking Services.
(Waiver of Rule 8 Requested)
- [2018-1189](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Mobility and Infrastructure and/or the Director of the Department of Finance, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, to enter into all necessary Agreements to acquire and secure a right-of-way and temporary construction easements, as-needed, to advance certain stabilizing construction in the vicinity of Diana Street.
- [2018-1190](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh and the Director of the Department of Mobility and Infrastructure to apply for grant funding from the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation (PennDOT) under the Multimodal Transportation Fund (MTF) to provide funding for Phase 1 Street and Signal Improvements in support of the implementation of the Downtown-East End Bus Rapid Transit Project in collaboration with the Port Authority of Allegheny County, Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh, and the County of Allegheny. In the event the grant is awarded, this resolution provides for an agreement and expenditures not to exceed THREE MILLION (\$3,000,000.000) dollars for this stated purpose.
- [2018-1191](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a Professional Services Agreement with Environmental Coordination Services and Recycling, Inc. for the purpose of providing electronic waste collection and recycling services for all City residents.

COUNCILWOMAN ERIKA STRASSBURGER PRESENTS:

- [2018-1192](#) Resolution further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 855 of 2011, entitled “adopting and approving the 2012 capital budget” so as to rename District 8 DPW Projects to District 8 Intersection Improvements.
SPONSOR /S: MRS. STRASSBURGER
- [2018-1193](#) Resolution further amending Resolution No. 365, effective June 13, 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 District 8 Neighborhood Needs Program and providing for the payment of the costs thereof”, so as to rename District 8 DPW Projects to District 8 Intersection Improvements. Total cost of all projects is not to exceed \$134,924.55.
SPONSOR /S: MRS. STRASSBURGER

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION**COUNCILMAN REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND LAW**

- [2018-1176](#) Report of the Committee on Finance and Law for December 5, 2018 with an Affirmative Recommendation.
- [2018-1148](#) Ordinance amending and clarifying the City Code at Title Two: Fiscal, Article I: Administration, Chapter 210: Acceptance of Gifts to the City by amending and clarifying sections §210.03 - Donation or Gift Exceeding Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.000) in Value and §210.04 - Donation or Gift Less Than \$5,000 in Value.
- Legislative History**
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| 11/27/18 | City Council | Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law |
| 12/5/18 | Standing Committee | Affirmatively Recommended |
- [2018-1159](#) Ordinance amending and supplementing the City Code at Title One: Administrative, Article XI: Human Resources, Chapter 198: Campaign Finance Regulations at Sections 198.02 Contribution Limitations and 198.05: Public Database and Reporting, in order to coordinate City and County processes to enhance notification of these requirements to new candidates.
- SPONSOR /S: REV. BURGESS**
- Legislative History**
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| 11/27/18 | City Council | Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law |
| 12/5/18 | Standing Committee | Affirmatively Recommended |
- [2018-1171](#) Resolution amending Resolution No. 130 of 2018 effective March 16, 2018 by updating the continued designation of an Oakland Business Improvement District.
- SPONSOR /S: MR. KRAUS**
- Legislative History**
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| 12/4/18 | City Council | Waived under Rule 8 |
| 12/4/18 | City Council | Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law |

12/5/18 Standing Committee Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILMAN R. DANIEL LAVELLE PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

[2018-1177](#) Report of the Committee on Public Safety Services for December 5, 2018 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2018-1151](#) Resolution providing for the issuance of a warrant in favor of Dolan Consulting Group in the amount of Six-Thousand Four Hundred Thirty Five Dollars (\$6,435.00) for leadership training for the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police.

Legislative History

11/27/18 City Council Read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Services

12/5/18 Standing Committee Affirmatively Recommended

[2018-1152](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of Public Safety to enter on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh into financial and “in-kind” Sponsorship Agreements for the City’s Office of Special Events’ 2019 Season.

Legislative History

11/27/18 City Council Read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Services

12/5/18 Standing Committee Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

[2018-1178](#) Report of the Committee on Public Works for December 5, 2018 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2018-1119](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works and/or the Director of the Department of Mobility and Infrastructure to enter into a License and Maintenance Agreement in which the City grants to Tree Pittsburgh a right to plant and maintain trees upon City property and/or Right-of-Way in specified locations Citywide.

Legislative History

11/13/18 City Council Read and referred to the Committee on Public Works

11/19/18	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended
11/27/18	City Council	RECOMMITTED to the Committee on Public Works
11/28/18	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Public Works
12/5/18	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

[2018-1140](#)

Resolution authorizing the Director of Mobility and Infrastructure to award and to enter into a Contract or Contracts, or to use existing Contracts, an Agreement or Agreements, or to use existing Agreements, providing for the purchase of bicycles, equipment and software providing a local match to the Department of Community and Economic Development Multimodal Program for the 2018 bike share expansion. The cost to the city is not to exceed \$118,000.

Legislative History

11/19/18	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Works
11/28/18	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Public Works
12/5/18	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

[2018-1154](#)

Resolution granting unto Carnegie Mellon University, 5000 Forbes Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213, their successors and assigns, planter boxes on the sidewalk area at 5000 Forbes Avenue in the 14th Ward, 8th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

Legislative History

11/27/18	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Works
12/5/18	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILWOMAN DEBORAH L. GROSS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON LAND USE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

[2018-1179](#)

Report of the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development for December 5, 2018 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2018-1149](#) Resolution amending Resolution 746, effective November 9, 2018, 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 2018 Community Development Block Grant Program; providing for the execution of grant contracts and for the filing of other data 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: Reprogramming funds within Office of Management and Budget to now read: “Citizens Participation (-40,000.00)” to “CDBG Administration +40,000.00”.

Legislative History

11/27/18	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development
12/5/18	Standing Committee	AMENDED
12/5/18	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended as Amended

COUNCILMAN COREY O'CONNOR PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

[2018-1180](#) Report of the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs for December 5, 2018 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2018-0535](#) Resolution creating the Smallman Street Tax Increment Financing District, adopting and agreeing to participate in the Smallman Street Tax Increment Financing Plan and authorizing related agreements. (Council District 7)
(Public Hearing held 11/14/18)

Legislative History

6/5/18	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs
6/13/18	Standing Committee	Held for Public Hearing to the Committee on Hearings
11/14/18	Committee on Hearings	Public Hearing Held to the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development
12/5/18	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

[2018-0536](#)

Resolution authorizing a Cooperation Agreement or Agreements with the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh, the County of Allegheny and the School District of Pittsburgh providing for the funding and/or financing, monitoring, implementation and termination of the Smallman Street Tax Increment Financing District. (Council District 7)

(Public Hearing held 11/14/18)

Legislative History

6/5/18	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs
6/13/18	Standing Committee	Held for Public Hearing to the Committee on Hearings
11/14/18	Committee on Hearings	Public Hearing Held to the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development
12/5/18	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBERS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ADJOURNMENT

LEGISLATION PRESENTED BY SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER