

City of Pittsburgh



City Council

Regular Meeting Agenda

Monday, August 13, 2007

10:00 AM

**ONE-HUNDRED
THIRTY-FOURTH COUNCIL**

Douglas Shields, President

**Council Members: Len Bodack, Twanda Carlisle,
Dan Deasy, Darlene M. Harris, Jeffrey S. Koch, Jim Motznik, Tonya D. Payne, William Peduto**

Linda M. Johnson-Wasler, City Clerk

Mary Beth Doheny, Deputy City Clerk

ROLL CALL**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****PROCLAMATIONS****PUBLIC COMMENTS****PRESENTATION OF PAPERS****UNFINISHED BUSINESS****REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION****MR. DEASY PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, LAW AND PURCHASING**

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Finance, Law and Purchasing for August 8, 2007.

2007-1702**Legislative History**

8/13/07	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No.

2007-1674

Resolution amending Resolution 306 of 2007, effective May 30, 2007, entitled "Resolution authorizing cooperation agreement or agreements not to exceed Three Hundred Fifty thousand (\$350,000) dollars to the City of Pittsburgh Equipment Leasing Authority for the purchase of vehicles, radios and equipment for use by the City of Pittsburgh Departments and Authorities" by increasing the amount from \$350,000 to \$950,000.

Legislative History

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No.

2007-1675

Resolution to amend Resolution No. 322 of 2007, entitled "providing the authorization to make all legitimate expenditures for payments and agreements or agreements with various agencies to conduct a summer youth employment program to youth residing in the City of Pittsburgh, wages and fringe benefits for supervisor/participant/administrative staff, workers' compensation, unemployment compensation, participant physicals, transportation, copier and supplies, and administrative expenditures necessary to implement the 2007 Pittsburgh Partnership Summer Youth Program; and providing the periodic transfer of funds to be used in the Pittsburgh Partnership Youth Program for payment of cost thereof", by increasing the project allocation by \$300,016.29 from \$100,612.51 to \$400,628.80.

Legislative History

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed
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Bill No.

[2007-1680](#)

Resolution Further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 256, effective April 26, 2000, as amended, 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 Neighborhood Needs Program in Council District 9; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," By reducing Bethany Church by \$10,000; East Liberty Arts Council by \$3,000; Sixth Mount Zion Church \$16,000 and The Bulletin by \$500 and adding \$10,000 to Sickle Cell Society; \$3,500 to Kelly-Strayhorn Theater, \$16,000 to Garfield Jubilee and making various other changes in Council District 9. Total of all projects is not to exceed \$932,000.

Be it resolved by the Council of the City of Pittsburgh as follows:

Section 1. Section 1 of Resolution No. 256 effective April 26, 2000, as amended, which currently reads as per attachment Current Budget column;

Is hereby amended to read as per attachment Revised Budget column.

SEE ATTACHMENT

SPONSOR(S): TWANDA CARLISLE

Legislative History

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	AMENDED	Passed
8/8/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended as Amended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No.

[2007-1698](#)

Resolution Further amending Resolution No. 654, effective October 25, 2001, entitled, "Resolution 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 City Council's 2001 Neighborhood Needs Supplement Program; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by decreasing Lincoln Lemington Youth Violence Prevention by \$1,500 and East Liberty Concerned Citizens by \$5,000 and by adding \$6,500 to East Liberty Chamber of Commerce in Council District 9.

SPONSOR(S): TWANDA CARLISLE

Legislative History

8/7/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
8/7/07	City Council	Read and referred	Passed
8/8/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. Resolution transferring the amount of \$7,000 from Account 511000, Sub-Class 010
[2007-1699](#) Salaries, Fund 1000, Organization 101100, Budget Year 2007, City Council to Account
 526125, Sub-Class 150 Miscellaneous Services, Fund 1000, Organization 101290,
 Budget Year 2007, City Clerk's Office. (Council District #9)

SPONSOR(S): TWANDA CARLISLE

Legislative History

8/7/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
8/7/07	City Council	Read and referred	Passed
8/8/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

MR. KOCH PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS & ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Public Works and Environmental Services for August 8,
[2007-1703](#) 2007.

Legislative History

8/13/07	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No. Resolution granting unto the Allegheny County Sanitary Authority, 3300 Preble
[2007-1676](#) Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15233, their successors and assigns, the privilege and license
 to construct, maintain and use at their own cost and expense, a vent pipe with bollards
 on 43rd Street in the 9th Ward, 7th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

Legislative History

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Public Works & Environmental Services Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. Resolution Vacating a portion of Harcol Way in the 5th Ward, 7th Council District, of
[2007-1679](#) the City of Pittsburgh.

Legislative History

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Public Works & Environmental Services Committee	AMENDED	Passed
8/8/07	Public Works & Environmental Services Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

MS. PAYNE PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PLANNING, ZONING AND LAND USE

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Planning, Zoning and Land Use for August 8, 2007.

[2007-1704](#)

Legislative History

8/13/07	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No. [2007-1604](#) Resolution approving a Conditional Use under the Pittsburgh Code, Title Nine, Zoning, Article V, Chapter 911, Section 911.04.A.64 to Pittsburgh Public Schools Facilities Division for authorization to construct a one-story, 17,000 sq. ft. extension on the westerly side of Miller African - Centered Academy located at 2055 Bedford Avenue on property zoned RM-M, Residential Multi -Unit, Moderate Density District, 5th Ward.

Legislative History

7/10/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
7/10/07	City Council	Read and referred	
7/11/07	Planning, Zoning & Land Use Committee	Held for Public Hearing	Passed
8/2/07	Hearings Committee	Public Hearing Held	Passed
8/8/07	Planning, Zoning & Land Use Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	

Bill No. [2007-1605](#) Resolution approving a Conditional Use under the Pittsburgh Code, Title Nine, Zoning, Article V, Chapter 911, Section 911.04.A.64 to Pittsburgh Public Schools Facilities Division for authorization to construct a three-story, 45,000 sq. ft. extension and interior renovations to Milliones Middle School located at 3117 Centre Avenue on property zoned R2-L, Residential Two -Unit, Low Density District, 5th Ward.

Legislative History

7/10/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
7/10/07	City Council	Read and referred	
7/11/07	Planning, Zoning & Land Use Committee	Held for Public Hearing	Passed
8/2/07	Hearings Committee	Public Hearing Held	Passed
8/8/07	Planning, Zoning & Land Use Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	

MS. CARLISLE PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON HOUSING, ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION

Bill No. [2007-1705](#) Report of the Committee on Housing, Economic Development and Promotion for August 8, 2007.

Legislative History

8/13/07	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No. [2007-1681](#) Resolution amending and supplementing Resolution No. 861, effective January 1, 2000, as amended, entitled: "Adopting and approving the 2000 Capital Budget and the 2000 Community Development Block Grant Program; and approving the 2000 through 2005 Capital Improvement Program, by adjusting various line items in conformance

with City Council's 2000 Capital Budget amendments.” By reducing Bethany Church by \$10,000; East Liberty Arts Council by \$3,000; Sixth Mount Zion Church \$16,000 and The Bulletin by \$500 and adding \$10,000 to Sickle Cell Society; \$3,500 to Kelly-Strayhorn Theater; \$16,000 to Garfield Jubilee and by making various other changes in Council District 9.

SPONSOR(S): TWANDA CARLISLE

Legislative History

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	AMENDED	Passed
8/8/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended as Amended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No.

[2007-1682](#)

Resolution Amending Resolution No. 386, effective June 29, 2007 entitled: by 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 2007 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; so as to reprogram funds in City Council from “District 2-Equipment” (-30,000) and transfer these funds to: “Grandview Lions Club” (+3,000); and “West Pittsburgh Partnership” (+20,000); and “Carnegie Library-West End Branch” (+5,000); and “Tree of Hope” (+2,000).

SPONSOR(S): DAN DEASY

Legislative History

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No.

[2007-1683](#)

Resolution amending Resolution No. 373, effective June 29, 2007 entitled: 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 the benefit of residents of the City of Pittsburgh; and further, authorizing various City Departments to enter into contract or contracts or use existing contract or contracts for street paving, the purchase of equipment and/or furniture and other related costs at a costs not to exceed 800,000.00, so as to reprogram funds in City Council from "District 2-Equipment" (-30,000) and transfer these funds to: "Grandview Lions Club" (+3,000); and "West Pittsburgh Partnership" (+20,000.00 and "Carnegie Library-West End Branch" (+5,000); and "Tree of Hope, Inc." (+2,000).

SPONSOR(S): DAN DEASY**Legislative History**

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No.

[2007-1700](#)

Resolution Further Amending Resolution No. 424 of 2001, effective June 19, 2001, entitled "Further amending Resolution No. 976 effective January 1, 1996, as amended, Adopting and Approving the 1996 Capital Budget and the 1996 Community Development Block Grant by creating a new line item, City Clerk Office Modernization Project Grant # 2271000 for the purpose of augmenting neighborhood needs programs and/or the District Improvement Fund, and transferring \$1,128,892.00 from Grant/Liberty to City Clerk's Office Modernization" by decreasing Lincoln Lemington Youth Violence Prevention by \$1,500 and East Liberty Concerned Citizens by \$5,000 and by adding \$6,500 to East Liberty Chamber of Commerce in Council District 9.

SPONSOR(S): TWANDA CARLISLE**Legislative History**

8/7/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
8/7/07	City Council	Read and referred	Passed
8/8/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

MR. BODACK PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

Bill No.

Report of the Committee on Public Safety Services for August 8, 2007.

[2007-1706](#)**Legislative History**

8/13/07	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No.

[2007-1677](#)

Resolution adopting the Allegheny County Hazard Vulnerability Assessment and Mitigation plan as the official hazard mitigation plan of the City of Pittsburgh

Legislative History

7/31/07	City Council	Read and referred	
8/8/07	Public Safety Services Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
8/13/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBERS****APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

ADJOURNMENT