

City of Pittsburgh



City Council

Regular Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, January 16, 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****MR. DEASY PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, LAW AND PURCHASING**

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the issuance of a warrant in the sum of \$20,000.00 to Rodney
[2007-1097](#) M. and Dorothy A. Bradshaw c/o G. Christopher Apossos, Esquire, 330 Grant Street,
Suite 2201, Pittsburgh, PA 15219, in full and final settlement of an action filed at
GD-05-26403, arising from damages allegedly caused by a landslide of City-owned
property near 206 Venture Street, in the City of Pittsburgh.

Legislative History

1/16/07 City Council Read and referred

Bill No. Resolution providing for the renewal of a contract with UPMC WORKPARTNERS for
[2007-1098](#) the purpose of on-going professional nurse case management services in connection
with the monitoring of certain workers' compensation claims and medical treatment
toward a goal of returning employees to work as soon as they are medically able to
return, at a cost not to exceed \$128,750.

Legislative History

1/16/07 City Council Read and referred

Bill No. Resolution providing for the renewal of a contract with UPMC WORKPARTNERS for
[2007-1099](#) the purpose of on-going claims management provided to City of Pittsburgh employees
who file reports of on-the-job injuries and/or illness pursuant to the Pennsylvania
Workers' Compensation Act and providing for the payment of the cost thereof, at a cost
not to exceed \$526,672.

Legislative History

1/16/07 City Council Read and referred

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Citizen Police Review Board to enter into an Agreement(s)
[2007-1100](#) or contract(s) with Thieman and Ward for professional services to assist in the legal
representation of the Citizen Police Review Board providing for payment there of at a
cost not to exceed \$50,000 (Fifty Thousand Dollars).

Legislative History

1/16/07 City Council Read and referred

MR. KOCH PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Bill No. Resolution providing for an agreement or agreements with University of Pittsburgh
[2007-1101](#) Medical Center (UPMC), Iroquois Building, Suite 207, Pittsburgh, PA 15213 for the
grant of easement for a utility tunnel under Darragh Street in the 4th Ward, 8th Council
District. Of the City of Pittsburgh.

Legislative History

1/16/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Read and referred	

MR. MOTZNIK PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PARKS, RECREATION & YOUTH POLICY

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Parks and Recreation to enter into agreements in individual amounts of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) or less with performers, instructors, artists and persons with specialized skills in connection with the Department's recreational and instructional programs.

[2007-1104](#)Legislative History

1/16/07	City Council	Read and referred	
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MS. PAYNE PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PLANNING, ZONING AND LAND USE

Bill No. Ordinance amending the Pittsburgh Zoning Code, Title Nine, Article One, Chapter 902 Section 902.03, Zoning District Map No. 9 by changing various zoning district classifications in the Overbrook neighborhood in accord with Map Pittsburgh: Zoning for your Neighborhood, the city's zoning re-mapping project relative to the city's new Urban Zoning Code.

[2007-1102](#)Legislative History

1/16/07	City Council	Read and referred	
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Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of City Planning to enter into an agreement or agreements with members of the Zoning Board of Adjustment, for payment of services for duties related to any and all activities of the Zoning Board of the City of Pittsburgh. Cost not to exceed \$39,000.

[2007-1103](#)Legislative History

1/16/07	City Council	Read and referred	
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MR. SHEILDS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON HEARINGS

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the appointment of Kim Graziani, as a member of the Clean Pittsburgh Commission for a term to expire October 31, 2009. Ms. Graziani will fill the unexpired term of Linda Binstock.

[2007-1105](#)Legislative History

1/16/07	City Council	Held, Pending Interview	
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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 Purchasing for January 10, 2007.

[2007-1094](#)Legislative History

1/16/07	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No. [2007-1074](#) A Resolution Authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Personnel and Civil Service Commission to enter into a professional services agreement or agreements with Mercy OccuNet for professional services in connection with the administration and evaluation of medical examinations and related tests and procedures for the Civil Service Commission's medical examination program for current and prospective employees for employment and promotion, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof. Cost not to exceed \$150,000.00.

Legislative History

1/2/07	City Council	Read and referred	
1/10/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. [2007-1075](#) Resolution providing that the City of Pittsburgh enter into a professional services agreement or agreements with In-Touch Mercy EAP for professional services in connection with the administration and provision of mental health and counseling services for the City of Pittsburgh's Employee Assistance Program for current and prospective employees, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof. Cost not to exceed \$71,000.

Legislative History

1/2/07	City Council	Read and referred	
1/10/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. [2007-1081](#) Resolution further amending Resolution No.204, effective April 12, 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 7; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by adding "Highland Park Gateway Signage" \$8,000.00. Total of all projects should not exceed \$812,915.43.

SPONSOR(S): LEN BODACK**Legislative History**

1/2/07	City Council	Read and referred	
1/10/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

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

Bill No.

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Planning, Zoning and Land Use for January 10, 2007.

[2007-1095](#)

Legislative History

1/16/07	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into a Donation Agreement with Artist Jane Haskell in order to officially accept the donation of "Windows of Light", a neon sculpture for inclusion in the City's art collection.

[2007-1076](#)**Legislative History**

1/2/07	City Council	Read and referred	
1/10/07	Planning, Zoning & Land Use Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

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

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Housing, Economic Development and Promotion for January 10, 2007.

[2007-1096](#)**Legislative History**

1/16/07	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No. Resolution authorizing the reallocation of \$2,000,000 in Brownfields Economic Development Initiative grants from the North Point Breeze and Chateau Industrial Districts projects to the Pittsburgh Technology Center, authorizing the filing of amended applications for the grants and designating Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh as the City's agent. (Council District No. 6).

[2007-1078](#)**Legislative History**

1/2/07	City Council	Read and referred	
1/10/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the submission of applications to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development for a Section 108 loan or loans of up to \$11,500,000 for the Pittsburgh Technology Center. (Council District No. 6).

[2007-1079](#)**Legislative History**

1/2/07	City Council	Read and referred	
1/10/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. Resolution authorizing a Cooperation Agreement with the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh designating URA as the City's agent for implementation of federal Brownfields Economic Development Initiative grants and Section 108 loans for the Pittsburgh Technology Center project. (Council District No. 6).

[2007-1080](#)**Legislative History**

1/2/07	City Council	Read and referred	
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1/10/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No.

[2007-1082](#)

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 adding "Highland Park Gateway Signage" \$8,000.00 in Council District 7.

SPONSOR(S): LEN BODACK**Legislative History**

1/2/07	City Council	Read and referred	
1/10/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
1/16/07	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

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