

City of Pittsburgh

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414 Grant Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15219*



MEETING MINUTES

Proceedings of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh

Friday, August 27, 2010

10:00 AM

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**

ROLL CALL

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

Absent: 1 - Rev. Burgess

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PROCLAMATIONS

Bill No. [2010-0854](#) NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby commend the organizers of "Paint It Forward" for their efforts to provide more schoolchildren with art programming; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare Sunday, August 28, 2010 to be "Paint It Forward 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. [2010-0855](#) NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby recognize and celebrate the 90th birthday of Addie Rebecca Trent; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare August 22, 2010 to be "Addie Rebecca Trent 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.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

PRESENTATION OF PAPERS

COUNCILWOMAN NATALIA RUDIAK PRESENTS:

Bill No. [2010-0851](#) Resolution naming the t-ball field at Brookline Memorial Park "Officer Stephen James Mayhle Memorial Park."

SPONSOR(S): NATALIA RUDIAK

Read and referred to Public Works Committee

COUNCILMAN DOUGLAS SHIELDS PRESENTS:

Bill No. [2010-0849](#) Resolution further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 229 effective April 19, 2000, 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; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by adding "Davis Park Security Lighting" \$2,400 and by reducing

the "Squirrel Hill Sewer Line" project by the same amount in Council District 5. Total cost of all projects is not to exceed \$1,000,000.

SPONSOR(S): DOUGLAS SHIELDS

A motion was made that this matter be Waived under Rule 8. The motion carried.

Read and referred to Finance and Law Committee

Bill No.

[2010-0850](#)

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 "Davis Park Security Lighting" \$2,400 and by reducing the "Squirrel Hill Sewer Line" project by the same amount in Council District 5.

SPONSOR(S): DOUGLAS SHIELDS

A motion was made that this matter be Waived under Rule 8. The motion carried.

Read and referred to Land Use and Economic Development Committee

COUNCIL PRESIDENT DARLENE M. HARRIS PRESENTS:

Bill No.

[2010-0852](#)

Communication from Michael Lamb, City Controller, submitting a Performance Audit of the Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority dated August, 2010.

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

Bill No.

[2010-0853](#)

Petition from the residents of the City of Pittsburgh requesting a public hearing before City Council relative to the curb lane on the South side of East North Avenue, between Cedar and Middle Steet, to be converted from a traffic lane to a parking lane.

Read and referred to Hearings Committee

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

Bill No.

[2010-0856](#)

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh hereby recognizes The Carrick Neighborhood Group to be a civic and/or service organization within the context of the Pennsylvania Small Games of Chance Act, as amended.

SPONSOR(S): NATALIA RUDIAK

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

EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBER - REV. BURGESS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ADJOURNMENT