

# **City of Pittsburgh**

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



## **MEETING MINUTES**

*Proceedings of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh*

**Tuesday, January 12, 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: 9 - Rev. Burgess, Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

## PROCLAMATIONS

Bill No. [2010-0022](#) NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Council of the City of Pittsburgh commends and thanks Joni Rabinowitz for 25 years of working to end hunger and poverty in the Pittsburgh region and wishes her well in future endeavors; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh hereby declares January 14, 2010, "Joni Rabinowitz 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.**

**Roll Call:** Present: 9 - Rev. Burgess, Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith

## PUBLIC COMMENTS

## PRESENTATION OF PAPERS

### REV. BURGESS, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON HUMAN RESOURCES, PRESENTS

Bill No. [2010-0009](#) Ordinance amending the Pittsburgh City Code, Title I, Administrative, Article XI: Personnel, by adding Chapter 190, Citywide Policy Against Domestic Violence.

**Read and referred to Human Resources Committee**

### MR. DOWD, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, PRESENTS

Bill No. [2010-0010](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, to enter into a Cooperation Agreement with the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh ("URA") to receive \$500,000.00 in Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development grant funds for administrative and operating costs of the Green Up Pittsburgh program.

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

**Read and referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee**

Bill No. [2010-0011](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, to enter into a Professional Services Agreement or Agreements with Penn State Cooperative Extension for horticultural consulting services in conjunction with the City's Green Up Pittsburgh program. Cost not to exceed \$30,000.00.

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

**Read and referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee**

Bill No.

[2010-0012](#)

Resolution authorizing the University of Pittsburgh on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh and the Congress of Neighboring Communities (CONNECT) to make application through the Pennsylvania Department of Community and Economic Development - Shared Municipal Services Program.

**Read and referred to Intergovernmental Affairs Committee**

**MR. KRAUS, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS,  
PRESENTS**

Bill No.

[2010-0007](#)

Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works to enter into a Temporary License and Cooperation Agreement with The Lawrenceville Corporation to permit the City's Department of Public Works to provide technical and other collaborative assistance for the development of a community tree park.

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

**Read and referred to Public Works Committee**

Bill No.

[2010-0008](#)

Resolution agreeing to cooperate, on a project receiving one-hundred percent outside funding, with the Commonwealth Of Pennsylvania, Department Of Transportation, and Point Park University, in the planning, design and construction of improvements to the Wood Street corridor in the Downtown Section of Pittsburgh.

**Read and referred to Public Works Committee**

Bill No.

**2010-0013**

An Ordinance amending the Pittsburgh Code of Ordinances, Title Nine, Zoning, Article V, Section 911.02, Use Table, and Section 911.04, Use Standards, by amending the definition of Restaurant and providing new use standards for restaurants.

**SPONSOR(S): BRUCE A. KRAUS**

**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**

**MRS. SMITH, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY,  
PRESENTS**

Bill No.

[2010-0006](#)

Resolution authorizing the Citizen Police Review Board to enter into an Agreement(s) or contract(s) with Ward McGough, LLC 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 \$45,000 (Forty-Five Thousand Dollars).

**Read and referred to Public Safety Services Committee**

**MR. SHEILDS, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON LAND USE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, PRESENTS**

Bill No. [2010-0005](#) Ordinance amending and supplementing the Pittsburgh Code, Title I-Administrative, Article VII, Procedures, Chapter 161-Contracts, to require contractors who provide building service and food services to the City of Pittsburgh to pay prevailing wages to employees employed pursuant to such contracts, and to require that building service, food service, grocery, and hotel employees employed on projects receiving City subsidies be paid prevailing wages.

**SPONSOR(S): DOUGLAS SHIELDS, WILLIAM PEDUTO, REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS, DARLENE HARRIS, THERESA SMITH, JIM MOTZNIK, R. DANIEL LAVELLE, BRUCE A. KRAUS AND PATRICK DOWD**

**Read and referred to Finance and Law Committee**

**MRS. HARRIS, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON HEARINGS, PRESENTS**

Bill No. [2010-0014](#) Resolution informing City Council of the appointment of Natalia Rudiak, 2314 Brownsville Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15210 , as a member of the Pittsburgh Parking Authority with a term to expire April 30, 2011.

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

Bill No. [2010-0018](#) Resolution informing City Council of the appointment of Daniel Lavelle, 3209 Iowa Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15219 , as a member of the Urban Redevelopment Authority with a term to expire December 2, 2014.

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

Bill No. [2010-0019](#) Resolution authorizing the appointment of Theresa Kail-Smith, 132 Hyde Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15205, as a member of the Allegheny County Sanitary Authority for a term to expire on December 31, 2012. Ms. Kail-Smith is replacing Jim Motznik.

**A motion was made that this matter be Approved. The motion carried.**

Bill No. [2010-0021](#) Resolution authorizing the reappointment of Patrick Dowd, 1015 N. Euclid Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15206, as a member of the Pittsburgh Water and Sewer Authority for a term to expire on December 31, 2014.

**A motion was made that this matter be Approved. The motion carried.**

Bill No. [2010-0015](#) Resolution informing City Council of the appointment of Scott Kunka, 525 Lloyd Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15208 , as a member of the Pittsburgh Parking Authority with a term to expire April 30, 2012. Mr. Kunka is replacing Art Victor.

**A motion was made that this matter be Held, Pending Interview to the Hearings Committee. The motion carried.**

Bill No. Resolution informing City Council of the reappointment of Michael Jasper, 610  
[2010-0016](#) Manilla Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15219 , as a member of the Pittsburgh Parking  
Authority with a term to expire April 30, 2013.

**A motion was made that this matter be Held, Pending Interview to the Hearings  
Committee. The motion carried.**

Bill No. Resolution informing City Council of the appointment of Chris D'Addario, 608  
[2010-0017](#) Sampsonia Way, Pittsburgh, PA 15212 , as a member of the Pittsburgh Parking  
Authority with a term to expire April 30, 2015.

**A motion was made that this matter be Held, Pending Interview to the Hearings  
Committee. The motion carried.**

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the reappointment of Dina Klavon, 46 S. 15th Street,  
[2010-0020](#) Pittsburgh, PA 15203, as a member of the Art Commission for a term to expire on  
December 31, 2013.

**A motion was made that this matter be Held, Pending Interview to the Hearings  
Committee. The motion carried.**

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

## **MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

## **ADJOURNMENT**