

# **City of Pittsburgh**

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



## **MEETING MINUTES**

*Proceedings of the Council of the City of Pittsburgh*

**Thursday, December 30, 2010**

**1:30 PM**

**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

*NOTE: Council Members Patrick Dowd and Bruce Kraus participated by telephone conference.*

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

## PROCLAMATIONS

*None*

## PUBLIC COMMENTS

## BRIEF RECESS

## RECONVENED MEETING BACK IN SESSION

*MOTION TO WAIVE THE RULES OF COUNCIL TO CHANGE THE ORDER OF BUSINESS. Motion carried by Roll Call vote 8-1, Rev. Burgess voting no; all others voting aye.*

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Bill No. [2010-1256](#) Communication from Mayor Luke Ravenstahl submitting a veto of Council Bill Nos 2010-1115, 1245, 1246 and 1248.

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

Bill No. [2010-1115](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor of the City of Pittsburgh to renegotiate the co-operation agreements between the City of Pittsburgh and the Pittsburgh Public Parking Authority so as to dedicate irrevocably the revenue generated by increased meter rates to the Pittsburgh Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund (Parking Assets and Pension)

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, NATALIA RUDIAK, PATRICK DOWD, BRUCE A. KRAUS, WILLIAM PEDUTO AND DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**A motion was made that this matter be Overridden. The motion carried by the following vote:**

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

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 0

Bill No. [2010-1245](#) Ordinance supplementing the Pittsburgh Code of Ordinances, Title 2, Fiscal, creating a new Article XI: Dedicated Funding for the Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust

Fund, to allow for specific funding to be dedicated to the Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund with the goal of retaining local oversight immediately and into the future.

(Parking Assets and Pension)

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, PATRICK DOWD, BRUCE A. KRAUS, WILLIAM PEDUTO, NATALIA RUDIAK AND DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**A motion was made that this matter be Overridden. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith  
Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess  
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2010-1246](#)

Ordinance amending and supplementing the Pittsburgh Code, Title Five - Traffic, Article VII - Parking, Chapter 543 - Parking Meters, Section 543.01 - Parking Meter Zones and Rates, so as to set metered parking zones, rates and hours of enforcement throughout the City of Pittsburgh.

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, PATRICK DOWD, BRUCE A. KRAUS, WILLIAM PEDUTO, NATALIA RUDIAK AND DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**A motion was made that this matter be Overridden. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith  
Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess  
Abstentions: 0

Bill No.

[2010-1248](#)

Resolution requesting that the Intergovernmental Cooperation Authority authorize the transfer of all money in the City Restricted Debt Fund to the Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund for the new purpose of improving the cash position of the City of Pittsburgh's pension fund

(Parking Assets and Pension)

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, PATRICK DOWD, BRUCE A. KRAUS, WILLIAM PEDUTO, NATALIA RUDIAK AND DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**A motion was made that this matter be Overridden. The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Votes:** Ayes: 8 - Mr. Dowd, Mrs. Harris, Mr. Kraus, Mr. Lavelle, Mr. Peduto, Ms. Rudiak, Mr. Shields and Mrs. Smith  
Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess  
Abstentions: 0

## PRESENTATION OF PAPERS

Bill No.

[2010-1257](#)

Ordinance amending and supplementing the Pittsburgh Code of Ordinances, Title 2, Fiscal, amending Article XI: Dedicated Funding for the Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund, to change the amount of funding to be dedicated to the Comprehensive Municipal Pension Trust Fund with the goal of retaining local oversight immediately and into the future.

(Parking Assets and Pension)

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS, PATRICK DOWD, BRUCE A. KRAUS, WILLIAM PEDUTO, NATALIA RUDIAK AND DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**A motion was made that this matter be Waived under Rule 8. The motion carried by the following vote:**

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

Noes: 1 - Rev. Burgess

Abstentions: 0

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

## **MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

### **MEETING NOTICE:**

**Friday, December 31st**

**1:00 p.m. Standing Committee Meeting/Regular Meeting**

**11:00 p.m. Standing Committee Meeting/Regular Meeting**

*Friday, December 30th*

*1:00 o'clock P.M. Standing Committees Meeting/Regular Meeting*

*11:00 p.m. Standing Committees Meeting/Regular Meeting (Cancelled)*

## **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

## **ADJOURNMENT**