

City of Pittsburgh



City Council

Regular Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, October 16, 2012

10:00 AM

**ONE-HUNDRED
THIRTY-SEVENTH COUNCIL**

Darlene M. Harris, President

**Council Members: Rev. Ricky V. Burgess, Patrick Dowd, Bruce A. Kraus, R. Daniel Lavelle,
Corey O'Connor, William Peduto, Natalia Rudiak, Theresa Kail-Smith**

Linda M. Johnson-Wasler, City Clerk

Mary Beth Doheny, Deputy City Clerk

ROLL CALL**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****PROCLAMATIONS****PUBLIC COMMENTS****PRESENTATION OF PAPERS****COUNCILMAN REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS PRESENTS:**

Bill No. [2012-0848](#) Resolution further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 855, effective January 1, 2012 entitled "Adopting and approving the 2012 Capital Budget and the 2012 Community Development Block Grant Program; and approving the 2012 through 2017 Capital Improvement Program," by transferring \$500,000 of bond funds from the Riverview Community Center project and adding \$500,000 to Portman Slope Remediation.

COUNCILMAN PATRICK DOWD PRESENTS:

Bill No. [2012-0440](#) Resolution adopting the Lower Strip District Tax Increment Financing Plan presented by the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh and making certain findings. (Council District 6)

Legislative History

5/29/12	City Council	Withdrawn
6/12/12	City Council	Withdrawn
6/19/12	City Council	Withdrawn
6/26/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/10/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/17/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/24/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/31/12	City Council	Withdrawn
8/31/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/4/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/11/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/18/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/24/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/2/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/9/12	City Council	Withdrawn

Bill No. [2012-0441](#) Resolution authorizing a Cooperation Agreement or Agreements with the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh, the County of Allegheny and the School District of Pittsburgh providing for the financing, monitoring, implementation and termination of the Lower Strip District Tax Increment Financing District. (Council District 6).

Legislative History

5/29/12	City Council	Withdrawn
6/12/12	City Council	Withdrawn

6/19/12	City Council	Withdrawn
6/26/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/10/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/17/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/24/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/31/12	City Council	Withdrawn
8/31/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/4/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/11/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/18/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/24/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/2/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/9/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/15/12	City Council	Withdrawn

Bill No.

[2012-0442](#)

Resolution authorizing the execution of a cooperation agreement or agreements with the Urban Redevelopment Authority of Pittsburgh in which URA will make a grant not to exceed \$250,000 to the City to pay for engineering and design costs of the Smallman Street reconstruction project. (Council District 6)

Legislative History

5/29/12	City Council	Withdrawn
6/12/12	City Council	Withdrawn
6/19/12	City Council	Withdrawn
6/26/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/10/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/17/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/24/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/31/12	City Council	Withdrawn
8/31/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/4/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/11/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/18/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/24/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/2/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/9/12	City Council	Withdrawn

Bill No.

[2012-0851](#)

Resolution requesting the approval of an inter-municipal transfer of restaurant liquor license, License No. R-6449, from Pintail Group, LLC, Monroeville Mall, Unit 300, Monroeville PA 15146 to Applicant TBM PA01, LLC, 204 Auila Road, West Palm Beach FL 33405; into the premises to be known as The Beer Market, 110 Federal St., pursuant to amended Pennsylvania Liquor Code, §4-461.

COUNCILMAN BRUCE A. KRAUS PRESENTS:

Bill No.

[2012-0626](#)

Resolution accepting the grant of a street, sidewalk, and utility right of way and permanent easement to the City of Pittsburgh by The Buncher Company over, upon, across, in and through property that runs along 13th Street, a public right of way in the Strip District.

Legislative History

7/24/12	City Council	Withdrawn
7/31/12	City Council	Withdrawn
8/31/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/4/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/11/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/18/12	City Council	Withdrawn
9/24/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/2/12	City Council	Withdrawn
10/9/12	City Council	Withdrawn

Bill No. [2012-0849](#) Resolution further amending Resolution No. 855, effective, January 1, 2012, as amended, entitled “Adopting and approving the 2012 Capital Budget and the 2012 Community Development Block Grant Program; and approving the 2012 through 2017 Capital Improvement Program,” by transferring \$400,000.00 in bond funds from the “Building Improvements Program” line item to the “Wenzell Avenue/Carnahan Road” line item.

COUNCIL PRESIDENT DARLENE M. HARRIS PRESENTS:

Bill No. [2012-0850](#) Resolution adopting the Reapportionment Plan for the City Council Districts in the City of Pittsburgh, as set forth in the final report of the Reapportionment Advisory Committee.

SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION

COUNCILMAN REV. RICKY V. BURGESS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND LAW

Bill No. [2012-0844](#) Report of the Committee on Finance and Law for October 10, 2012 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

Bill No. [2012-0760](#) Resolution authorizing and directing the issuance of a warrant in favor of Galls, in the amount of Fifty Four Thousand Five Hundred Sixty One Dollars and Six Cents, (\$54,561.06), for costs incurred when the current uniform contract expired on March 31, 2012.

Legislative History

9/24/12	City Council	Read and referred	
10/3/12	Standing Committee	Held in Committee	Passed
10/10/12	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

Bill No. [2012-0784](#) Resolution authorizing issuance of a warrant in the sum of \$3,425.00, in favor of Robert S. Gray, 2544 Woodward Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15226, in settlement of a claim for a damaged vehicle due to felled branches from a City tree on or about February 12, 2012.

Legislative History

10/2/12	City Council	Read and referred	
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10/10/12	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
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COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

Bill No. [2012-0845](#) Report of the Committee on Public Safety Services for October 10, 2012 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

Bill No. [2012-0761](#) Resolution authorizing the Department of Public Safety to enter into a contract or contracts, agreement or agreements, lease or leases, professional service agreements or the use of existing contracts, leases or agreements, and other services, along with other approved expenditures and for the payment of supplies, equipment, materials, rentals, and other services for portable radios to be used by Public Safety Bureaus, at a cost not to exceed \$1,500,000.

Legislative History

9/24/12	City Council	Read and referred	
10/3/12	Standing Committee	Held in Committee	Passed
10/10/12	Standing Committee	AMENDED	Passed
10/10/12	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended as Amended	Passed

COUNCILMAN BRUCE A. KRAUS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

Bill No. [2012-0846](#) Report of the Committee on Public Works for October 10, 2012 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

Bill No. [2012-0736](#) Resolution granting to Equitable Gas Company a permanent easement for installation of an above ground gas regulator on a portion of City of Pittsburgh property Parcel 19-G-131 in the 20th Ward.

Legislative History

9/18/12	City Council	Read and referred	
9/25/12	Standing Committee	Held in Committee	Passed
10/3/12	Standing Committee	Held in Committee	Passed
10/10/12	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

COUNCILWOMAN NATALIA RUDIAK PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PERFORMANCE AND ASSET MANAGEMENT

Bill No. [2012-0847](#) Report of the Committee on Performance and Asset Management for October 10, 2012 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

Bill No. [2012-0785](#) Resolution providing for an agreement or agreements for enhancements and upgrades to the City's Public Safety systems, mobile data computers, and Automated Police Reporting Systems for a sum not to exceed \$200,000 and for the payment of the costs thereof.

Legislative History

10/2/12	City Council	Read and referred	
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10/10/12

Standing Committee

Affirmatively
Recommended

Passed

Bill No. Resolution providing for an agreement or agreements for Information Systems
[2012-0786](#) Modernization to include upgrades to the City's existing information and telecommunication systems, public safety systems, and public works systems for a sum not to exceed \$300,000 and for the payment of the costs thereof.

Legislative History

10/2/12	City Council	Read and referred	
10/10/12	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBERS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ADJOURNMENT

LEGISLATION PRESENTED BY SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER