



Standing Committee Meeting Minutes

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Wednesday, April 7, 2010

10:00 AM

Council Chambers

PUBLIC COMMENT

ROLL CALL

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

FINANCE AND LAW, MR. PEDUTO, CHAIR

NEW PAPERS

Bill No. [2010-0257](#) Resolution providing for the issuance of a of Twenty-Seven Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars(\$27,500.00) warrant in favor of Margaret and Dennis Ingold c/o Virginia Spencer Scott, Esquire,Ainsman, Levine & Drexler, LLC, 330 Grant Street, Suite 2201, Pittsburgh, PA 15219, in settlementof an action filed in the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania at GD 09-10295for personal injuries and damages arising from a slip and fall on or about July 1, 2008, at or near Calle Street and Conniston Avenue, in the City of Pittsburgh.

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.

Bill No. [2010-0258](#) Resolution providing for the issuance of a \$5,787.32 warrant in favor of Sacred Heart Parish, of 310 Shady Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15206, in settlement of a claim for sidewalk damage due to City tree roots on August 14, 2009.

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.

Bill No. [2010-0266](#) Resolution amending Resolution No. 670 of 2008, to permit \$7,000 already transferred to the District 9 Crime Trust Fund to now be used as additional funding for the City's previously authorized Professional Services Agreement with Professor David Kennedy for consulting services on the Pittsburgh Initiative to Reduce Crime (PIRC).

SPONSOR(S): REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS

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

Votes: Ayes: 5 - Rev. Burgess, Mr. Peduto, Mr. Lavelle, Ms. Rudiak and Mrs. Smith
Noes: 0
Abstentions: 2 - Mr. Kraus and Mrs. Harris
Out of Room: 1 - Mr. Dowd

INVOICES

PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES, MRS. SMITH, CHAIR

SUPPLEMENTAL - RECOMMITTED PAPERS

Bill No. Ordinance amending the City Code at Title Seven: Business Licensing; Article V:
[2010-0171](#) Trade Occupations Service Businesses, by adding a new Chapter At 780, Towing
Business Licensing Setting Forth Requirements for Towing Business Registration, Tow
Truck Driver Registration and General Requirements Related to Non-consensual
Towing of vehicles within the City of Pittsburgh.
NOTE: (Chapter 780 was subsequently revised to read Chapter 764)

SPONSOR(S): DOUGLAS SHIELDS

A motion was made that this matter be Held in Committee for April 14, 2010. The motion carried.

PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE, MR. KRAUS, CHAIR

NEW PAPERS

Bill No. Resolution naming the building located at the West End Elliott Overlook as the
[2010-0265](#) ELMER CLARK PAVILION.

SPONSOR(S): THERESA SMITH

A motion was made that this matter be Affirmatively Recommended. The motion carried.