

City of Pittsburgh

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



Regular Meeting Agenda - Final

Tuesday, April 12, 2016

10:00 AM

Council Chambers

City Council

***ONE-HUNDRED
THIRTY-NINTH COUNCIL***

Bruce A. Kraus, President of Council

***Council Members: Rev. Ricky V. Burgess, Dan Gilman, Deborah L. Gross, Darlene M. Harris, R.
Daniel Lavelle, Corey O'Connor, Natalia Rudiak, Theresa Kail-Smith***

Mary Beth Doheny, City Clerk - Kimberly Clark-Baskin, Deputy City Clerk

A. ROLL CALL**B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****C. PROCLAMATIONS**[2016-0296](#)[2016-0297](#)[2016-0298](#)[2016-0299](#)[2016-0300](#)[2016-0301](#)[2016-0302](#)[2016-0303](#)[2016-0304](#)**D. PUBLIC COMMENTS****E. PRESENTATION OF PAPERS****COUNCILWOMAN NATALIA RUDIAK PRESENTS:**

[2016-0291](#) Resolution amending Resolution 715 of 2015 authorizing the Mayor and the City Solicitor to enter into a Professional Services Agreement with Burns White LLC, for professional legal services and expert advice regarding construction litigation by increasing the total cost from Twenty Four Thousand Six Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars and No Cents (\$24,685.00) to Ninety Nine Six Hundred Eighty-Five Dollars and No Cents (\$99,685.00).

[2016-0292](#) Resolution providing for a Professional Services Agreement with Curtin & Heefner, LLP, for professional legal services and expert advice regarding Building Owners and Managers litigation. The total cost of the professional service agreement or agreements entered into between the City of Pittsburgh and Curtin & Heefner, LLP shall not exceed Ten Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$10,000.00),

[2016-0293](#) Resolution amending Resolution 525 of 2015 authorizing the Mayor and the City Solicitor to enter into a Professional Services Agreement with Campbell, Durrant, Beatty, Palombo and Miller, P.C. for professional legal services and expert advice for collective bargaining and/or interest arbitration, as well as expert legal services with regard to separate collective bargaining matters involving other City unions by increasing the total cost from One Hundred Seventy-Two Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$172,000.00) to Two Hundred Forty-Seven Dollars and No Cents (\$247,000.00).

COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS:

[2016-0294](#) Resolution vacating a portion of Chesney Way at Centre Avenue southerly in the 4th Ward, 8th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

F. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

G. REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION

COUNCILWOMAN NATALIA RUDIAK PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND LAW

[2016-0287](#) Report of the Committee on Finance and Law for April 6, 2016 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2016-0250](#) Resolution further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 855 of 2011, entitled “adopting and approving the 2012 Capital Budget and the 2012-2017 Capital Improvement Program” by transferring \$5,500 to Observatory Hill-Surveillance Cameras, ~~and~~ \$5,000 to Neu Kirche Contemporary Art Center, \$5,500 to Delta Foundation, and \$1,150 to Riverview Park within District 1 Neighborhood Needs.

SPONSORS: MRS. HARRIS

Legislative History

3/29/16	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law
4/6/16	Standing Committee	AMENDED
4/6/16	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended as Amended

[2016-0251](#) Resolution further amending Resolution 549, effective September 21, 2012 entitled "providing for an agreement/s, or use of existing agreements and/or a contract/s, or use of existing contracts, and for the purchase of materials, supplies, equipment, and/or services for City Council Neighborhood Needs Program and providing for the payment of the costs thereof", by transferring \$5,500 to Observatory Hill- Surveillance Cameras, ~~and~~ \$5,000 to Neu Kirche Contemporary Art Center, \$5,500 to Delta Foundation, and \$1,150 to Riverview Park within District 1 Neighborhood Needs. Total cost of all projects is not to exceed \$437,779.53.

SPONSORS: MRS. HARRIS

Legislative History

3/29/16	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law
4/6/16	Standing Committee	AMENDED
4/6/16	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended as Amended

[2016-0256](#) Resolution transferring a total of \$30,000 within the 2016 Operating Budget from Fuel to Parks & Recreation

SPONSORS: MRS. KAIL-SMITH

Legislative History

3/29/16	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law
4/6/16	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILMAN R. DANIEL LAVELLE PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

[2016-0288](#) Report of the Committee on Public Safety Services for April 6, 2016 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2016-0252](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Bureau of Police on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh to enter into a Professional Services Agreement or Agreements with WhatsaMather Consulting, LLC to provide leadership training and related consulting services. The overall cost of said agreement(s) shall not exceed the sum of One-Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars and No Cents (\$150,000.00), which is to be funded from a Heinz Foundation grant in the amount of \$100,000 (as authorized by Resolution No. 103 of 2016) and a JAG grant in the amount of \$50,000 (as authorized by Resolution No. 524 of 2015).

Legislative History

3/29/16	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Services
4/6/16	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

[2016-0253](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and Chief of Police to execute relevant agreements to receive grant funding from the Pennsylvania Moose Association (PMA) for the purchase of body armor, body worn cameras and other equipment for the Police Bureau and further providing for an agreement and expenditures not to exceed ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars for this stated purpose.

Legislative History

3/29/16	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Services
4/6/16	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

[2016-0289](#) Report of the Committee on Public Works for April 6, 2016 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2016-0161](#)

Ordinance amending the Pittsburgh Code, Title 4 - Public Places and Property, Article I - Public Rights of Way Chapter 416: Obstructions, by repealing Chapter 416 in its entirety and replacing it with new language.

SPONSORS: MRS. HARRIS

Legislative History

3/1/16	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Works
3/9/16	Standing Committee	AMENDED
3/9/16	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Public Works
3/23/16	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Public Works
3/30/16	Standing Committee	AMENDED
3/30/16	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Public Works
4/6/16	Standing Committee	AMENDED
4/6/16	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended as Amended

I. MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

K. EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBERS

L. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

M. ADJOURNMENT

P LEGISLATION PRESENTED BY SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER