

# City of Pittsburgh



## City Council

### Regular Meeting Agenda

**Thursday, November 5, 2009**

**10:00 AM**

**ONE-HUNDRED  
THIRTY-FIFTH COUNCIL**

**Douglas Shields, President**

**Council Members: Reverend Ricky V. Burgess, Patrick Dowd, Darlene M. Harris, Bruce A. Kraus, Jim Motznik, Tonya D. Payne, William Peduto, Theresa Smith**

**Linda M. Johnson-Wasler, City Clerk**

**Mary Beth Doheny, Deputy City Clerk**

## ROLL CALL

## PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

## PROCLAMATIONS

Bill No. [2009-1935](#) NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby recognize Sean Michael Angelo for his leadership and hard work and congratulates Sean on earning the Eagle Scout Award through his remarkable and noteworthy project.

**SPONSOR(S): DOUGLAS SHIELDS AND ALL MEMBERS**

**Legislative History**

11/5/09

City Council

Adopted

Passed

## PRESENTATION OF PAPERS

### MRS. HARRIS, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS, PRESENTS

Bill No. [2009-1926](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Directors of the Department of Parks and Recreation and the Department of Public Works to enter into a Project and License Agreement with the Mount Washington Community Development Corporation to benefit Grandview Scenic Byway Park, by providing capital improvements in the form of view and habitat restoration signs.

**Legislative History**

11/5/09

City Council

Read and referred

### MR. PEDUTO, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND LAW, PRESENTS

Bill No. [2009-1925](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor to enter into a grant agreement with the County of Allegheny and the Allegheny County Health Department to receive funds allocated through a 2009 American Recovery and Reinvestment Act State Clean Diesel Grant received from the Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection and further providing for an Agreement or Agreements for professional services in connection with the execution of said grant agreement. Cost not to exceed \$401,000.00.

**Legislative History**

11/5/09

City Council

Read and referred

## UNFINISHED BUSINESS

## REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION

### MR. PEDUTO PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND LAW

Bill No. [2009-1921](#) Report of the Committee on Finance and Law for October 28, 2009 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

**Legislative History**

11/5/09

City Council

Read, Received and Filed

Passed

Bill No. Resolution Further amending Resolution No. 121 of 2003, effective March 14, 2003  
[2009-1870](#) entitled, "Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreements, or use of existing Agreements and/or a Contract or Contracts, or use of existing Contracts, and for the purchase of materials, supplies, equipment, and/or services for various projects in connection with City Council's 2003 Community Needs Program; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by adding \$2,750 to Perry Hilltop Citizens Council and another \$2,750 to Fineview Citizens Council for surveillance cameras and by reducing District 1 Neighborhood Needs by \$5,500.00.

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS**

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Finance and Law Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. Resolution providing for the issuance of a warrant in favor of the Municipal Code  
[2009-1874](#) Corporation, in the amount of \$3,918.32, in payment for professional services related to updating the Pittsburgh City Code.

**SPONSOR(S): DOUGLAS SHIELDS**

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Finance and Law Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

## MR. KRAUS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Public Safety Services for October 28, 2009 with an  
[2009-1922](#) Affirmative Recommendation.

**Legislative History**

	11/5/09	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to accept on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, a grant  
[2009-1889](#) from the Department of Justice in the amount of \$142,000, and authorizing and directing the Mayor to enter into an Agreement or Agreements with qualified drug treatment programs for drug treatment services, with qualified non-profit agencies for project coordination services, with qualified organizations for community surveying, social, educational, recreational, youth development, and other related services including transfer of salaries and fringe benefits, supply purchases, equipment purchases, travel reimbursement, and other expenses in connection with the City's Operation Weed and Seed Program in the neighborhoods of Chartiers City, Crafton Heights, Elliott, Esplen, Fairywood, Sheraden, West End, and Windgap.

**Legislative History**

	10/27/09	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
	10/27/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Safety Services Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No.

[2009-1890](#)

Resolution authorizing the Mayor to accept on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, a grant from the Department of Justice in the amount of \$142,000, and authorizing and directing the Mayor to enter into an Agreement or Agreements with qualified drug treatment programs for drug treatment services, with qualified non-profit agencies for project coordination services, with qualified organizations for community surveying, social, educational, recreational, youth development, and other related services including transfer of salaries and fringe benefits, supply purchases, equipment purchases, travel reimbursement, and other expenses in connection with the City's Operation Weed and Seed Program in the Lawrenceville neighborhood.

**Legislative History**

	10/27/09	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
	10/27/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Safety Services Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

**MRS. HARRIS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS**

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Public Works for October 28, 2009 with an Affirmative  
[2009-1923](#) Recommendation.

**Legislative History**

11/5/09	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No. Resolution providing for a Contract or Contracts or for the use of existing Contracts,  
[2009-1812](#) providing for an Agreement or Agreements or for the use of existing Agreements,  
providing for repairs, maintenance, improvements, emergencies and/or the purchase of  
materials, equipment and supplies to complete a comprehensive facilities maintenance  
plan to guide building improvements and maintenance expenditures and to ensure  
optimal space utilization, and further providing for the payment of the costs thereof.  
Cost not to exceed \$150,000.00.

**Legislative History**

	10/6/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/14/09	Public Works Committee	Held in Committee	Passed
	10/21/09	Public Works Committee	Held in Committee	Passed
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. Resolution granting unto The Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, 4400 Forbes Avenue,  
[2009-1862](#) Pittsburgh, PA 15213, their successors and assigns, the privilege and license to  
construct, maintain and use at his own cost and expense, overhead architectural  
features, a ramp and book returns for the East Liberty Branch of The Carnegie Library  
at 130 South Whitfield Street, Baum Boulevard and Tamello Way in the 8th Ward, 9th  
Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. Resolution vacating a portion of Marilyn Street in the 31st Ward, 5th Council District  
[2009-1863](#) of the City of Pittsburgh.

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. Resolution vacating a portion of Gosser Street between Conniston Avenue and Vernita  
[2009-1864](#) Street in the 18th Ward, 4th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

**Legislative History**

10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
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1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. [2009-1865](#) Resolution amending Resolution No. 561, approved October 14, 2008, entitled “Granting unto, United States General Services Administration, Mid-Atlantic Region, 100 Penn Square East, Philadelphia, PA 19107, their successors and assigns, the privilege and license to construct, maintain and use at their own cost and expense, planters and bollards on the sidewalk area of William Penn Place and 1000 Liberty Avenue in the 2nd Ward, 6th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.”

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. [2009-1866](#) Resolution granting unto Juniper Holdings, 1000 Main Street, Sharpsburg, PA 15215, their successors and assigns, the privilege and license to construct, maintain and use at their own cost and expense, a set of concrete steps on the right-of-way at 6808 Greenwood Street in the 10th Ward, 7th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. [2009-1867](#) Resolution granting unto Joseph Clark, 955 Freeport Road, Natrona Heights PA 15065, his successors and assigns, the privilege and license to construct, maintain and use at his own cost and expense, a business identification sign over the sidewalk area 1233 East Carson Street in the 17th Ward, 3rd Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. [2009-1868](#) Resolution granting unto Mark Knobil, 3559 Bethoven Street, Pittsburgh, PA 15213, his successors and assigns, the privilege and license to construct, maintain and use at his own cost and expense, a concrete stoop with railing on the sidewalk area at 3138 Dobson Street and a concrete patio with rail on Hancock Street 6th Ward, 7th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No. [2009-1869](#) Resolution granting unto University of Pittsburgh, 124 Cathedral of Learning, Pittsburgh, PA 15260, their successors and assigns, the privilege and license to construct, maintain and use at their own cost and expense, private underground utilities

at the right-of-ways of Robinson, Carrillo and Brackenridge Streets in the 4th and 5th Wards, 6th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

Bill No.

**2009-1905**

Resolution providing for an Agreement between the City of Pittsburgh and the Borough of Ingram in connection with the paving of Middletown Road and providing for the payment thereof by the Borough to the City of the costs associated with the paving of the Borough's portion of Middletown Road. The estimated cost of preparation and completion of work is One Hundred Fifty Three Thousand Eighty Six Dollars and Seventy-Four Cents (\$153,086.74).

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS**

**Legislative History**

	10/27/09	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	
	10/27/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Public Works Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

**REV. BURGESS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON LAND USE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

Bill No.

**2009-1924**

Report of the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development for October 28, 2009 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

**Legislative History**

	11/5/09	City Council	Read, Received and Filed	Passed
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Bill No.

**2009-1871**

Resolution amending and supplementing Resolution No. 891, effective January 1, 2003, as amended, entitled: "Adopting and approving the 2003 Capital Budget and the 2003 Community Development Block Grant Program; and approving the 2003 through 2008 Capital Improvement Program by adjusting various line items in conformance with City Council's 2003 Capital Budget amendments" by adding \$2,750 to Perry Hilltop Citizens Council and another \$2,750 to Fineview Citizens Council for surveillance cameras and by reducing District 1 Neighborhood Needs by \$5,500.00

**SPONSOR(S): DARLENE HARRIS**

**Legislative History**

	10/20/09	City Council	Read and referred	
1	10/28/09	Land Use and Economic Development Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed
	11/5/09	City Council	Passed Finally	Passed

**MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS**

**EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBERS**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**ADJOURNMENT**