

City of Pittsburgh



City Council

Regular Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, November 13, 2007

10:00 AM

**ONE-HUNDRED
THIRTY-FOURTH COUNCIL**

Douglas Shields, President

**Council Members: Len Bodack, Twanda Carlisle,
Dan Deasy, Darlene M. Harris, Jeffrey S. Koch, Jim Motznik, Tonya D. Payne, William Peduto**

Linda M. Johnson-Wasler, City Clerk

Mary Beth Doheny, Deputy City Clerk

ROLL CALL**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****PROCLAMATIONS****PUBLIC COMMENTS****PRESENTATION OF PAPERS****MR. BODACK, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES, PRESENTS**

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Chief of the Bureau of Emergency Medical
[2007-1926](#) Services to enter into an agreement or agreements with QuickMed Claims for professional services in connection with the provision of ambulance billing services.

MR. DEASY, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, LAW AND PURCHASING, PRESENTS

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Personnel and
[2007-1923](#) Civil Service Commission to enter into a professional services agreement or agreements with Mercy OccuNet for professional services in connection with the administration and evaluation of medical examinations and related tests and procedures for the Civil Service Commission's medical examination program for current and prospective employees for employment and promotion, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof. Cost not to exceed \$100,000.00.

MRS. HARRIS, CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGINEERING, FLEET AND FORESTRY, PRESENTS

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works
[2007-1925](#) to enter into an easement agreement or agreements with THE BUNCHER COMPANY and others whereby THE BUNCHER COMPANY and others grant to the City an easement along Liberty Avenue, in the Second Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, for the construction on a portion of the Buncher Property of a bus stop and a pedestrian signalized crossing for use as a transit stop for the Port Authority of Allegheny County.

MR. KOCH, CHAIRPERSON OF PUBLIC WORKS AND ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES, PRESENTS

Bill No. Resolution providing that the City of Pittsburgh amend a professional services
[2007-1924](#) agreement or agreements with the Animal Rescue League, a Pennsylvania non-profit corporation, for professional services in connection with wildlife management, and providing for the payment of the cost thereof. Cost not to exceed \$50,000.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS**REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION**

MR. DEASY PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, LAW AND PURCHASING

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Finance, Law & Purchasing for November 5, 2007.

2007-1919

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the issuance of Warrants in the sum of \$14,363.98 to Joyce Butler c/o Gregory A. Castelli, Esquire, 2600 Brownsville Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15227, in full and final settlement of an action filed at AR 07-004828, and arising from alleged personal injuries sustained as a result of a trip and fall accident within the crosswalk on Liberty Avenue at the intersection with 6th Street, on or about September 20, 2006, and in the sum of \$636.02 to the Treasurer of the City of Pittsburgh for indebtedness to the City.

2007-1882**Legislative History**

10/30/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor to accept on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, a grant from the Three Rivers Workforce Investment Board in the amount of \$50,000.00, and authorizing agreement or agreements with qualified agencies for project coordination, and other related services including transfer of salaries, supply purchases, travel reimbursement, and other expenses in connection with the Multiple Pathways to Education Project.

2007-1883**Legislative History**

10/30/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

Bill No. Further amending Resolution No.204, effective April 12, 2000, as amended, entitled "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 the Neighborhood Needs Program in Council District 7; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by adding \$16,738.20 to "District 7 Neighborhood Safety and Security" and by reducing "District 7 Community Organizational Support" by the same amount. Total cost of all projects should not exceed \$1,000,000.

2007-1908

SPONSOR(S): LEN BODACK

Legislative History

11/5/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
11/5/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

Bill No. Resolution further amending and supplementing Resolution No. 256, effective April 26, 2000, as amended, entitled "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

2007-1910

in connection with the Neighborhood Needs Program in Council District 9; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," By deleting "Sixth Mount Zion Church" \$10,000 and "District 9 Community Projects" 10,000 and by adding \$10,00 to "Better Block Development" and \$10,000 to "Pgh. Comm. Services" and making various other changes in Council District 9. Total of all projects is not to exceed \$932,000.

SPONSOR(S): TWANDA CARLISLE

Legislative History

11/5/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
11/5/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

Bill No.

2007-1911

Resolution further amending Resolution No. 654, effective October 25, 2001, 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 2001 Neighborhood Needs Supplement Program; and providing for the payment of the costs thereof," by deleting "African American Workers Union", \$7,000 and "Homewood Credit Union" \$10,000 and by adding \$5,000 to "African American Entrepreneurial Forum", \$10,000 to "Renaissance III, 2000", and \$2,000 to "North Point Breeze CDC" in Council District 9.

SPONSOR(S): TWANDA CARLISLE

Legislative History

11/5/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
11/5/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

Bill No.

2007-1914

Resolution transferring the amount of \$1,000 from Account 511000, Sub-Class 010 Salaries, Fund 1000, Organization 101100, Budget Year 2007, City Council, to Account 526125, Sub-Class 150 Miscellaneous Services, Fund 1000, Organization 101240, Budget Year 2007, City Clerk's Office. (Council District #4)

SPONSOR(S): JIM MOTZNIK

Legislative History

11/5/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
11/5/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Finance, Law and Purchasing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

MR. KOCH PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS & ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES

Bill No.

2007-1920

Report of the Committee on Public Works and Environmental Services for November 5, 2007 with a NEGATIVE RECOMMENDATION.

Bill No. Ordinance amending and supplementing the Pittsburgh Code, Title IV, Public Places
[2007-1391](#) and Property; Article 1, Public Rights-of-Way; by adding a new Chapter 424,
 PAVEMENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

SPONSOR(S): WILLIAM PEDUTO

Legislative History

4/24/07	City Council	Read and referred	
5/2/07	Public Works & Environmental Services Committee	Held for Post Agenda	Passed
11/5/07	Public Works & Environmental Services Committee	Negatively Recommended	

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Public Works and Environmental Services for November
[2007-1921](#) 5, 2007 with an AFFIRMATIVE RECOMMENDATION.

Bill No. Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Works
[2007-1886](#) to enter into a Garbage Collection Agreement and an accompanying Equipment Lease
 with the Housing Authority of the City of Pittsburgh pertaining to the City's provision
 of collection and disposal services in exchange for the lease of certain refuse collection
 equipment from the Authority.

Legislative History

10/30/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Public Works & Environmental Services Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

**MS. CARLISLE PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON HOUSING, ECONOMIC
 DEVELOPMENT AND PROMOTION**

Bill No. Report of the Committee on Housing, Economic Development and Promotion for
[2007-1922](#) November 5, 2007.

Bill No. Amending and supplementing Resolution No. 861, effective January 1, 2000, as
[2007-1909](#) amended, entitled: "Adopting and approving the 2000 Capital Budget and the 2000
 Community Development Block Grant Program; and approving the 2000 through 2005
 Capital Improvement Program, by adjusting various line items in conformance with
 City Council's 2000 Capital Budget amendments" by adding \$16,738.20 to "District 7
 Neighborhood Safety and Security" and by reducing "District 7 Community
 Organizational Support" by the same amount.

SPONSOR(S): LEN BODACK

Legislative History

11/5/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
11/5/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

Bill No. [2007-1912](#) Resolution amending and supplementing Resolution No. 861, effective January 1, 2000, as amended, entitled: "Adopting and approving the 2000 Capital Budget and the 2000 Community Development Block Grant Program; and approving the 2000 through 2005 Capital Improvement Program, by adjusting various line items in conformance with City Council's 2000 Capital Budget amendments." By deleting "Sixth Mount Zion Church" \$10,000 and "District 9 Community Projects" 10,000 and by adding \$10,00 to "Better Block Development" and \$10,000 to "Pgh. Comm. Services" and by making various other changes in Council District 9.

SPONSOR(S): TWANDA CARLISLE

Legislative History

11/5/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
11/5/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

Bill No. [2007-1913](#) Resolution further Amending Resolution No. 424 of 2001, effective June 19, 2001, entitled "Further amending Resolution No. 976 effective January 1, 1996, as amended, Adopting and Approving the 1996 Capital Budget and the 1996 Community Development Block Grant by creating a new line item, City Clerk Office Modernization Project Grant # 2271000 for the purpose of augmenting neighborhood needs programs and/or the District Improvement Fund, and transferring \$1,128,892.00 from Grant/Liberty to City Clerk's Office Modernization" by deleting "African American Workers Union", \$7,000 and "Homewood Credit Union" \$10,000 and by adding \$5,000 to "African American Entrepreneurial Forum", \$10,000 to "Renaissance III, 2000", and \$2,000 to "North Point Breeze CDC" in Council District 9.

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Legislative History

11/5/07	City Council	Waived under Rule 8	Passed
11/5/07	City Council	Read and referred	
11/5/07	Housing, Economic Development & Promotion Committee	Affirmatively Recommended	Passed

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBERS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ADJOURNMENT