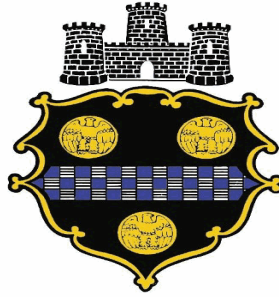


City of Pittsburgh

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



Regular Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, February 5, 2019

10:00 AM

Council Chambers

City Council

***ONE-HUNDRED
FORTIETH COUNCIL***

Bruce A. Kraus, President of Council

***Council Members: Rev. Ricky V. Burgess, Anthony Coghill, Deborah L. Gross, Darlene M.
Harris, R. Daniel Lavelle, Corey O'Connor, Theresa Kail-Smith, Erika Strassburger***

Brenda F. Pree, City Clerk - Kimberly Clark-Baskin, Deputy City Clerk

ROLL CALL**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****PROCLAMATIONS****2019-1358****2019-1359****2019-1360****2019-1361****2019-1362****2019-1363****PUBLIC COMMENTS****PRESENTATION OF PAPERS****COUNCILMAN REVEREND RICKY V. BURGESS PRESENTS:**[2019-1344](#)

Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Bureau of Neighborhood Empowerment to execute relevant agreements to receive grant funding from the Benter Foundation. This funding will support the Imagination Library program for the City of Pittsburgh through the Dollywood Foundation providing for an agreement and expenditures not to exceed TWO HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND (\$250,000.00) dollars for this stated purpose.

[2019-1345](#)

Ordinance amending and supplementing the Pittsburgh City Code at Title Two: Fiscal, Article IX: Property Taxes, Chapter 267: Exemptions for Industrial and Commercial Improvements, Section 267.03: Exemption Schedule, Subsection (e) to include applications filed during the period of June 30, 2017 until legislation establishing a new program has been adopted or the program is terminated.

[2019-1346](#)

Resolution authorizing issuance of a warrant in the amount of \$4,565.00, in favor of Daniel Bendas for damage to the sidewalk and driveway of his residence at 4345 McCaslin Street, Pittsburgh, 15217 from a City PW high lift removing ice buildup from a PWSA water main break on January 3, 2018.

- [2019-1347](#) Resolution providing for an agreement, for payment of the City's share of the 2019 operating expenses to the Allegheny County Central Tax Collection District for tax collection. Cost not to exceed Eight Thousand and Sixty Five Dollars and Fifty-One Cents. (\$8,065.51)
- [2019-1356](#) Resolution amending Resolution No. 863 of 2018, effective January 1, 2019, entitled "Resolution adopting and approving the 2019 Capital Budget and the 2019 Community Development Block Grant Program, and the 2019 through 2024 Capital Improvement Program," by reducing BEDFORD DWELLINGS CHOICE NEIGHBORHOOD by \$1,500,000 and increasing ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND HOUSING by \$1,500,000.
- 2019-1357** Resolution amending Resolution 532 of 2018, entitled "authorizing the Mayor and Director of Finance to enter into a contract(s) or agreement(s) or use of existing contract(s) or agreement(s) on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh with the Pittsburgh Land Bank for administrative service for the 2018 Land Bank implementation at a cost not to exceed two hundred thousand dollars" in order to allow expenditures in 2019
- SPONSOR /S:** REV. BURGESS

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY COGHILL PRESENTS:

- [2019-1348](#) Resolution amending Resolution No. 444 of 1977 in order to rename the "Special Summer Food Service Trust Fund" as "Special Food Service Programs Trust Fund". For background purposes, note that prior to Resolution No. 444 of 1977 a new trust fund was created every year a grant was issued, including 315 of 1971, 240 of 1972, 166 of 1973, 295 of 1975, etc. Starting with Resolution No. 444 of 1977, the City stopped creating additional yearly funds, consolidated the older funds, and started depositing new annual grants into a single trust fund. The City's Department of Parks & Recreation now seeks to rename the "Special Summer Food Service Trust Fund" as "Special Food Service Programs Trust Fund" in order to reflect that additional food service programming is conducted throughout the school year, and not merely the summer.
- [2019-1349](#) Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Parks and Recreation, and/or the Director of the Department of Public Safety and Director of the Office and Management and Budget to enter into agreements in individual amounts of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) or less with performers, instructors, artists, referees, and persons with specialized skills in connection with the Departments' recreational and instructional programs and special events services.

- [2019-1350](#) Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreements, Lease(s) and/or License Agreement(s) for the use of certain property for senior facilities for the provision of center services to seniors in an amount not to exceed Eighty Seven Thousand, and Ten Dollars (\$87,010.00), chargeable to and payable from the Seniors Community Program Trust Fund in the Department of Parks and Recreation.

COUNCILWOMAN DEBORAH L. GROSS PRESENTS:

- [2019-1351](#) Resolution amending Resolution No. 503, approved June 27, 2000, "providing for the implementation of a Residential Sticker Parking Program in the Beechview neighborhood pursuant to Pittsburgh Code Chapter 549" so as to amend the streets and remove addresses included in Area "T".
- [2019-1352](#) Resolution amending Resolution No. 574, approved July 25, 2000, "providing for the implementation of a Residential Sticker Parking Program in the Squirrel Hill neighborhood pursuant to Pittsburgh Code Chapter 549" so as to amend the streets and remove addresses included in Area "K".
- [2019-1353](#) Ordinance amending and supplementing the Pittsburgh Code, by creating Title 13 entitled "Stormwater Management", and by deleting Stormwater Management text from Title 10, Building, Chapter 1003.
(Wavier of Rule 8 Requested)

COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS:

- [2019-1354](#) Resolution vacating a portion of Dahlem Place in the 12th Ward, 9th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.
- [2019-1355](#) Resolution providing for an Agreement or Agreements, or use of existing Agreements, to set forth financial obligations and maintenance responsibilities for the project and the pedestrian facilities with PennDOT. Local costs associated with work to be done on SR0885 (Boulevard of the Allies) ADA Ramps and upgraded black traffic signal poles being constructed and inspected by PennDOT, and further providing for reimbursement to PennDOT of the costs estimated to be Seventy-Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Seven Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$77,707.50).

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION

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

- [2019-1341](#) Report of the Committee on Finance and Law for January 30, 2019 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2019-1303](#)

Resolution amending Resolution No. 878, effective December 21, 2018 entitled: Resolution authorizing the fee schedule for 2019 pursuant to Chapter 170 of the City Code so as to replace the attached fee schedule and update the effective date.

Legislative History

1/22/19 City Council Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law

1/30/19 Standing Committee Affirmatively Recommended

[2019-1304](#)

Resolution amending Resolution 843 of 2018 (by changing the budget year from 2018 to 2019), providing for the issuance of a warrant in the total sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000.00) in favor of Kathleen Kasunick and her attorneys, Elliott and Davis, fully releasing the City from all claims and liability for alleged property damages as described in a lawsuit filed in the Allegheny County Court of Common Pleas at G.D. 15-021678.

Legislative History

1/22/19 City Council Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law

1/30/19 Standing Committee Affirmatively Recommended

[2019-1313](#)

Ordinance amending the Pittsburgh Code of Ordinances at Title One: Administrative, Article XI: Human Resources, Chapter 192: Pensions, at General Provisions, section 192.01 Definitions, and also at Municipal Benefit Plan No. 2, section 192.23 Municipal Benefits, in order to allow interest payments on withdraws from the Municipal Pension plan, and to authorize the calculation of interest.

SPONSOR /S: MR. KRAUS

Legislative History

1/22/19 City Council Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law

1/30/19 Standing Committee Affirmatively Recommended

[2019-1316](#)

Resolution providing for a professional services agreement or agreements or existing agreements for consulting services, but not limited to auditing, accounting, and technical services for the City Controller's Office at a cost not to exceed \$135,000.00

Legislative History

1/22/19	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Law
1/30/19	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILMAN R. DANIEL LAVELLE PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

[2019-1342](#) Report of the Committee on Public Safety Services for January 30, 2019 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2019-1308](#) Resolution, amending resolution number 231 of 2018, entitled “authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Public Safety to enter on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh into an Agreement with the Housing Authority of the City of Pittsburgh (“HACP”) for the providing of police services at HACP properties over a three-year term” in order to update account numbers

SPONSOR /S: REV. BURGESS

Legislative History

1/22/19	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Services
1/30/19	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

[2019-1310](#) Resolution providing for the issuance of a warrant in favor of Dolan Consulting Group in the amount of Nine-Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$9,950.00) for verbal de-escalation training for the Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Police.

Legislative History

1/22/19	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Services
1/30/19	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

[2019-1343](#) Report of the Committee on Public Works for January 30, 2019 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2019-1295](#)

Resolution amending Resolution No. 701, effective November 2, 2015, to now read as follows:

"Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of Mobility and Infrastructure, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, to enter into an Agreement or Agreements with PENNDOT under which PENNDOT will make improvements to and transfer Industrial Highway, approximately 1.2 miles of roadway, to the City, and the City will transfer to PENNDOT two current City street segments, those street segments being: 1) Euclid Avenue from Baum Boulevard to Centre Avenue, approximately 347 feet; and 2) Centre Avenue from Euclid Avenue to Highland Avenue, approximately 1,017 feet."

Legislative History

1/15/19	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Works
1/23/19	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Public Works
1/30/19	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

[2019-1312](#)

Resolution authorizing the transfer by the City of Pittsburgh to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Department of Transportation ("PennDOT") certain public right-of-way and temporary construction easement rights on certain property of the 32nd Ward of the City of Pittsburgh in cooperation with a PennDOT construction project.

Legislative History

1/22/19	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Works
1/30/19	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

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