

City of Pittsburgh

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



Regular Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, June 16, 2020

10:00 AM

Council Chambers

City Council

ONE-HUNDRED

FORTY-FIRST COUNCIL

Theresa Kail-Smith, President of Council

***Council Members: Rev. Ricky V. Burgess, Anthony Coghill, Deborah L. Gross, Bruce A. Kraus,
R. Daniel Lavelle, Corey O'Connor, Erika Strassburger, Bobby Wilson***

Brenda F. Pree, City Clerk - Kim Clark-Baskin, Assistant City Clerk

ROLL CALL**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****PROCLAMATIONS**

[2020-0427](#) ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED***, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare June 16, 2020 to be “***William Russell Robinson Day***” in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR /S: COUNCIL MEMBER LAVELLE AND ALL MEMBERS

[2020-0428](#) ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED***, that the Council of the City of Pittsburgh does hereby declare June 16, 2020 to be “***Reverend Doctor James Henry McLemore Day***” in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR /S: COUNCIL MEMBER LAVELLE AND ALL MEMBERS

[2020-0429](#) ***NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED***, The Council of the City of Pittsburgh hereby claims this victory, and celebrates the lives and right of the LGBTQIA+ community to live their lives unfettered and free of bigotry, hate, and violence and declares June 2020 “PRIDE MONTH” in the City of Pittsburgh.

SPONSOR /S: COUNCIL MEMBER KRAUS AND ALL MEMBERS

PUBLIC COMMENTS**PRESENTATION OF PAPERS****COUNCILMAN ANTHONY COGHILL PRESENTS:**

[2020-0416](#) Resolution authorizing the Director of the Department of Finance, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh to enter into temporary construction easements, in lieu of eminent domain, with the owners of certain property in the 18th Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, known as 318 Arlington Avenue and 320 Arlington Avenue for landslide remediation work related to public roadway purposes.

Attachments: [2020-0416 Cover Ltr 318-320 Arlington Ave TCE Letter-Letterhead 6-8-20](#)
[Summary 2020-0416](#)

[2020-0417](#) Resolution, vacating a portion of Woolslayer Way, beginning at a point on the northerly right of way line of Woolslayer Way, to its westerly terminus, in the 6th Ward, 7th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

Attachments: [2020-0417 Cover Ltr Council Letter](#)
[2020-0417 Mintwood Office - Partial Vacation Site Plan](#)
[2020-0417 Woolslayer Vacation Description](#)
[2020-0417 Woolslayer Vacation Plan](#)
[2020-0417 Woolslayer vacation 10022019105133](#)
[Summary 2020-0417](#)

COUNCILWOMAN DEBORAH L. GROSS PRESENTS:

[2020-0418](#) Resolution adopting Plan Revision to the City of Pittsburgh's Official Sewage Facilities Plan for the CMU 5th and Clyde Residence Hall and Campus Hub, 4735 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213.

Attachments: [2020-0418 Cover Ltr-4735 Fifth Ave. \(CMU 5th and Clyde\)](#)
[2020-0418 CMU 5th and Clyde SFPM](#)
[2020-0418 Sewer Module Questionnaire for Council - CMU 5th & Clyde](#)
[Summary 2020-0418](#)

[2020-0419](#) Resolution adopting Plan Revision to the City of Pittsburgh's Official Sewage Facilities Plan for the CMU Forbes and Beeler Residence Hall, 5087 Forbes Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213.

Attachments: [2020-0419 Cover Ltr Sewer Module-CMU Forbes and Beeler Residence I](#)
[2020-0419 Sewer Module Questionnaire for Council - CMU Forbes and E](#)
[2020-0419 SFPM Compiled - CMU Beeler](#)
[Summary 2020-0419](#)

COUNCILMAN R. DANIEL LAVELLE PRESENTS:

[2020-0420](#) Resolution providing for further renewal by the Council of the City of Pittsburgh of a Declaration of Disaster Emergency, ratified by Council on March 17th, 2020; to extend the effectiveness of the Declaration for seven (7) additional days thereby making the Declaration effective until June 23rd; in response to the ongoing public health emergency associated with the spread of coronavirus.

(Request to Waive the Rules of Council)

Attachments: [2020-0420 Cover Ltr COVID-19 Emergency Declaration Mayor Letter 6.](#)
[2020-0420-Exhibit A-Emergency Declaration](#)
[Summary 2020-0420](#)

[2020-0421](#) Resolution authorizing the City to enter into an agreement or agreements with Point Park University to allow students, under teacher supervision, to provide creative and strategic services on a volunteer basis to the City on an on-going, project specific basis, such as for marketing for 2020 census outreach.

Attachments: [2020-0421 Cover Ltr PPU Census Outreach 2020 Mavor Letter 6.16.20 Summary 2020-0421](#)

[2020-0422](#) Resolution authorizing the issuance of a warrant in favor of Littler Mendelson, PC, P.O. Box 207137, Dallas, TX 75320-7137, in an amount not to exceed Ten Thousand One Hundred Twelve Dollars and Five Cents (\$10,112.05) for professional legal services regarding an employment matter.

Attachments: [2020-0422 Cover Ltr Littler council ltr Summary 2020-0422](#)

COUNCILMAN COREY O'CONNOR PRESENTS:

[2020-0423](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety to enter on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh into a five-year professional services agreement or agreements with Cover Your Assets, LLC for a web-based secondary employment scheduling system in an amount not-to-exceed Eight Hundred Fifty-Three Thousand Nine Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars and No Cents (\$853,925.00).

Attachments: [2020-0423 Cover Ltr Cover Your Assets letter](#)
[2020-0423 Cover your asset waiver](#)
[Summary 2020-0423](#)

[2020-0424](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety to enter on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh into a professional services agreement or agreements with Smith Detection for upgrades to two Sabre 5000 detection devices in an amount not-to-exceed Ten Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Dollars and No Cents (\$10,280.00).

Attachments: [2020-0424 Cover Ltr Smith detection letter](#)
[2020-0424 Request for Waiver of Competitive Process - Smith Detection](#)
[Summary 2020-0424](#)

COUNCILWOMAN ERIKA STRASSBURGER PRESENTS:

[2020-0430](#) Ordinance amending and supplementing the Pittsburgh City Code, Title Six Conduct, Article V Discrimination, Chapter 659 Unlawful Practices, Section §659.03 Unlawful Housing Practices and Section §659.04 Unlawful Public Accommodation Practices to prohibit housing and public accommodation discrimination based on gender identity and gender expression.

(Waiver of Rule 8 Requested)

SPONSOR /S: COUNCIL MEMBER STRASSBURGER

[2020-0431](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Innovation and Performance, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, to enter into an agreement or agreements or adoption of existing government contracts with ePlus Technology, Inc. for commodities and professional services for system critical adjustments, improvements, and upgrades to maintain the City of Pittsburgh's network functionality.

(Waiver of Rule 8 Requested)

SPONSOR /S: COUNCIL MEMBER STRASSBURGER

COUNCILWOMAN THERESA KAIL-SMITH PRESENTS:

[2020-0425](#) Resolution appointing Sarah Kinter as Director of the Department of Permits, Licenses, and Inspections of the City of Pittsburgh.

[2020-0426](#) Communication from Kevin Pawlos, Director of the Office of Management and Budget, submitting the City of Pittsburgh Quarterly Financial and Performance Report for the period ending March 31, 2020.

Attachments: [2020-0426 Quarterly Report-Q1 2020](#)

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE - FINAL ACTION

COUNCILMAN COREY O'CONNOR PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES

[2020-0411](#) Report of the Committee on Public Safety Services for June 10, 2020 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2020-0384](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute relevant agreements to receive grant funding from the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency's Tree of Life Grant to reimburse the City for Public Safety overtime during the Tree of Life Incident and the Rosfeld Trial and further providing for an agreement and expenditures not to exceed ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND (\$1,500,000.00) dollars for this stated purpose.

Attachments: [2020-0384 Cover Ltr-PCCD Grant Letter](#)
[Summary 2020-0384](#)

Legislative History

6/1/20	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Services
6/10/20	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

[2020-0385](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and Director of the Department of Public Safety to execute relevant agreements to receive grant funding from the Hillman Family Foundations to support the City's partnership with Operation Better Block to support the ongoing efforts of the Pittsburgh Bureau of Police and its Group Violence Intervention program and further providing for an agreement and expenditures not to exceed ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND (\$100,000.00) dollars for this stated purpose.

Attachments: [2020-0385 Cover Ltr-Hillman grant letter](#)
[Summary 2020-0385](#)

Legislative History

6/1/20	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Safety Services
6/10/20	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILMAN ANTHONY COGHILL PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS

[2020-0412](#) Report of the Committee on Public Works for June 10, 2020 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2020-0379](#) Resolution vacating a portion of Summerlea Street, from the Southwestern corner property line of the Port Authority Tax Parcel No. 84-J-145, and said point of beginning of Pierce Street, in the 7th Ward, 8th Council District of the City of Pittsburgh.

Attachments: [2020-0379 Cover Ltr-Council Letter-Summerlea Vac](#)
[2020-0379-Summerlea St Vacation App 022520](#)
[2020-0379-Summerlea St vacation Memo signed](#)
[Summary 2020-0379](#)
[2020-0379 A160615-00-000-00 Street Vacation Extents Mar 12 2019](#)
[2020-0379 AC WATKINS PLAN OF LOTS PBV 12, PAGE 34](#)
[2020-0379 C160615-03-000-00-V-B2-100](#)
[2020-0379 Deed to B&L 51-M-304](#)
[2020-0379 Deed to B&L 51-R-352-0-1 \(Busway Deed\) Description 10](#)
[2020-0379 Deed to B&L 84-J-145](#)
[2020-0379 Neglev Renovation Site Plan 60% Design](#)
[2020-0379 Neglev Signed Letter and Petition 022520](#)
[2020-0379 Neglev Street Vacation Surveyor Docs](#)
[2020-0379 PWSA Summerlea GIS Map](#)
[2020-0379 PWSA Summerlea Street Vacation Letter](#)
[2020-0379 Resolution 318 - Summerlea Vacation to PAAC](#)
[2020-0379 Summerlea St Vacation App 022520](#)

Legislative History

6/1/20	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Public Works
6/10/20	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILMAN BOBBY WILSON PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON LAND USE & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

[2020-0413](#) Report of the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development for June 10, 2020 with a **NEGATIVE** Recommendation.

[2020-0252](#) Resolution consenting to an amendment to the eTRID Planning Study and authorizing the Mayor and the Director of the Department of City Planning, on behalf of the City of Pittsburgh, to take necessary actions to seek necessary consent for and, if obtained, to undertake an amended Planning Study as a prerequisite to considering an amendment to the current East Liberty Transit Revitalization Investment District Boundary.

SPONSOR /S: COUNCIL MEMBER BURGESS

Legislative History

3/31/20	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development
4/8/20	Standing Committee	TABLED
5/20/20	Standing Committee	Motion
5/20/20	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development
5/27/20	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development
6/1/20	Standing Committee	Held in Committee to the Committee on Land Use and Economic Development
6/10/20	Standing Committee	NEGATIVELY RECOMMENDED

COUNCILWOMAN ERIKA STRASSBURGER PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON INNOVATION, PERFORMANCE AND ASSET MANAGEMENT

[2020-0414](#) Report of the Committee on Innovation, Performance and Asset Management for June 10, 2020 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2020-0386](#) Resolution authorizing the Mayor and Director of the Office of Management and Budget to enter into an Agreement or Agreements with Workiva, Inc. to provide a subscription-based budget publishing software solution for a sum not to exceed \$167,136 over four years and for the payment of the costs thereof.

Attachments: [2020-0386-Workiva Resolution Letter 5.27.20](#)
[2020-0386-Workiva Procurement Waiver Complete 5.28.20](#)
[Summary 2020-0386](#)

Legislative History

6/1/20	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Innovation, Performance and Asset Management
6/10/20	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

COUNCILWOMAN DEBORAH L. GROSS PRESENTS COMMITTEE ON INTERGOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

[2020-0415](#) Report of the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs for June 10, 2020 with an Affirmative Recommendation.

[2020-0380](#) Resolution adopting Plan Revision to the City of Pittsburgh's Official Sewage Facilities Plan for East Jefferson Street Townhouses at 128, 130, 132, and 134 East Jefferson Street, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15212.

Attachments: [2020-0380-Cover letter - 130 E. Jefferson St development Sewer Module](#)
[2020-0380-SEWAGE FACILITIES PLANNING MODULE EAST JEFFI](#)
[2020-0380-Sewer Module Questionnaire - 39th St. Homes Project-comple](#)
[Summary 2020-0380](#)

Legislative History

6/1/20	City Council	Read and referred to the Committee on Intergovernmental Affairs
6/10/20	Standing Committee	Affirmatively Recommended

MOTIONS AND RESOLUTIONS

EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBERS

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

ADJOURNMENT

LEGISLATION PRESENTED BY SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETER