#### **RESOLUTION 116 OF 2021**

### **RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON,** NEW YORK, REQUESTING A TRANSFER IN THE CITY CLERK'S DEPARTMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$2,000.00 TO PAY THE EXPENSE OF REPAIRING AND REPLACING THE ELECTRICAL BOXES ON THE BULK HEAD OF THE CITY DOCKS

Sponsored By: Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

**WHEREAS,** the City Clerk has requested a transfer in the amount of \$2,000.00 to pay the expenses of repairing or replacing the electrical boxes on the bulkhead on the City dock, and;

**WHEREAS**, the Finance/Audit Committee has received, reviewed and approved this request;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

<b>FROM:</b> A1.1990.5404 Conting		gency	\$2,000.00	
TO:	A1.7562.487	Dock (	Construction Materials	\$2,000.00
Submitted to th	ne Mayor this day	y of	Approved by the Mayo	
Elisa Tinti, Cit	y Clerk		Steven T. Noble, Mayo	r
Adopted by Cour	ncil on		, 2021	

#### FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

REQUEST DE	ESCRIPTION						
INTERNAL TRANSFER       CONTINGENCY TRANSFER ×       TRANSFER         AUTHORIZATION       BUDGET MODIFICATION       BONDING REQUEST         CLAIMS       ZONING       OTHER							
DEPARTMENT: <u>City Clerk</u> D	DATE: June 2021						
Description: Requesting a transfer of \$2,000.00 from cont	tingency to cover						
the cost of repairing and replacing ele	ectrical boxes on the bulk head						
of the City Marina			6a/.				
From: Contingency	A1.1990.5404 \$2,000.00						
To: Docks construction materials	A1.1410.7562.487 \$2,000.00						
Estimated Financial Impact: \$2,000.00 Signature	Auto						
Motion by <u>Hirsch</u> Seconded by <u>Tallermon</u>	Committee Vote	YES					
Seconded by			<u>NO</u>				
Action Required:	Reynolds Scott Childress, Ward 3,						
	Chairman						
SEQRA Decision: Type I Action Type II Action							
Unlisted Action	Anthony Davis, Ward 6						

Michele Hirsch, Ward 9,

Steven Schabot, Ward 8

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Negative Declaration of Environmental Significance:

Conditioned Negative Declaration:

Seek Lead Agency Status:

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Positive Declaration of Environmental Significance:

## **CITY OF KINGSTON**

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Office of the City Clerk & Registrar of Vital Statistics

cityclerk@kingston-ny.gov

Steven T. Noble, Mayor Elisa Tinti, City Clerk & Registrar



Deidre Sills, Deputy Clerk Susan Mesches, Deputy Registrar

May 25, 2021

President Shaut 420 Broadway Kingston, New York 12401

Dear President Shaut,

I respectfully request placement on the June Finance Committee for a transfer in the Docks account to pay for electrical materials that are needed to repair and replace electrical boxes on the bulk head at the City Marina. I am requesting a transfer of \$2,000.00 for these repairs.

Thank you,

Elisa Tinti City Clerk

City Hall 420 Broadway Kingston, New York 12401 (845) 334-3915 (845) 334-3918 cityclerk@kingston-ny.gov

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#### Tinti, Elisa

From:	Keplinger, Patrick
Sent:	Monday, May 24, 2021 8:37 AM
То:	Norman, Edward
Cc:	Tinti, Elisa; Coon, Ryan
Subject:	Re: FW: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] Electric repair at marina

Hi Ed,

I spoke with Pat Sheehan on Thursday and saw the issues on A Dock electrical. The outlet that he showed me is not in stock in the kingston electrical supply house. I have ordered the replacement outlet for the worn out recepticle and will install when it comes in.

He also asked me to replace the electrical boxes installed on the bulk head that encase the recepticles. They are plastic and the mounting tabs have broken off then the cords are yanked on or out.

The outlets feed through the other boxes. All the wire would have to get pulled out to replace the boxes. The wire is likely brittle and would have to be replaced if pulled out. I would have to size the wire correctly and correct size conduit. The rough price I came up for the material is likely up around \$2,000.

Please let me know how you would like me to proceed.

Patrick Keplinger City of Kingston Electrician (845) 303-5053 pkeplinger@kingston-ny.gov

On May 20, 2021 1:33 PM, "Norman, Edward" <enorman@kingston-ny.gov> wrote:

Patrick,

Could you look into this again and see what it is going to take to replace or fix this issue.

Thank you, Ed

#### Edward Norman

Superintendent of Public Works

25 East O'Reilly Street

Kingston, NY 12401

Phone: 845/331-0682

### **RESOLUTION 117 OF 2021**

### RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, REQUESTING A TRANSFER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$14,000.00 TO COVER THE EXPENSE OF TRAFFIC CONTROL CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS.

Sponsored By: Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

WHEREAS, the Superintendent of the Department of Public Work's has requested a transfer in the amount of \$14,000.00 to cover the expense of Traffic Control construction materials, and;

**WHEREAS**, the Finance/Audit Committee has received, reviewed and approved this request;

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

FROM:	A1.1990.5404	Contingency	\$14,000.00
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**TO:** A1.3310.14.5487 Traffic Control Material \$14,000.00

Submitted to the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

Approved by the Mayor this day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 2021

\_\_\_\_\_, 2021

Elisa Tinti, City Clerk

Steven T. Noble, Mayor

Adopted by Council on	, 2021
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#### FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

#### REQUEST DESCRIPTION

INTERNAL TRANSFER \_\_\_\_\_ AUTHORIZATION \_\_\_\_\_ CLAIMS \_\_\_\_\_ CONTINGENCY TRANSFER × BUDGET MODIFICATION \_\_\_\_\_ ZONING \_\_\_\_\_ TRANSFER \_\_\_\_\_ BONDING REQUEST \_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_

DEPARTMENT:	<u>Public</u>	Works	
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DATE: 5/24/2021

Description: \$14,000.00 FROM A1199014.5404 Contingency

\$14,000.00 TO A1331014.5487 Traffic Control Construction Material

Estimated Financial Impact: \$ 14,000.0 Signature

Motion by <u>SS</u> Seconded by <u>MH</u>

Action Required:

SEQRA Decision: Type I Action \_\_\_\_\_ Type II Action \_\_\_\_\_ Unlisted Action \_\_\_\_\_

Negative Declaration of Environmental Significance:

Conditioned Negative Declaration:

Seek Lead Agency Status: \_\_\_\_\_

Positive Declaration of Environmental Significance:

<u>Committee Vote</u>	YES	<u>NO</u>
Reynolds Scott Childress, Ward 3, Chairman Mennedy Jallar		
Don Tallerman, Ward 5		
Anthony Davis, Ward 6		
Michele Hirsen, Ward 9	M	(p
Steven Schabor, Ward 8		

#### Tinti, Elisa

Sent:

To:

Cc:

From: Topple, Maureen Monday, May 24, 2021 10:28 AM Shaut, Andrea Tinti, Elisa Subject: **RE: Budget Transfer Attachments:** 5.24.21 Contingency Transfer DPW.pdf

Good Morning President Shaut & Elisa,

Please see attached proposed budget transfer from contingency to DPW's operating account for traffic control.

The funds are for the street sign installment project that was approved by the Public Safety Commission.

We respectfully request this be submitted to the Council for review.

(I will submit a signed copy when Ed returns to the office).

Your consideration is appreciated, thank you.

Kind Regards,

Maureen K. Topple

Administrative Assistant **City of Kingston** Dept. of Public Works 25 East O'Reilly Street Kingston, NY 12401 845/334-3963 phone 845/331-0295 fax

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m Go\ Green!\ Print\ this\ email\ only\ when\ necessary.\ Thank\ you\ for\ helping\ the\ City\ of\ Kingston\ be\ environmentally\ responsible.$ 

#### **RESOLUTION 118 OF 2021**

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, REQUESTING A TRANSFER IN THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$5,000.00 TO COVER THE EXPENSE OF SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE BEACH AND POOL SEASON

Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Department has requested a transfer in the amount of \$5,000.00 to cover the expense of supplies and equipment for the beach and pool season, and;

WHEREAS, the Finance/Audit Committee has received, reviewed and approved this request;

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

FROM:	A1.391300	Misc. Materials	\$5,000.00	
TO:	A1.7.7180.14.5485	General Materials	\$5,000.00	
Submitted to th	ne Mayor this day of, 2021	Approved by the May, 20	•	
Elisa Tinti, Cit	y Clerk	Steven T. Noble, May	<i>v</i> or	
Adopted by Cour	ncil on	, 2021		

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### FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

REQUEST DESCRIPTION					
INTERNAL TRANSFERX AUTHORIZATION CLAIMS	AL TRANSFER X CONTINGENCY TRANSFER 1 IZATION BUDGET MODIFICATION BUDGET MODIFICATION				_
DEPARTMENT: _Parks and Recrea	tion	DATE: <u>5/</u> /	27/21		
Description:					
The Parks and Recreation Department Recreation Committed Fund Balance pool season.	nt would like to re to purchase muc	equest a transfer of fund ch needed supplies and e	s from the Misce quipment for the	llaneou beach	s and
Transfer \$ 5,000.00 from: A1-391300 to: A1-7-7180-		ecreation Committed Fund Materials and Supplies	Balance		
Estimated Financial Impact: \$0 Signature Any Freh					
Motion by 77					
Seconded by <u>35</u>		Committee	Vote	<u>YES</u>	NO
Action Required:					
		Reynolds Scott Child Chairma		~	
SEQRA Decision: Type I Action Type II Action Unlisted Action	н.,	Don Tallerman,	•		
Unlisted Action Anthony Davis, Ward 6 Negative Declaration of Environmental Significance:					
Conditioned Negative Declaration:		Micheleffirsen	Ward 9		
Seek Lead Agency Status:	· .	faller	K	V	
Positive Declaration of Environmental Signific	ance:	Steven Schabot,	Ward 8	V	

## City of Kingston Parks and Recreation Department

ltimbrouck@kingston-ny.gov



#### Steven T. Noble, Mayor

Lynsey Timbrouck, Director

May 27, 2021

Dear President Shaut:

The Parks and Recreation Department would like to request a transfer of funds from the Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance for upcoming programs and to cover the expected cost for a memoriam sign in one of our parks. These funds will be used to purchase much needed supplies and equipment for the beach and pool season, movie rentals for Kingston's Movies Under the Stars events, and to cover the cost of the signage for the proposed Kenneth G. Bryant, Jr. Memorial Basketball Courts.

Over the years, the aquatics staff have been successful in managing most of the normal wear and tear that equipment and supplies typically undergo, but the requested transfer will help provide them with the updated materials they need to provide a more safe and efficient environment at the Kingston Point Beach and Andretta Pool.

Kingston's Movies Under the Stars has consistently proven to be a popular program within the community and provides an opportunity for our residents to experience our beautiful parks. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic, we were unable to host any movie showings last year, but with the support of the additional requested funds, we will be able to offer this highly-anticipated experience this season.

In 2012, a fundraiser was held in honor of former Parks and Recreation Commission Chair, Ken Bryant and the money raised was placed into the Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance for a future memorial site. The Commission would like to utilize some of those funds for the signage at the proposed Kenneth G. Bryant, Jr. Memorial Basketball Courts, which has recently received the support from Mayor Noble and the Public Safety and General Government Committee.

As the abovementioned requests are for various distributions, I respectfully request the following fund transfers:

Transfer \$ 5,000.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to: A1-7-7180-14-5485 – General Materials and Supplies

Transfer \$ 1,500.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to: A1-7-7310-14-5472 – Contracted Services

Transfer \$ 60.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to: A1-1-1625-14-5485 – General Materials and Supplies

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#### **RESOLUTION 119 OF 2021**

### RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, REQUESTING A TRANSFER IN THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$60.00 TO COVER THE COST OF SIGNAGE FOR THE KENNETH G. BRYANT JR. MEMORIAL BASKETBALL COURTS.

Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Department has requested a transfer in the amount of \$60.00 to cover the expense of signage for the Kenneth G. Bryant Jr. Memorial Basketball Courts, and;

**WHEREAS**, the Finance/Audit Committee has received, reviewed and approved this request;

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

<b>FROM:</b> A1.391300		Misc. Rec. Committed Fund Balance	\$60.00	
TO:	A1.1.1625.14.5485	General Materials	\$60.00	
Submitted to	the Mayor this day, 2021	of Approved by the Mayor this, 2021	day of	
Elisa Tinti, C	City Clerk	Steven T. Noble, Mayor		
Adopted by Co	ouncil on	. 2021		

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#### FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

REQUEST DESCRIPTION					
AUTHORIZATION BUDG	TINGENCY TRANSFER TRANSFER TRANSFER BONDING REQUEST NG OTHER				
DEPARTMENT: _Parks and Recreation	DATE: <u>5/27/21</u>				
Description:					
The Parks and Recreation Department wou Recreation Committed Fund Balance to cov Bryant, Jr. Memorial Basketball Courts.	d like to request a transfer of funds from the Miscellaneous for the cost for signage, designating the proposed Kenneth G.				
Transfer \$ 60.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscella to: A1-1-1625-14-5485 –	neous Recreation Committed Fund Balance General Materials and Supplies				
Estimated Financial Impact: \$0 Signature					
Motion by 1/1/1					
Seconded by 55	Committee Vote     YES       NO				
Action Required:					
	Reynolds Scott Childress, Ward 3, Chairman				
SEQRA Decision: Type I Action Type II Action	Don Tallerman, Ward 5				
Unlisted Action	Anthony Davis, Ward 6				
Negative Declaration of Environmental Significance:					
Conditioned Negative Declaration:	Michele Hirsch Ward 9				
Seek Lead Agency Status:	Than ap				
Positive Declaration of Environmental Significance: _	Steven Schabot, Ward 8				

## City of Kingston Parks and Recreation Department

ltimbrouck@kingston-ny.gov



### Steven T. Noble, Mayor

Lynsey Timbrouck, Director

May 27, 2021

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Transfer \$ 1,500.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to: A1-7-7310-14-5472 – Contracted Services

Transfer \$ 60.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to: A1-1-1625-14-5485 – General Materials and Supplies

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### **RESOLUTION 120 OF 2021**

### RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, REQUESTING A TRANSFER IN THE PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$1,500.00 TO COVER THE COST OF MOVIES UNDER THE STARS THIS SUMMER

Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

WHEREAS, the Parks and Recreation Department has requested a transfer in the amount of \$1,500.00 to cover the expense of Movies Under the Stars, and;

**WHEREAS**, the Finance/Audit Committee has received, reviewed and approved this request;

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

FROM: A1.391300 Misc. Rec. Committed Fund Balance \$1,500.00

**TO:** A1.7.7.7310.14.5472 Contracted Services \$1,500.00

Submitted to the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

Approved by the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 2021

, 2021

Elisa Tinti, City Clerk

Steven T. Noble, Mayor

Adopted by Council on	, 2021
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#### FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

REQUEST DESCRIPTION			
AUTHORIZATION	CONTINGENCY TRANSFER BUDGET MODIFICATION ZONING	TRANSFER BONDING REQUEST OTHER	
DEPARTMENT: _Parks and Recreat	ion DATE: 5/	27/21	
Description:			
The Parks and Recreation Department would like to request a transfer of funds from the Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to host Movies Under the Stars this summer.			
Transfer \$ 1,500.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to: A1-7-7310-14-5472 – Contracted Services			
Estimated Financial Impact: \$0 Signature Amp Tick			
Motion by MU			
Seconded by PT	Committee	e Vote YES NO	
Action Required:			
	Reynolds Scott Child Chairma		
SEQRA Decision: Type I Action Type II Action	Don Tallerman	, Ward 5	
Unlisted Action	Anthony Davis	, Ward 6	
Negative Declaration of Environmental Signific	cance:		
Conditioned Negative Declaration:	MicheleHipsch	, Ward 9	
Seek Lead Agency Status:	flillich		
Positive Declaration of Environmental Significa	ance: Steven Schabot	Ward 8	

## City of Kingston Parks and Recreation Department

ltimbrouck@kingston-ny.gov



#### Steven T. Noble, Mayor

Lynsey Timbrouck, Director

May 27, 2021

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Transfer \$ 5,000.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to: A1-7-7180-14-5485 – General Materials and Supplies

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Transfer \$ 60.00 from: A1-391300 – Miscellaneous Recreation Committed Fund Balance to: A1-1-1625-14-5485 – General Materials and Supplies

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### **RESOLUTION 121 OF 2021**

### **RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON,** NEW YORK, REQUESTING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CODE OF THE CITY **OF KINGSTON IN SECTION 350-17 SUBSECTION B, REMOVING THE TERM "FREON' AND REPLACING IT WITH THE TERM "REFRIDGERANT"**

Sponsored By:

Laws & Rules Committee: Alderman Ventura Morell, Scott-Childress, O'Reilly, Tallerman, Worthington

WHEREAS, "Freon" is a brand name, while "refrigerants" are the regulated substance.

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to change all instances of the word "Freon" in the City Code and Fee Schedule to "refrigerants".

### NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE **CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** That the Common Council of the City of Kingston authorizes amendment of the City Code and Fee Schedule to change all instances of "Freon" to "refrigerants"

- A. Applicability: These changes shall be applicable, but not limited to the following sections:
  - 1. City of Kingston Code, Article II § 350-17 (B)
  - 2. City of Kingston Fee Schedule pages 9-10, Public Works, White goods (Appliances)

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately after passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

Submitted to the Mayor this day of

Approved by the Mayor this day of

, 2021

Elisa Tinti, City Clerk

Steven T. Noble, Mayor

Adopted by Council on . 2021

**CITY OF KINGSTON** Office of Environmental Education and Sustainability

climatesmart@kingston-ny.gov

Julie L. Noble, Coordinator



Steven T. Noble, Mayor

May 26, 2021

Honorable Andrea Shaut President/Alderman-at-large Kingston Common Council 420 Broadway Kingston, NY, 12401

Dear President Shaut,

On behalf of the Office of Sustainability, in collaboration with the Climate Smart Kingston Commission and with my role as Sustainability Coordinator, I would like to request placement on the agenda of the Laws and Rules Committee to discuss an ordinance amending the City Code and Fee Schedule to correct the language used to regulate refrigerants in the City of Kingston.

Refrigerants are referenced in the City Code in section 350-17 subsection B, and are described four times using the brand name "Freon", as opposed to the substance name "refrigerants". Additionally, in the fee schedule, the brand name Freon is mentioned four times under Public Works – White goods (Appliances), when in reference to all refrigerants.

On behalf of the Climate Smart Kingston Commission and the Office of Sustainability, I am putting forth an ordinance to amend the City Code and Fee Schedule to change all instances of the word "Freon" to "refrigerants", as a means to ensure all varieties of refrigerant are regulated, and not just those of the Freon brand.

Should you have any questions related to this request, please do not hesitate to contact myself or Environmental Specialist Arielle Gartenstein at 845-481-7334 / agartenstein@kingston-ny.gov.

Thank you for your consideration

Sincerely,

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Milie L. Noble Sustainability Coordinator Chair, Climate Smart Kingston Commission

#### Tinti, Elisa

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Attachments:	Noble, Julie Wednesday, May 26, 2021 4:47 PM Tinti, Elisa; Shaut, Andrea Gartenstein, Arielle; Norman, Edward; Coon, Ryan Communication re: Refrigerants Committee Report Refrigerant.pdf; Communication to Council Refrigerant Final.pdf; Freon resolution.docx; Freon presentation to CSKC.PDF
Follow Up Flag:	Follow up
Flag Status:	Flagged

#### Good afternoon,

Please find, attached, a communication to Council regarding the use of the term Freon in our City Code.

You will find:

- 1) Communication to Council
- 2) Committee Report
- 3) Draft Resolution
- 4) Refrigerants Presentation

Please let me know if there are any questions.

Thanks, Julie

Julie L. Noble

City of Kingston Environmental Education & Sustainability Coordinator 467 Broadway Kingston, NY 12401 845-481-7339

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## THE CITY OF KINGSTON COMMON COUNCIL

#### LAWS & RULES **COMMITTEE REPORT**

DEPARTMENT: Office of Sustainability	DATE: <u>May</u>	25. 2021
Description:		
Ordinance to amend the City Code and name "Freon" to the substance name "refrigerant"	Fee schedule to change all instances o	f the brand
Signature: Julii LNbl		
Motion by		
Seconded by	Committee Vote	YES NO
Action Required:	Jeffrey Ventura Morell, Chairman	
SEQRA Decision:	Patrick O'Reilly Ward 7	
Type I Action Type II Action Unlisted Action	Rennie Scott-Childress, Ward 3	
Negative Declaration of Environmental Significance:	Verset of Ci	
Conditioned Negative Declaration:	Don Tallerman, Ward 5	
Seek Lead Agency Status:	$\frown$	
Positive Declaration of Environmental Significance:	Rita Worthington, Ward 4	

WHEREAS, "Freon" is a brand name, while "refrigerants" are the regulated substance.

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City to change all instances of the word "Freon" in the City Code and Fee Schedule to "refrigerants".

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  - 1. City of Kingston Code, Article II § 350-17 (B)
  - 2. City of Kingston Fee Schedule pages 9-10, Public Works, White goods (Appliances)

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately after passage, approval, and publication as provided by law.

Whereas, Sojourner Truth, nicknamed "the Daughter of Esopus", born enslaved, was given the name Isabella Baumfree at birth. She was born near Rondout Creek in the Town of Hurley, New York. Although her exact birth date is unknown, it is believed she was born around 1797. Between the years 1640 and 1827 there were thousands of Africans and African Americans enslaved in Ulster County; The infrastructure of Ulster County was built by highly skilled enslaved people and the economy was driven by their labor; and

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Whereas, The stone houses in which she was enslaved still stand, bearing witness to those who built them; as the youngest of at least 10 children, many of Truth's siblings were kidnapped for sale. Truth was sold for the first time at nine years old; after years of enduring physical and sexual abuse, Truth escaped on foot carrying her infant daughter, Sophia, from the enslaver that had tortured her, having to leave behind her 3 other children. Though pursued, she was able to take refuge with a local family from 1826-1827; and

Whereas, Truth was a self educated intellectual; fluent in English and Dutch. In 1843 Truth was compelled to change her name, recognizing the power of her own image. Her autobiography, The Narrative of Sojourner Truth, focuses on seeking justice and the empowerment of Women and People Of Color. Truth would come to represent the thousands of voices and stories from this area that were never shared or cherished; Truth's unprecedented barefoot walk through Kingston to the County Courthouse to free her young son, Peter, from illegal enslavement is a testament to her strength, resistance, and sense of justice; and

Whereas, by recognizing Sojourner Truth every year, we recognize her victory as a local and national hero who's acknowledgment is long overdue. Truth remains a transcendental Black Woman. She was a true anti-racist, actively working against the injustices of her day. She passed away on November 26, 1883, however her legacy lives on through the present and ongoing fight for justice today; and

Whereas, In remembering Truth's legacy, we should be thankful for the work done in the past, thankful for our ability to enact change in the present, and thankful for the hope of equity and justice in the future. Let us all be inspired by Sojourner Truth's brave activism.

Whereas, The values that Sojourner Truth lived by, such as abolitionism and anti-racism, are the values that we hope the Kingston community, including the local government, reflect in their actions. In the past, the Kingston government has not been completely committed to anti-racism; This has shown in policing, building developments, and delayed support for anti-racist policy change proposed by local frontline organizations.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that we will take this moment, brought to us by a coalition of Kingston activists, to take accountability and commit to prioritizing the marginalized community members that reside in our area. With the help of local organizations and individuals already committed to anti-racism, we shall strive to create a more inclusive, equitable Kingston.

Be It Further Resolved, that the City of Kingston Common Council proclaim November 26th as Sojourner Truth Day in the City of Kingston and urge all residents to recognize that this is a day for people of all races, creeds and backgrounds to celebrate and come together in unity. .

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Whereas, Sojourner Truth, nicknamed "the Daughter of Esopus", born enslaved, was given the name Isabella Baumfree at birth. She was born near Rondout Creek in the Town of Hurley, New York. Although her exact birth date is unknown, it is believed she was born around 1797. Between the years 1640 and 1827 there were thousands of Africans and African Americans enslaved in Ulster County; The infrastructure of Ulster County was built by highly skilled enslaved people and the economy was driven by their labor; and

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## **RESOLUTION 122 OF 2021**

## **RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON,** NEW YORK, REQUESTING A TRANSFER IN THE ASSESSOR'S OFFICE IN **THE AMOUNT OF \$168.82**

Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

WHEREAS, the Assessor has requested a transfer in the amount of \$168.82 to cover the expense of data processing, and;

WHEREAS, the Finance/Audit Committee has received, reviewed and approved this request;

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

FROM:	1355.402	Office Supplies		\$168.82	
TO:	1355.412	Data Processing Support		\$168.82	
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Submitted to th	e Mayor this, 2021	day of	Approved by the Mayor, 202		
Elisa Tinti, City	v Clerk		Steven T. Noble, Mayo	r	
Adopted by Cour	cil on		, 2021		

#### THE CITY OF KINGSTON COMMON COUNCIL

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#### FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

REQUEST DESCRIPTION					
AUTHORIZATION BUDGE	INGENCY TRANSFER TRANSFER _X ET MODIFICATION BONDING REC IG OTHER	QUEST			
DEPARTMENT: <u>Assessment</u>	DATE: <u>5/24/2021</u>				
Description: Budget Transfer in the amour	nt of \$168.82				
From 1355.402 (Office Supplies) To 1355.412 (Data Processing Support)					
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Estimated Financial Impact: \$ 0.00	Signature <u>Daniel Baker</u>				
Motion by <u>SS</u>					
Seconded by May	Committee Vote	YES NO			
Action Required:					
	Reynolds Scott Childress, Ward 3, Chairman	2			
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SEQRA Decision: Type I Action	Don Tallerman, Ward 5				
Type II Action Unlisted Action	Authorn Devie Wend (				
Negative Declaration of Environmental Significance:	Anthony Davis, Ward 6				
Conditioned Negative Declaration:	Michele/Hirsch Ward 9/				
Seek Lead Agency Status:					
Positive Declaration of Environmental Significance:	Steven Schabot, Ward 8	$+ \Lambda -$			
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#### Tinti, Elisa

From: Sent: To: Cc: Subject: Attachments: Baker, Daniel Monday, May 24, 2021 1:52 PM Shaut, Andrea Tuey, John; Tinti, Elisa Dept. of Assessment (Budget Transfer, June Communication) Dept Of Assessment Budget Transfer 5.24.2021.pdf

Madam President,

Please see the attached June Communication for a budget transfer for the Department of Assessment.

Respectfully,

Dan

#### **Daniel Baker**

City of Kingston Assessor (845) 334-3912 dbaker@kingston-ny.gov

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## **RESOLUTION 123 OF 2021**

## RESOLUTION OF THE COM]\4ON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXPEND FUNDS AND EXECUTE ANY AND ALL RELATED DOCUMENTS FOR THE NYSDEC URBAN AND COMMUNITY FORESTRY GRANT (DEC01-UCF2-20L9-00070) FOR A CITYWIDE PLANTING PROJECT.

Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

WHEREAS, the City of Kingston has been awarded a NYS DEC Urban and Community Forestry Grant (DEC01-UCF2-2019-00070) in the amount of \$50,000 from the Department of Conservation for the Citywide Planting Project; and WHEREAS, the matching funding requirements of \$12,500 - amount are expected through the City Shade Tree budget and/or in-kind contributions of volunteer/force account/contributions; and

WHEREAS, the action is categorized under 6 NYCRR, Part 617.5 as Type II

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION I.** Administration of all funds under this grant will be in accordance with all terms and conditions contained in guidelines provided by the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation.

**SECTION 2**, The Mayor of the City of Kingston is hereby authorized to execute an agreement, along with any and all related documents and to expend funds under the terms of the NYSDEC Urban and Community Forestry Grant (DEC0I-UCF2-2019-00070) **SECTION 3**. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Submitted to the Mayor this day of, 2021	Approved by the Mayor this day of, 2021			
Elisa Tinti, City Clerk	Steven T. Noble, Mayor			
Adopted by Council on	, 2021			

### **1THE CITY OF KINGSTON COMMON COUNCIL**

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### FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE REPORT					
REQUEST DESCRIPTION         INTERNAL TRANSFER       CONTINGENCY TRANSFER       TRANSFER         AUTHORIZATION X       BUDGET MODIFICATION       BONDING REQUEST					
CLAIMS ZONING	OTHER				
DEPARTMENT:PLANNING	DATE:JUNE 2021				
Description:					
Authorize the Mayor to Expend and Execute A Community Forestry Grant (DEC01-UCF2-20	any and All Related Documents for the NYSDEC Urban and 19-00070) for a Citywide Tree Planting Program				
Estimated Financial Impact: \$ Sign	ature Angenne Cahill				
Motion by <u> </u>					
Seconded by <u>AAH</u>	Committee Vote <u>YES</u> <u>NO</u>				
Action Required:					
	Reynolds Scott Childress, Ward 3, Chairman My Abdellin Don Tallerman, Ward 5				
SEQRA Decision: Type I Action Type II Action Unlisted Action	Anthony Davis, Ward 6				
Negative Declaration of Environmental Significance:					
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# CITY OF KINGSTON



Kingston Planning

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Suzanne Cahill, Planning Director Kyla Dedea, Assistant Planner



Steven T. Noble, Mayor

May 27, 2021

Ald. At Large Andrea Shaut, President City of Kingston Common Council City Hall – 420 Broadway Kingston, New York 12401

> Re: NYSDEC Urban and Community Forestry Grant (DEC01-UCF2-2019-00070) Citywide Tree Planting Program – Award \$50,000

Dear Pre. Shaut:

As you may already be aware, the City of Kingston was awarded a grant for \$50,000 to undertake a citywide street tree planting program. For some background information, this is the third grant in a series of projects to improve the City's streetscape by addressing the needs of the urban forest. Our first grant was to undertake a Citywide Street Tree Inventory and Management Plan. This was undertaken and completed in 2018. Based on that work, the City applied for and received a grant to remove trees which were identified as priority. We successfully removed 82 trees that ultimately had been deemed to be issues of public safety and closed that grant out in 2020. Looking ahead, we then applied for this current grant to continue our progression and plant street trees to fill voids identified in the Inventory. The Citywide Tree Planting Grant will plant an estimated 70-90 trees throughout the City with a focus on areas that are currently lacking in tree cover and shade. It is our goal to look for a planting in Spring of 2022, with a possibility of completion of Fall 2022.

We are seeking a resolution of the Common Council authorizing the Mayor to expend funds and execute any and all related documents to carry out the work program as prescribed under our grant authorization. Under full disclosure we will be incorporating the required budget lines within the FY 2022 budget for Shade Trees.

If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact our office to discuss.

Be well and stay safe.

Sincerely,

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Suzanne Cahill Planning Director

CC: S. Noble, Mayor Ald. R. Scott Childress, W3, Chairman F&ED J. Tuey, Comptroller E. Tinti, City Clerk

#### RESOLUTION \_\_\_\_ of 2021

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Sponsored by: Finance and Audit Committee Alderpersons:

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SECTION 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Submitted to the Mayor this \_\_\_\_ day

Approved by the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day

of \_\_\_\_\_ 2021

of \_\_\_\_\_\_ 2021

Elisa Tinti, City Clerk

Steven T. Noble, Mayor

Adopted by Council on \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

## **RESOLUTION 124 OF 2021**

## **RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, ADOPTING THE STANDARD WORK DAYS FOR ELECTED** AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS IN THE NEW YORK STATE RETIREMENT **SYSTEM**

Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

WHEREAS, the City Clerk's Office has submitted paperwork to be filed with the New York State Comptroller's Office establishing Standard Work Days for Elected and Appointed Officials; and

WHEREAS, the Finance/Audit Committee has received, reviewed and approved this request

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. The attached be filed with the New York State Comptroller's Office establishing Standard Work Days for Elected and Appointed Officials in the City of Kingston

**SECTION 2.** This resolution shall take effect immediately

Submitted to the Mayor this day of

Approved by the Mayor this day of

, 2021

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Elisa Tinti, City Clerk

Steven T. Noble, Mayor

Adopted by Council on , 2021

# **CITY OF KINGSTON**



# Office of the City Clerk & Registrar of Vital Statistics

cityclerk@kingston-ny.gov

Steven T. Noble, Mayor Elisa Tinti, City Clerk & Registrar



Deidre Sills, Deputy Clerk Susan Mesches, Deputy Registrar

May 20, 2021

President of the Council Honorable Andrea Shaut 420 Broadway Kingston, New York 12401

Dear President Shaut,

The 2021 Record of Activities for the Standard Work Day of elected officials who are enrolled in the New York State retirement system is due to the State Comptroller no later than July 31, 2021. Please accept this communication for review of the Laws & Rules Committee for June 2021.

Thank you, Elisa Tiefti

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## **Record of Activities**

Name Michele Hirsch Title Alderwoman, Ward 9 Employer City of Kingston, NY

#### **Activity Log**

- Use a new row for each activity. You must include the start and end times for each activity.
- Enter the date, activity, start and end times, and the number of hours. In the Hours column, only enter numbers (i.e. 2.75).
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Date	Activity	Start Time	End Time	Hours
January 4, 2021	Common Council Caucus	7:00pm	7:30pm	.5
January 5, 2021	Common Council Meeting	7:30pm	8:30pm	1
January 7, 2021	Laws and Rules Public Hearing	5:30pm	5:38pm	.15
January 13, 2021	Finance Committee meeting	6:30pm	8:30pm	2
January 21, 2021	Laws and Rules hearing and meeting	5:30pm	8:00p	2.5
January 21, 2021	Public Safey Committee meeting	6:30pm	7:15pm	.5
February 1, 2021	Special Finance Committee meeting and Caucus	6:30pm	8:00pm	1.5
February 2, 2021	Common Council Meeting	7:30pm	9:38pm	2
February 3, 2021	CAS liason meeting	6:00pm	7:4511	1.45

February 10, 2021	Finance Committee meeting	6:30pm	7:50	2
February 17, 2021	Laws and Rules Committee Meeting	6:30pm	8:30pm	2
February 24, 2021	Public Safety Committee Meeting	6:30pm	7:30pm	1
February 25, 2021	Public Hearing on Fair Street Extension	6:30PM	7:55PM	1.25
March 1, 2021	Special Finance committee mtg, CBDG Public Hearing, Caucus	6:00 pm	8:30pm	2.5
March 2, 2021	Common Council Meeting	7:30pm	8:36	1
March 10, 2021	Finance Committee	6:30pm	8:45	2.15
March 16, 2021	CAC Committee Meeting	6:00pm	8:15pm	2.15
March 16, 2021	Create ADU Powerpoint	8:30pm	11:00pm	2.5
March 17, 2021	Laws and Rules Committee Meeting	6:30pm	8:30pm	2
March 24, 2021	Public Safety Committee	6:30pm	7:30pm	1
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To ensure three full months of active working days are reflected on the ROA, extend the period of the ROA by the amount of time used for vacations, illness, holidays or other reasons not worked during the three-month period.

Once you have completed recording activities for a three-month period, print this worksheet and sign and date below.

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Signature

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Date

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# January 2021 TOTAL HRS = 9

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					l New Years Day	2
3	4 COMMON COUNCIL CAUCUS 7PM-8PM	5 Common council Meeting 7:30pm -9:30pm	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13 FINANCE MEETING 6:30PM -8PM	14	15	16
17	18 Martin Luther King Jr Day	19 PUBLIC HEARING ON CDBG FUNDS 6PM -8PM	20 LAWS AND RULE MEETING 6:30PM -7:30PM	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 PUBLIC SAFETY/GEN GOV'T MEETING 6:30PM – 8PM	28	29	30
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# February 2021 TOTAL HRS = 21.30

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	l SPECIAL FINANCE MEETING 6:30PM – 7PM COMMON COUNCIL CAUCUS MEETING 7PM – 8PM	2 COMMON COUNCIL MEETING 7:30PM – 10:30PM	3 SPECIAL POLICING COMMISSION MEETING 6:30PM – 7:30PM	4	5	6
7	8 KINGSTON, NY VURTUAL CURBSIDE CHAT: A DISCUSSION ON HOW TO GROW OUR CITY 6PM -7PM	9 RETURNED PHONE CALLS TO KINGSTON CONSTITUENTS 10AM – 11AM REVISION POLICE TASK FORCE 7PM – 8:30PM	10 FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING 6:30PM – 8PM	11 PUBLIC HEARING REVISION POLICE TASK FORCE 6:30PM – 8:30PM	12	13
14 Valentine's Day	15 Presidents' Day	16 REVISION POLICE TASK FORCE MEETING 7PM – 8PM	17 POLICE COMMISSION MEETING 4PM - 6:30PM LAWS AND RULES COMMITTEE MEETING 6:30PM - 8:30PM	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 PUBLIC SAFETY/GEN GOV'T MEETING 6:30PM – 7:30PM	25 PUBLIC HEARING 21 NORTH STREET 6:30PM - 8PM	26	27
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# March 2021 TOTAL HRS= 13 HRS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	l SPECIAL FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING 21 NORTH STREET 6PM – 6:30pm COMMON COUNCIL CAUCUS MEETING 7PM – 8:30PM	2 Common council Meeting 7:30pm – 9:30pm	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING 6:30PM – 9PM	11	12	13
14	15	16	17 POLICE COMMISSION MEETING 4PM – 5PM LAWS AND RULES COMMITTEE MEETING 6:30PM – 7:30PM	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 PUBLIC SAFETY/GEN GOV'T COMMITTEE MEETING 6:30PM – 7:30PM	25 MEETING WITH MAYOR RE: POLICE REFORM 2PM – 3PM	26	27 KINGSTON COMMUNTY SAFETY GATHERING 4PM – 5:30PM
28	29	30	31 SPECIAL FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING 6:30PM – 7:30PM			

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# TOTAL HOURS FROM JANUARY 2021 – MARCH 2021 = 43.30 HOURS FOR ALDERMAN ANTHONY DAVIS

# **RESOLUTION 125 OF 2021**

# RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO THE NYS DEPARTMENT OF STATE (NYS DOS) LOCAL WATERFRONT REVITALIZATION PROGRAM (LWRP)IN THE AMOUNT OF \$770,000 TO CONSTRUCT THE KINGSTON POINT PARK PHASE 2 PROJECT

Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

**WHEREAS**, the City of Kingston is eligible to apply to the NYS DOS LWRP for funds in an amount

of \$654,500 for construction of the Kingston Point Rail Trail Phase 2 Project; and

WHEREAS, this application, should the grant be awarded, requires a match of 15% of the total

project cost in the amount of \$115,500 to be provided by another grant, in-kind, and force account

funds and, if necessary, bonding to be requested; and

WHEREAS, there are specific requirements and regulations governing the expenditure of these funds; and

WHEREAS, the action is categorized under 6 NYCRR, Part 617.5 as Type II.

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1.** Administration of all funds under this grant will be in accordance with all terms and

conditions contained in guidelines provided by NYS DOS.

**SECTION 2.** The Mayor of the City of Kingston is hereby authorized and directed to file an

application for funds from NYS DOS LWRP Program in the amount of \$654,500 for construction

of the Kingston Point Park Phase 2 Project, and upon approval of said request to enter into and

execute an agreement, and any and all related documents. SECTION 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Submitted to the Mayor this day of	Approved by the Mayor this day of
, 2021	, 2021
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Elisa Tinti, City Clerk	Steven T. Noble, Mayor
Adopted by Council on	, 2021



# THE CITY OF KINGSTON COMMON COUNCIL

# FINANCE AND AUDIT COMMITTEE REPORT

## **REQUEST DESCRIPTION**

INTERNAL TRANSFER \_\_\_\_\_ AUTHORIZATION \_\_x\_\_\_ CLAIMS \_\_\_\_ CONTINGENCY TRANSFER \_\_\_\_\_ BUDGET MODIFICATION \_\_\_\_\_ ZONING \_\_\_\_\_

TRANSFER \_\_\_\_\_ BONDING REQUEST \_\_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

DEPARTMENT: Office of Grants Management DATE: June 9, 2021

Description

To request authorization for the Mayor to apply and execute documents for a grant from the NYS DOS LWRP Program for funds in an amount of \$654,500 for construction of the Kingston Point Park Phase 2 Project.

The match requirement of 15% of the total project cost in the amount of \$115,500 will be provided by another grant, in-kind, force account funds, donations and, if necessary, bonding to be requested.

The total project cost is \$770,000.

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Estimated Financial Impact: to be determined Signature

Motion by			
Seconded by <u>M</u>	<u>Committee Vote</u>	YES	<u>NO</u>
Action Required:			
	Reynolds Scott-Childress, Chairman		
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SEQRA Decision:	Tony Davis, Ward 6		
Type I Action	1		
Type II Action			
Unlisted Action	Michele Hirsch, Ward 9		Ť
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Sponsored by: Finance and Audit Committee Aldermen: Reynolds Scott-Childress - Chairman, Tony Davis, Michele Hirsch, Steven Schabot, Don Tallerman

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SECTION 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately.

Submitted to the Mayor this	day	Approved by the Mayor this	_ day
of	2021	of	2021
Elisa Tinti, City Clerk	Steven T. No	bble, Mayor	

Adopted by Council on \_\_\_\_\_, 2021

# **CITY OF KINGSTON** Office of Grants Management

grants@kingston-ny.gov

Kristen E. Wilson, Director



Steven T. Noble, Mayor

May 28, 2021

Honorable Andrea Shaut President/Alderman-at-Large Kingston Common Council 420 Broadway Kingston, NY 12401

Re: 2021 Consolidated Funding Applications for State Grants

Dear President Shaut,

I am writing to request that consideration of resolutions for the City's 2021 New York State Consolidated Funding Applications (CFAs) be placed on the agenda of the appropriate committee in June. The CFA round is now open for the 2021 season with submissions due on July 30, 2021; the applications require authorizing resolutions, which will need to be passed at the July Common Council meeting. With this communication I am submitting draft resolutions for 5 City projects and 2 community organizations for consideration.

Currently, our team is working on the full details and budgets for five projects we plan to submit for funding. As we do not yet have complete budgets, the attached draft resolutions state the maximum amount of funding for which we can apply. A list of the projects with brief descriptions is also attached for your review. We may be able to provide more details regarding the grant budgets at the meeting because we will have had more time to develop our project proposals.

We will also share the May 2021 Grants Activity Update via email and on the grants page of the City website next week. If there are questions regarding our current grants, we are happy to answer them via email before the meeting or at the meeting.

Thank you in advance for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Fuster & Wilson

Kristen E. Wilson Director

# City of Kingston 2021 CFA Season Summary

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 OPRHP Heritage Area Application Amount: \$500,000

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Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

**WHEREAS**, the City of Kingston is eligible to apply to the NYS OPRHP Heritage Program for funds in an amount of \$500,000 for construction of the Kingston Point Rail Trail Phase 2 Project; and

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**WHEREAS**, there are specific requirements and regulations governing the expenditure of these funds; and

WHEREAS, the action is categorized under 6 NYCRR, Part 617.5 as Type II

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Approved by the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 2021

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DEPARTMENT: Office of Grants Management DATE: June 9, 2021

Description

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Estimated Financial Impact: to be determined Signature

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May 28, 2021

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Sponsored By:

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Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

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Submitted to the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

\_\_\_\_\_, 2021

Approved by the Mayor this \_\_\_\_\_ day of

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Elisa Tinti, City Clerk

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### THE CITY OF KINGSTON COMMON COUNCIL

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CONTINGENCY TRANSFER \_\_\_\_\_ BUDGET MODIFICATION \_\_\_\_\_ ZONING \_\_\_\_ TRANSFER \_\_\_\_\_ BONDING REQUEST \_\_\_\_ OTHER \_\_\_\_

DEPARTMENT: Office of Grants Management DATE: June 9, 2021

Description

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The total project cost is \$\$312,500.

Estimated Financial Impact: to be determined Signature

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of	2021	of	2021
Elisa Tinti, City Clerk	Steven T.	Noble, Mayor	

## **CITY OF KINGSTON** Office of Grants Management

grants@kingston-ny.gov

Kristen E. Wilson, Director



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May 28, 2021

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Sponsored By:

Finance/Audit Committee: Alderman Scott-Childress, Tallerman, Davis, Hirsch, Schabot

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DEPARTMENT: Office of Grants Management DATE: June 9, 2021

Description

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Motion by <u>MU</u>			
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process improvements will mainly include altering the aeration tanks, aerators, blowers, air piping, and related controls in order to implement seasonal nitrification / de-nitrification. This will lower the concentration in the treated wastewater enough that, in conjunction with the outfall improvements, the city will be in compliance with the permitted concentration limits. The construction cost of the process improvements has been estimated at \$6.5 million. Design and construction administration costs are estimated at \$1.5M, much of which has already been expended. Thus the total project cost is estimated at \$9.7 million. Final design is now complete and the project has begun permitting with DEC. We expect to bid the work as multiple projects in late 2021 / early 2022. Construction is expected to occur during 2022 and 2023.

### **Community Applications**

Jewish Federation Reher Center – The Reher Center requests an endorsing resolution for their Reher Bakery Restoration Project to restore their building. They are developing the building at 99-101 Broadway into a cultural center and museum that focus on immigrant stories of the Hudson Valley by preserving and revitalizing the rare intact 19<sup>th</sup>-century building. The restoration will enable the building to function as an interpretive center for tours and programs on the themes of immigration, community, industry, and bread, as well as to honor the Reher family's legacy and history of the Rondout neighborhood.

**Transart** – Transart requests endorsing resolutions for: 1) a program to strengthen tourism and attract visitors to New York State, Kingston and the Mid-Hudson Valley for a marketing initiative to promote Pinkster 2022, a creative placemaking festival celebrating the 400 year history of African Americans in the city and environs of the City of Kingston and 2) completion of the Burger-Matthews House restoration project located at 105-107 Henry Street in the City of Kingston