

COMMON COUNCIL MEETING
MARCH 10, 2015

THE MEETING WAS CALLED TO ORDER BY PRESIDENT NOBLE WITH THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE AND A MOMENT OF SILENCE.

ROLLCALL: PRESENT
ALDERMAN DUNN
ALDERMAN SECHE
ALDERMAN WILL
ALDERMAN DAWSON
ALDERMAN CAREY
ALDERMAN BALL
ALDERMAN MILLS
ALDERMAN SCHABOT
ALDERMAN BROWN

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH THE MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING AND TO APPROVE SAME AS PREPARED AND FILED BY THE CITY CLERK. OFFERED BY ALDERMAN SCHABOT, SECONDED BY ALDERMAN BALL. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH THE READING OF THE GENERAL BILLS. OFFERED BY ALDERMAN MILLS, SECONDED BY ALDERMAN SCHABOT. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

PUBLIC SPEAKING: THIRTY MINUTES

1. CLARK RICHTERS SR., 1 GARRAGHAN DRIVE, KINGSTON. SPEAKING OF THE RELIABILITY OF CITIBUS. NO ONE AVAILABLE BY PHONE ON WEEKENDS NO SIGNAGE AT BUS STOPS. NO NOTICE WHEN ROUTES ARE ALTERED. THINKS RELIABLE BUS SERVICE IS NEEDED FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO HAPPEN.
2. PHILIP GURRIERI, 28 DIETZ COURT, KINGSTON. AGREES THAT WE NEED RELIABLE BUS SERVICE, BANS ON INHALERS, AND CIGARETTE PESTICIDES.

CLAIMS:

#15-05 PERSONAL INJURY
#15-06 AUTO DAMAGE
#15-07 AUTO DAMAGE
#15-08 PERSONAL INJURY

COMMUNICATIONS:

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| 1. MAYOR GALLO | RE: APPOINTMENT TO HISTORIC LANDMARKS COMMISSION | COPY |
| 2. MAYOR GALLO | RE: RESOLUTION FOR STANDING COMMITTEES | PS |
| 3. A. WINCHELL, WWTP | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 4. D. GARTENSTEIN, CORP. COUNSEL | RE: BMX RACE TRACK | L&R |
| 5. MAYOR GALLO | RE: RESIDENTIAL PARKING PERMITS | PS |
| 6. MANNA JO GREENE | RE: MUNICIPAL RESOLUTION FOR CLEANUP OF HUDSON RIVER PCB'S | PS |
| 7. ALDERMAN MILLS | RE: HANDICAP SIGN REQUEST | PS |
| 8. ULSTER COUNTY RRA | RE: USE OF HEAVY EQUIPMENT TO COMPACT | COPY |
| 9. D. BAKER, ASSESSOR | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 10. CHIEF TINTI, KPD | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 11. MAYOR GALLO | RE: REAPPOINTMENT TO PLANNING BOARD | COPY |
| 12. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 13. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 14. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 15. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 16. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 17. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 18. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 19. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 20. J. TUEY | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 21. R. SWENSON, ENGINEER | RE: ANDY MURPHY MIDTOWN REC. CENTER ARCHITECTURAL SVC. RFP | FIN |
| 22. G. SWANZEY, ECO. DEV. | RE: AUTHORIZING THE ALLOCATION OF FUNDS FOR WWTP FAÇADE | FIN |
| 23. G. SWANZEY, ECO. DEV. | RE: AUTHORIZATION TO APPLY FOR A GRANT | FIN |
| 24. C. WILLIAMS, CITY CLERK | RE: BUDGET MODIFICATION REQUEST | FIN |
| 25. TOM POLK | RE: COMPLETE STREETS ADVISORY COUNCIL ANNUAL REPORT | PS |
| 26. ALDERMAN WILL | RE: CITY LEASES | L&R |
| 27. ALDERMAN WILL | RE: BOARD, COMMISSION, COMMITTEE AND AGENCY MEMBERSHIP | L&R |
| 28. ALDERMAN SCHABOT | RE: SIGNAGE | PS |
| 29. REBECCA MARTIN | RE: FOLLOW-UP PUBLIC SAFETY/GENERAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE | PS |
| 30. S. CAHILL, PLANNING | RE: CERTIFIED LOCAL GOVERNMENT INTENSIVE LEVEL SURVEY WORK | FIN |
| 31. D. BAKER, ASSESSOR | RE: BIRCHWOOD VILLAGE | FIN |
| 32. E. DIFALCO | RE: TRAFFIC SIGNAGE IN VARIOUS WARDS | PS |
| 33. ALDERMAN BROWN | RE: HANDICAP SIGN | PS |

MOTION TO DISPENSE WITH THE SECOND READING OF THE GENERAL BILLS AND PAY SAME. OFFERED BY ALDERMAN DAWSON, SECONDED BY ALDERMAN CAREY. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

REPORT OF COMMITTEES:

FINANCE/AUDIT COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #50 OF 2015 AMENDING CHAPTER 8 OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON AND RECOMMENDING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF WAYNE PLATTE JR. TO THE BOARD OF ASSESSMENT REVIEW. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN MILLS, DUNN, WILL, CAREY, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

FINANCE/AUDIT COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #51 OF 2015 RECOMMENDING APPROVAL FOR MODIFICATIONS TO THE 2014 POLICE DEPARTMENT BUDGET. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN MILLS, DUNN, WILL, CAREY, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

FINANCE/AUDIT COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #52 OF 2015 AUTHORIZING THE FILING OF A MATCHING GRANT APPLICATION TO THE HUDSON RIVER VALLEY GREENWAY TO SUPPORT THE DEVELOPMENT OF A N ILLUSTRATED ZONING HANDBOOK. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN MILLS, DUNN, WILL, CAREY, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

FINANCE/AUDIT COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #53 OF 2015 AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF KINGSTON AS LEAD AGENT FOR THE PURPOSES OF SEQR AND TYPE II DETERMINATION FOR THE NYS DEC W.Q.I.P.-ROUND II (UPTOWN PARKING AREA GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECT). SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN MILLS, DUNN, WILL, CAREY, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

FINANCE/AUDIT COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #54 OF 2015 REQUESTING AUTHORIZATION FOR THE CITY OF KINGSTON TO INITIATE A CONTRACT AGREEMENT WITH NYSOPRHP FOR THE FORSYTH PARK STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP IMPROVEMENTS PROJECT. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN MILLS, DUNN, WILL, CAREY, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

FINANCE/AUDIT COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #55 OF 2015 APPROVING A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE CITY OF KINGSTON AND THE KINGSTON PBA UNION, INC. FOR THE YEARS JANUARY 1, 2012 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2016. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN MILLS, DUNN, WILL, BALL, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

PUBLIC SAFETY/GENERAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #56 OF 2015 AUTHORIZING THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC WORKS TO IMPLEMENT ALTERNATE SIDE OF THE STREET PARKING POLICY DURING SNOW EMERGENCIES. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN CAREY, SECHE, MILLS, WILL, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE. 7 YES, 2 NO.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT/PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #57 OF 2015 REPEALING HANDICAP PARKING ON CLINTON AVENUE. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN CAREY, SECHE, MILLS, WILL, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT/PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #58 OF 2015 REPEALING HANDICAP PARKING ON CLINTON AVENUE. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN CAREY, SECHE, MILLS, WILL, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

PUBLIC SAFETY/GENERAL GOVERNMENT COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #59 OF 2015 ADDING HANDICAP PARKING ON DELAWARE AVENUE. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN CAREY, SECHE, MILLS, WILL, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT/PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE:

RESOLUTION #60 OF 2015 SUPPORTING THE NYS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION'S STUDY TO BRING COMMUNITY CHOICE AGGREGATION (CCA) TO NEW YORK STATE. SPONSORED BY ALDERMEN CAREY, SECHE, MILLS, WILL, BROWN. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

FIRST READING PROPOSED LOCAL LAW #1 OF 2015 OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON, NEW YORK, AMENDING THE CURRENT ETHICS CODE OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON UNDER CHAPTER 49 OF THE CITY OF KINGSTON CODE AND ADOPTING THE ATTACHED CITY OF KINGSTON ETHICS AND DISCLOSURE LAW.

MEETING WAS ADJOURNED IN MEMORY OF JUNE DIAMOND. MOTION TO ADJOURN OFFERED BY ALDERMAN BROWN, SECONDED BY ALDERMAN SECHE. CARRIED ON ROLL CALL BY VOICE.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
CARLY WILLIAMS
CITY CLERK