



City of Richmond, Virginia

City Council

MEETING SUMMARY

From

Monday, February 08, 2010

City Council will hold a Public Hearing on the following Ordinances and Resolutions on Monday, February 22, 2010 at 6:00 PM:

1. **Ord. No. 2010-33** (Patron: Mayor Jones) - To amend and reordain ch. 26 of the City Code by adding therein in art. XIII a new div. 2 (§§ 26-672 through 26-683) and to repeal Ord. No. 92-231-227, adopted Jun. 23, 1992, concerning the Municipal Tree Policy, for the purpose of establishing revised procedures and guidelines for the maintenance and removal of trees on City-owned property. **(COMMITTEE: Land Use, Housing and Transportation, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 3:00 p.m.)**
2. **Ord. No. 2010-34** (Patrons: Vice-President Robertson and Mr. Samuels) - To amend and reordain City Code § 42-10, concerning the deadline for the submission of the budget to the City Council, to fix March 22 of each year at 3:00 p.m. as the date and time by which the Mayor shall submit the budget to the City Council pursuant to City Charter § 6.02.
3. **Ord. No. 2010-35** (Patron: Mayor Jones) - To amend and reordain the fees set forth in Appendix A of the City Code for section 86-11 (concerning fees for the disposal of inert solid waste at the East Richmond Road Landfill) to reduce the handling fee from \$50.00 to \$15.00 per ton or portion of ton. **(COMMITTEE: Finance, Thursday, February 18, 2010, 4:00 p.m.)**
4. **Ord. No. 2010-36** (Patron: Mayor Jones) - To amend and reordain ch. 98, art. XV of the City Code, concerning Short-Term Rental Taxes, for the purpose of conforming the article to the provisions of Va. Code ch. 35, art. 3.1. **(COMMITTEE: Finance, Thursday, February 18, 2010, 4:00 p.m.)**

5. **Ord. No. 2010-38** (Patron: Mayor Jones) - To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer to accept \$49,100 from the Virginia Department of Transportation and to appropriate the increase to the Fiscal Year 2009-2010 Capital Budget by increasing estimated revenues and the amount appropriated to the Department of Public Works' TEA-21 Safety Improvements project in the Infrastructure Construction and Maintenance category by \$49,100 for the purpose of providing reimbursement funding for the Bells Road Interconnection of Warning Devices Project.
(Planning Commission, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 1:30 p.m.)
6. **Ord. No. 2010-39** (Patron: Mayor Jones) - To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City of Richmond, to execute a Standard Project Administration Agreement between the City of Richmond and the Virginia Department of Transportation for the development and administration of certain Revenue Sharing Program projects.
(COMMITTEE: Land Use, Housing and Transportation, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 3:00 p.m.)
7. **Ord. No. 2010-40** (Patron: Mr. Samuels) - To authorize the Chief Administrative Officer, for and on behalf of the City of Richmond to execute a Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Richmond and the Richmond Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals for the purpose of continuing a working partnership to end the euthanization of healthy, homeless dogs and cats.
(COMMITTEE: Public Safety, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 6:00 p.m.)
8. **Ord. No. 2010-41** (Patron: Mayor Jones, By Request) - To change the use of a portion of Canoe Run Park, consisting of a parcel located at 2211 Semmes Avenue, a portion of a parcel located at 510 West 22nd Street and a portion of a parcel located at 600A West 22nd Street, so that such City-owned real estate will be used for the construction, maintenance and operation of a new Fire Station No. 17.
(Planning Commission, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 1:30 p.m.;
COMMITTEE: Land Use, Housing and Transportation, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 3:00 p.m.)
9. **Ord. No. 2010-42** (Patron: Mr. Tyler) - To amend and reordain City Code § 90-256, concerning the City banner display program, to allow the display of banners in Carytown and in the Museum District.
(COMMITTEE: Land Use, Housing and Transportation, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 3:00 p.m.)

10. **Ord. No. 2010-43** (Patron: President Graziano) - To name the restored pedestrian bridge across Reedy Creek located in Forest Hill Park as “Harvey Family Bridge” in honor of the Harvey family.
(COMMITTEE: Land Use, Housing and Transportation, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 3:00 p.m.)
11. **Res. No. 2010-R8** (Patron: Mr. Tyler) - To amend Res. No. 2009-R85-97, adopted Jul. 13, 2009, which established a Task Force to Review the Processes and Guidelines of the Commission of Architectural Review for the purpose of extending the duration of the Task Force until July 1, 2010.
(COMMITTEE: Land Use, Housing and Transportation, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 3:00 p.m.)
12. **Res. No. 2010-R9** (Patron: All Members of Council) - To reappoint Thomas E. Flynn, Sr. as a member of the Port of Richmond Commission for a term commencing upon adoption of this resolution and terminating February 22, 2013.
13. **Res. No. 2010-R10** (Patron: All Members of Council) - To reappoint George Ray Adams as a member of the Port of Richmond Commission for a term commencing upon adoption of this resolution and terminating February 22, 2013.
14. **Res. No. 2010-R11** (Patron: All Members of Council) - To appoint Jack O. Lanier as a member of the Community Criminal Justice Board (Community Services Board representative) for a term commencing upon adoption of this resolution and terminating March 23, 2011, succeeding Wilson Washington.
15. **Res. No. 2010-R12** (Patron: All Members of Council) - To appoint Richard Barton Campbell as a member of the Community Criminal Justice Board (Juvenile and Domestic Relations Court Judge representative) for a term commencing upon adoption of this resolution and terminating March 23, 2011, succeeding J. Stephen Buis.
16. **Res. No. 2010-R13** (Patron: All Members of Council) - To appoint Robyn Lynn Diehl as a member of the Community Criminal Justice Board (Local Educator representative) for a term commencing upon adoption of this resolution and terminating February 22, 2012, succeeding Nicholle Parsons-Pollard.
17. **Res. No. 2010-R14** (Patron: All Members of Council) - To appoint James A. Johnson as a member of the Advisory Board of Recreation and Parks for a term commencing upon adoption of this resolution and expiring February 22, 2013, succeeding Robert L. Farmer, Sr.

18. **Res. No. 2010-R15** (Patron: All Members of Council) - To reappoint William M. Hutchins as a member of the City Planning Commission for a term commencing upon adoption of this resolution and terminating February 22, 2013.
19. **Res. No. 2010-R16** (Patron: President Graziano, By Request) - To approve the issuance by the Economic Development Authority of the City of Richmond, Virginia of up to \$1,550,000 of its qualified non-profit revenue bonds for the renovation of The Virginia League of Planned Parenthood, Incorporated's office building of approximately 12,158 square feet located at 201 North Hamilton Street in the city.
(COMMITTEE: Finance, Thursday, February 18, 2010, 4:00 p.m.)
20. **Res. No. 2010-R17** (Patrons: Ms. Newbille and President Graziano) - To reappoint Marilyn B. Olds as a member of the Board of Commissioners of the Richmond Redevelopment and Housing Authority for a term commencing November 24, 2007 and terminating November 24, 2011.

City Council will hold a Public Hearing on the following Ordinance and Resolutions on Monday, March 8, 2010 at 6:00 PM:

21. **Ord. No. 2010-32** (Patron: President Graziano) -To amend City Code § 2-1056, concerning the establishment of the Audit Committee, and to repeal City Code §§ 2-233 and 2-234, concerning the Inspector General Oversight Board, for the purpose of abolishing the Inspector General Oversight Board and charging the Audit Committee with oversight of the inspector general function of the Office of the City Auditor.
(COMMITTEES: Governmental Operations, Thursday, February 25, 2010, 4:00 p.m.; Organizational Development, Monday, March 1, 2010, 5:00 p.m.)
22. **Res. No. 2010-R6** (Patron: President Graziano) - To amend Res. No. 2005-R244-246, adopted Nov. 28, 2005, as previously amended by Res. No. 2007-R115-109, adopted Jul. 9, 2007, Res. No. 2008-R22-33, adopted Feb. 25, 2008, Res. No. 2008-R66-86, adopted Jun. 9, 2008, and Res. No. 2009-R100-110, adopted Jul. 27, 2009 which assigned boards, commissions, committees and other entities to Council standing committees for annual reporting purposes pursuant to City Code § 2-843, to reflect the abolition of the Inspector General Oversight Board and to assign the Audit Committee to report to the Organizational Development Standing Committee.
(COMMITTEES: Governmental Operations, Thursday, February 25, 2010, 4:00 p.m.; Organizational Development, Monday, March 1, 2010, 5:00 p.m.)

23. **Res. No. 2010-R7** (Patron: Mr. Jewell) - To request that the Council's Governmental Operations Standing Committee facilitate negotiations between Richmond Public Schools, the City Administration and the City Auditor of an agreement defining a scope of audit services relating to Richmond Public Schools. **(COMMITTEE: Health, Human Services and Education, Wednesday, February 17, 2010, 5:00 p.m.)**

City Council will hold a Public Hearing on the following Ordinance on Monday, March 22, 2010 at 6:00 PM:

24. **Ord. No. 2010-37** (Patron: Mayor Jones) - To amend Ord. No. 2009-50-66, adopted May 26, 2009, which authorized the Acting Chief Administrative Officer to submit a Consolidated Action Plan (Housing and Community Development Plan) to the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) as an application for the receipt of Community Development Block Grant Funds (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnership Funds (HOME), Emergency Shelter Grant Funds (ESG), Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS Funds (HOPWA), and CDBG Economic Stimulus funds from the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 and to accept funds from the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development in the total amount of \$9,999,348 and which appropriated \$9,999,348 for various projects and reallocated and re-appropriated unexpended funds in the amount of \$800,000 for various projects, for the purpose of reallocating and re-appropriating unexpended CDBG and HOME funds from Fiscal Year 2008-2009 in the total amount of \$893,000 for various projects. **(COMMITTEE: Land Use, Housing and Transportation, Tuesday, February 16, 2010, 3:00 p.m.)**

THE FOLLOWING ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS WERE ADOPTED:

Ord. No. 2010-6-26 (Patron: Mayor Jones, By Request) - To authorize special use of *** 2824 East Broad Street for commercial uses and multifamily residential use with up to three dwelling units ***.

Ord. No. 2010-7-27 (Patron: Mayor Jones. By Request) - To amend Ord. 2009-46-60 *** which authorized the special use of *** 2102 and 2104 East Broad Street for the purpose of two attached two-family dwellings with accessory parking, to authorize additional height for the accessory structures ***.

Ord. No. 2010-9-28 (Patron: Mayor Jones, By Request) - To amend *** Ord. No. 2006-232-233 *** pertaining to the “Stony Point Community Unit Plan”, to *** provide for a specialized movie theater *** update the development plan and summary, and *** make minor corrections to the Community Unit Plan text.

Res. No. 2009-R155-2010-14 (Patrons: Mr. Jewell and Mr. Tyler) - To approve a policy governing the release and distribution of investigation reports.

Res. No. 2010-R1-15 (Patron: Vice-President Robertson) - To amend Res. No. 2009-R2-2 *** as previously amended *** which designates which Council members shall serve on the Standing Committees of Council and the various, boards, commissions, and committees to which Council members are appointed, for the purpose of changing the name of the Finance Standing Committee to the Finance and Economic Development Standing Committee.

Res. No. 2010-R2-16 (Patron: Vice-President Robertson) - To amend Res. No. 2005-R244-246 *** as previously amended *** which assigned boards, commissions, committees and other entities to Council standing committees for annual reporting purposes pursuant to the Code *** to reflect the change in the name of the Finance Standing Committee to the Finance and Economic Development Standing Committee.

THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS PRESENTED AND ADOPTED UNDER EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION:

Res. No. 2010-R5-13 (Patron: Mayor Jones) - To confirm the declaration made by the Director of Emergency Management that a local emergency existed in the city of Richmond beginning on Jan. 30, 2010 and ending on Jan. 31, 2010 due to the effects of a major snowstorm which occurred in the city of Richmond on Jan. 30, 2010 and Jan. 31, 2010.

ACTION ON THE FOLLOWING PAPERS WAS AS NOTED:

Ord. No. 2009-236 (Patrons: Mr. Samuels, Mr. Tyler, Ms. Trammell, Ms. Newbille, Mr. Conner and Mr. Hilbert) - To repeal the Code *** pertaining to the regulation of loud and disturbing noise and unnecessary noise in the operation of motor vehicles, and to amend the Code *** concerning the prohibition of excessive noise, and *** exceptions to the prohibition on excessive noise. ***. **(AMENDED AND CONTINUED TO MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2010)**

Ord. No. 2009-240 (Patron: Mayor Jones, By Request) - To amend and reordain Ord. No. 75-275-254 *** as previously amended by Ord. No. 87-307-88-57 *** which authorized medical and non-medical office use of the property known as 118 Libbie Avenue, to authorize a free standing sign ***. **(AMENDED AND CONTINUED TO MONDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2010)**

Ord. No. 2010-5 (Patron: Mayor Jones, By Request) - To authorize the special use of *** 2017, 2019 and 2021 Monument Avenue for the purpose of using an accessory building as a dwelling unit located on the same lot as an office use ***. **(CONTINUED TO MONDAY, MARCH 8, 2010)**

Res. No. 2009-R156 (Patrons: Mr. Jewell and Mr. Tyler) - To approve a policy governing the release and distribution of audit reports. **(CONTINUED TO MONDAY, MARCH 8, 2010)**

END OF SUMMARY

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Next Formal Council Meeting: Monday, February 22, 2010, 6:00 p.m., City Council Chambers.

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