

**1HARRISBURG CITY COUNCIL
LEGISLATIVE SESSION MINUTES
Tuesday, March 22, 2016
A G E N D A**

CALL TO ORDER

- President Williams called the meeting to order at 6:05PM.

ROLL CALL

- The City Clerk called the roll and all 7 members were present during roll call, namely: Ben Allatt, Jeff Baltimore, Shamaine Daniels, Destini Hodges, Cornelius Johnson, Westburn Majors and Wanda R. D. Williams.

INVOCATION/MOMENT OF SILENCE

- The Moment of Silence was led by Mr. Johnson.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

- The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Ms. Hodges.

COURTESY OF THE FLOOR

- Zachary Hause submitted a folder to each Council Member and asked City Council to consider passing a Resolution opposing the passage of the Trans Pacific Partnership.
- Mr. Boyd said that he has watched the show continue to go on for 90 days with the Non-Profits. He said Non-Profits in the City of Harrisburg are the biggest snakes he has ever seen. He said they only come when there is money involved. He said that he is ashamed of the City of Harrisburg and asked when they will help the poor.
- Pat Davis asked for an additional 15 minute parking spot in front of her business (True Value) on 2nd Street. She offered to help pay for that additional space.
- Daniel Graham said that he agrees with the gentleman who opposes the Trans Pacific Partnership and trade deals with other countries because they cost a lot of American manufacturing jobs. He said that he is glad to see that the Police Department is increasing their presence in the city to stop crime. He recommended calling in the National Guard to patrol the streets of our city and protect the good law abiding citizens.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- Upon motion by Council President Williams with no objections, the Legislative Session Minutes of March 8, 2016 were deemed approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

- Chair Johnson reported on the Public Safety Committee Meeting of March 10, 2016.
- Chair Williams reported on the Administration Committee Meeting of March 14, 2016.
- Chair Allatt reported on the Budget & Finance Committee Meeting of March 16, 2016.

ORDINANCES FOR FIRST READING

- There were none.

ORDINANCES FOR AMENDMENT

- There were none.

ORDINANCES FOR FINAL PASSAGE

- There were none.

RESOLUTIONS

- **The City Clerk read Resolution 14-2016 into record** – A Resolution appointing Rev. Donrico E. Colden to the Harrisburg Housing Authority.
- President Williams called for the vote and this passed 7-0.
- **The City Clerk read Resolution 23-2016 into record** - A Resolution appointing the City of Harrisburg's Grant Manager as an Authorized Official within the Pennsylvania Department of Transportation's dotGrants online system.
- President Williams called for the vote and this passed 7-0.
- **The City Clerk read Resolution 24-2016 into record** – A Resolution ratifying the agreement with CA Technologies to renew the existing software licensing of the City's mainframe computer system and network components.
- President Williams called for the vote and this passed 7-0.
- **The City Clerk read Resolution 25-2016 into record** – A Resolution approving the submission of a grant application to the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources for the purpose of improving the Riverwalk Slab and Steps in Riverfront Park.
- President Williams placed this in the Parks, Recreation and Enrichment Committee.
- **The City Clerk read Resolution 26-2016 into record** – A Resolution re-appointing Vern McKissick to serve on the Harrisburg Planning Commission.
- President Williams called for the vote and this passed 7-0.
- **The City Clerk read Resolution 27-2016 into record** – A Resolution approving the request of MAA ANNAPURNA, LLC to transfer liquor license #R-19033 from TENT Restaurant Operations, Inc., 2625 Brindle Drive, Susquehanna Township, Dauphin County into the City of Harrisburg to be utilized at Bollywood Bar & Grille, 110 North Second State Street, Harrisburg, PA, which is to operate as a bar and restaurant facility.
- President Williams placed this in the Public Safety Committee.

OLD BUSINESS

- There was none.

NEW BUSINESS

- Mr. Johnson commended the Administration for setting up the “Chat & Chew” with the Police Chief. He said that it was a great experience to interact with the residents and connect with them to see the issues that exist.
- Ms. Daniels said that the Harrisburg Area Now and LGBT Center are hosting an event on March 29th at 6PM speaking about women's issues. In addition, the American Immigration Lawyers Association is hosting a citizenship drive event in York on April 2nd at 11AM at the Martin Library located at 159 East Market Street.
- Ms. Williams announced information about *The Harrisburg Promise Initiative*. Youth in between the grades 7th through 12th are eligible for this program and if accepted will need to meet the requirements. They will be coached and prepared for college. For more information contact: Karl Singleton at 717-736-1461.

ADJOURNMENT

- The meeting adjourned at 6:50PM.