



Legislative Branch

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Minutes
Regular City Council Meeting
Held at Council Chambers, 38 Hawley Street, Binghamton, N.Y.
Wednesday February 17, 2010

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Council President Gerchman called the meeting to order at 6:30pm and led Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL

Present: Weslar, Gerchman, Renna, Webb, Massey, Kramer, Collins

Absent: None

Also in attendance: Corporation Counsel Kenneth Frank, City Clerk Joseph A. Merrill

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES AND APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Approval of minutes from Business Meeting held on February 3, 2010

Moved by Webb, seconded by Kramer

Voice vote, none opposed.

Approval of minutes from Special Business Meeting held on February 8, 2010

Moved by Webb, seconded by Kramer

Voice vote, none opposed.

PUBLIC COMMENT/COMMUNICATION

Mallory Steenstrup, Michael Weintraub, Sharon Nieminski, Jack Sheehan

FIRST READING LEGISLATION

Introductory Resolution 10-19. Considered in Finance, Chair: Renna

A Resolution approving the expenditure of the BLDC of up to \$33,575 from UDAG funds for the asbestos abatement, demolition and air quality monitoring at the BLDC owned property at 10-12 W. State Street

Motion to approve. Moved by Webb, seconded by Kramer.

Motion carried, legislation adopted as Permanent Resolution 10-18 (Vote 6-0-0-1)

Ayes: Weslar, Gerchman, Webb, Massey, Kramer, Collins

Nays: None

Absent: None

Abstain: Renna

Introductory Resolution 10-20. Considered in Finance, Chair: Renna

A Resolution authorizing the application and acceptance of a \$35,000 New York State Local Government Records Maintenance Improvement Fund

Motion to approve. Moved by Renna, seconded by Kramer.

Motion carried, legislation adopted as Permanent Resolution 10-19 (Vote 7-0)

Ayes: Weslar, Gerchman, Renna, Webb, Massey, Kramer, Collins

Nays: None

Introductory Resolution 10-21. Considered in Municipal and Public Affairs, Chair: Weslar

A Resolution authorizing free parking with validation for the 23rd Annual Greater Binghamton Business Show, from 11:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. on Thursday April 22, 2010

Motion to approve legislation. Moved by Weslar, seconded by Renna.

Motion carried, legislation adopted as Permanent Resolution 10-20 (Vote 7-0)

Ayes: Weslar, Gerchman, Renna, Webb, Massey, Kramer, Collins

Nays: None

Introductory Resolution 10-22. Considered in Municipal and Public Affairs, Chair: Weslar

A Resolution authorizing the sale of 48 Mary Street to Deborah Anderson-Tompkins

Motion to approve legislation. Moved by Weslar, seconded by Kramer.

Motion carried, legislation adopted as Permanent Ordinance 10-9 (Vote 7-0)

[Note: Legislation originally numbered as a Resolution. Renumbered as a Permanent Ordinance.]

Ayes: Weslar, Gerchman, Renna, Webb, Massey, Kramer, Collins

Nays: None



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Introductory Resolution 10-23. Considered in Municipal and Public Affairs, Chair: Weslar

A Resolution authorizing free parking for the Tobacco Control Recognition Event on March 12, 2010 from 8:00 A.M. to 10:30 A.M.

Motion to approve legislation. Moved by Weslar, seconded by Rennia.

Motion carried, legislation adopted as Permanent Resolution 10-22 (Vote 7-0)

Ayes: Weslar, Gerchman, Rennia, Webb, Massey, Kramer, Collins

Nays: None

Introductory Resolution 10-24. Considered in Finance, Chair: Rennia

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an inter-municipal cooperation agreement with the Town of Vestal, Village of Johnson City, and Binghamton-Johnson City Joint Sewage Board for the procurement, use, and maintenance of a fire fighting foam trailer

Motion to approve legislation. Moved by Kramer, seconded by Collins.

Motion carried, legislation adopted as Permanent Resolution 10-23 (Vote 4-3)

Ayes: Gerchman, Massey, Kramer, Collins

Nays: Weslar, Rennia, Webb

Introductory Resolution 10-25. Considered in Finance, Chair: Rennia

A Resolution authorizing Supplemental Agreement No. 2 with Haas Landscape Architects for Chenango River Promenade Phase 2A Improvements

Motion to approve legislation. Moved by Rennia, seconded by Webb.

Motion carried, legislation adopted as Permanent Resolution 10-24 (Vote 7-0)

Ayes: Weslar, Gerchman, Rennia, Webb, Massey, Kramer, Collins

Nays: None

COMMUNICATIONS FROM COUNCIL MEMBERS

Massey, Kramer, Collins, Weslar, Rennia, Webb, Gerchman

ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Kramer, seconded by Weslar

Voice vote, none opposed.

Adjourned at 7:43pm