REGULAR MEETING OF WILMINGTON CITY COUNCIL OCTOBER 5, 2023 @ 6:30 P.M.

Virtual Meeting with Anchor Location In-Person and Remote Participation Council Chambers

Louis L. Redding City/County Building 800 N. French Street - Wilmington, DE 19801

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AGENDA

I. Call to Order
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Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

- II. Approval of Minutes
- **III.** Committee Reports
- IV. Acceptance of Treasurer's Report
- V. Non-Legislative Business
 - a. Recognition Resolutions

Congo Recognize ABC Spirit of the Heart Community Leader's Brunch

Forum

Cabrera Recognize Hispanic Heritage Month

Cabrera Recognize Salute to Legendary Riverside Mothers

Cabrera Recognize Peace Week 2023

Darby Recognize Hanover Church Food Pantry

Harlee Recognize Buccini/Pollin Group

Harlee Recognize Paint the Riverfront Pink Week

McCoy Recognize Victoria Twardowski (100th Birthday)

b. Sympathy Resolutions

Congo Sympathy Elizabeth Ann Burton

VI. Public Comment

The meeting will be open to the public starting at 6pm, so members of the public can sign up to speak. To sign up for Public Comment, members of the public must go to the following website https://tinyurl.com/wccpubliccomment100523 to fill out the information requested. Public Comment will take place after non-legislative business. The President of City Council will recognize speakers in the order listed on the website.

VII. Legislative Business

DARBY

#0343

Ord. 23-033

Amend Chapter 35 of the City Code to Ensure Employees in Retail, Hospitality, and Food Services Establishments are Provided Advance Notice of Their Work Schedules; Compensation for Late Charges to Their Work Schedules; Right to Rest Between Work Shifts; and First-Right of Refusal for Additional Work Shifts (Motion to Refer to the Public Works & Transportation Committee, which this Ordinance was introduced at the Sept. 7, 2023 meeting and initially referred to Community Development & Urban Planning Committee)

Synopsis:

This Ordinance is being presented by City Council for Council's review and approval. This Ordinance amends Chapter 35 of the City Code to ensure retail, hospitality, and food services establishments with two-hundred and fifty (250) or more employees are providing their employees with advance notice of their work schedules, compensation for late changes to their work schedules, right to rest between work shifts, and first-right of refusal for additional work shifts.

#0352

A Resolution Approving a Grant to the Wilmington Senior Center

Synopsis:

This Resolution is being presented by City Council for Council's review and approval. This Resolution approves a grant to the Wilmington Senior Center in the amount of \$10,000 from the 2nd District Community Support/Discretionary Funds.

#0353

A Resolution to Amend City Council Rules 2 and 11 Requiring Agenda Items Be in Draft Form or Approved as to Form

Synopsis:

This Resolution is being presented by City Council for Council's review and approval. This Resolution amends City Council Rule 2 to require legislation be in draft form or approved as to form prior to its being placed on the Agenda. Further, this Resolution amends City Council Rule 11 to require any items to be considered at a Committee meeting be in draft form or finalized prior to its being placed on the Committee's agenda. This Resolution makes exceptions for true emergencies but requires the legislation's sponsor and/or the Committee Chair to explain the emergency.

#0354

A Resolution to Amend City Council Rules to Have Additional Public Comment During Legislative Business

Synopsis:

This Resolution is being presented by City Council for Council's review and approval. This Resolution amends City Council Rule 2 to add the following to the Legislative Business Section of City Council meetings: (1) a public comment

period after the close of the initial round of debate by members of City Council during which members of the public will be allowed to comment in increments of five (5) minutes on each legislative item that will be voted on by City Council; and (2) a second round of debate by Council members during which each Council member will be entitled to speak twice on the matter subject to debate for a period of three (3) minutes each time.

OLIVER

Rev. 1 #0248

Ord. 23-029

Amend Chapter 2 of the City Code to Create a Procedure Whereby Residents May Petition the Department of Public Works to Conduct Traffic Studies and Install Traffic Calming Devices (3rd & Final Reading)

Synopsis:

This Ordinance is being presented by City Council for Council's review and approval. This Ordinance permits twenty-five (25) or more residents of a designated census tract to submit a petition to the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works, or their designee, indicating residential street traffic issues that substantially affect the livability and safety of the community and requires the Commissioner of the Department of Public Works, or their designee, to conduct a traffic study when certain requirements are satisfied.

#0355

An Ordinance to Authorize and Approve Two One-Year Extensions of Contract 23025PW (Concrete Improvements) Between the City of Wilmington and Diamond Materials, LLC (1st & 2nd Reading)

Synopsis:

This Ordinance is being presented by the Administration for Council's review and approval. This Ordinance authorizes the City to exercise two (2) one-year extension options for Contract 23025PW "Concrete Improvements" with Diamond Materials, LLC.

JOHNSON

#0356

An Ordinance to Authorize and Approve an Amendment to the Master Services Agreement Between the City of Wilmington and Paymentus Corporation for an Online Payment Processing and Bill Presentment System (1st & 2nd Reading)

Synopsis:

This Ordinance is being presented by the Administration for Council's review and approval. This Ordinance authorizes the City to execute an amendment to extend the duration of the Master Services Agreement with Paymentus Corporation for an online payment processing and bill presentment system.

#0357

An Ordinance to Authorize and Approve a Software License Agreement, Software Implementation Services Agreement, Support and Maintenance Agreement, and

Hosting Service Agreement Between the City of Wilmington and Systems & Software, Inc. (1st & 2nd Reading)

Synopsis:

This Ordinance is being presented by the Administration for Council's review and approval. This Ordinance authorizes the City to execute a Software License Agreement, Software Implementation Services Agreement, Support and Maintenance Agreement, and Hosting Service Agreement with Systems & Software, Inc. for software and related services for utility billing.

VIII. PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Note: This meeting will be conducted both in-person and via Zoom. All are welcome to attend.

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