

AGENDA

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

MONDAY, MARCH 7, 2022

7:00 p.m.

CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL - 45 LYON TERRACE

BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT

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Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

MINUTES FOR APPROVAL:

Approval of City Council Minutes: February 7, 2022

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE REFERRED TO COMMITTEES:

- 34-21** Communication from Tax Collector re: Proposed Assignment of Tax Liens for Fiscal Year 2022, referred to Contracts Committee.
- 35-21** Communication from OPED re: Proposed Resolution Authorizing Administration of the Shared Mobility Device Program, referred to Ordinance Committee.
- 36-21** Communication from OPED re: Proposed Amendments to the Municipal Code of Ordinances, Chapter 12.16 – Street and Sidewalk Use Regulations, amend Sections 12.16.245 – Permit to Use City Streets and Sidewalks for the Shared Mobility Program and 12.16.250 – Miscellaneous Acts Prohibited, referred to Ordinance Committee.
- 37-21** Communication from Mayor re: Appointment of Tobias Watson (D) to the Ethics Commission, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.
- 38-21** Communication from Mayor re: Appointment of Martha R. Dixon (R) to the Harbor Commission, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.
- 39-21** Communication from Mayor re: Appointment of Mary F. Gaits (R) to the Zoning Board of Appeals, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.
- 40-21** Communication from Mayor re: Appointment of John Slater (R) to the Zoning Board of Appeals, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.
- 41-21** Communication from Mayor re: Reappointment of Donald W. Donaldson (D) to the Commission for People with Disabilities, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE REFERRED TO COMMITTEES CONTINUED:

- 42-21** Communication from OPED re: Proposed Resolution Authorizing Certain Amendments to the Hollow NRZ Plan, referred to Economic and Community Development and Environment Committee.
- 43-21** Communication from OPED re: Proposed Resolution Authorizing Certain Amendments to the South End NRZ Plan, referred to Economic and Community Development and Environment Committee.
- 44-21** Communication from Mayor re: Proposed Five-Year Capital Plan for Fiscal Years 2023-2027, referred to Budget and Appropriations Committee.
- 45-21** Communication from City Attorney re: Proposed Settlement of Claim #836987 in the Matter of Lexi Black, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.
- 46-21** Communication from City Attorney re: Proposed Settlement of Pending Litigation with Ryan Collins v. Bouchard, Et Al – Case #3:19-cv-01646 (JAM), referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.
- 47-21** Communication from City Attorney re: Proposed Request for an Additional Paralegal Position to the Office of the City Attorney, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.
- 48-21** Communication from Central Grants re: Grant Submission: State of Connecticut Department of Public Health – Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity Supplement (ELC) Enhancing Detection Cooperative Agreement (#22474), referred to Economic and Community Development and Environment Committee.
- 49-21** Communication from Central Grants re: Grant Submission: CT Urban Forest Council – Urban Forestry Climate Change Grant Program (#22396), referred to Economic and Community Development and Environment Committee.

MATTERS TO BE ACTED UPON (CONSENT CALENDAR):

- *25-21** Ordinance Committee Report re: Amendment to the Municipal Code of Ordinances, Chapter 10.12 – Stopping, Standing and Parking Generally, amend Section 10.12.080 – Illegal Parking in a Bus Zone.
- *26-21** Ordinance Committee Report re: Amendment to the Municipal Code of Ordinances, Chapter 10.16 – Parking, amend Section 10.16.070 – Rates and Charges; Grace Period; Prompt Payment Discount; Immobilization; Exemptions.

MATTERS TO BE ACTED UPON (CONSENT CALENDAR) CONTINUED:

- *21-21** Miscellaneous Matters Committee Report re: Appointment of Ralph R. Ford, Jr. (D) to the Civil Service Commission.
- *27-21** Miscellaneous Matters Committee Report re: Settlement of Pending Litigation with William Gomez-Perez, Et Al – Docket No. FBT-CV-19-6082893-S.
- *29-21** Miscellaneous Matters Committee Report re: Refund of Excess Payments – Montrey LLC Re: 1245 Fairfield Avenue.
- *30-21** Miscellaneous Matters Committee Report re: Refund of Excess Payments – Greystone Servicing Co. LLC Re: 215 Barnum Avenue.

(Special Note: All items listed on the agenda can be found on the City Clerk's website within 24 hours of meeting: City Council Agendas/Minutes; City Council; 2021-2022; Full/Minutes/Size; 2022-03-07 pdf)

THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSON HAS REQUESTED PERMISSION TO ADDRESS THE CITY COUNCIL ON MONDAY, MARCH 7, 2022 AT 6:30 P.M. IN THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL, 45 LYON TERRACE, BRIDGEPORT, CT 06604.

NAME	SUBJECT
Briana Wahl Green Village Initiative 20 Amsterdam Avenue, 3E Bridgeport, CT 06606	Supporting youth programming and food justice.
Nicholas Flood Green Village Initiative 20 Amsterdam Avenue, 3E Bridgeport, CT 06606	Supporting a new lease for Green Village Initiative at 1469 Reservoir Ave.
Andrés Garcia El Pueblo Unido 219 James Street Bridgeport, CT 06604	1469 Reservoir Ave.
Katie Smuckler FoodCores/Reservoir Community Farm 1469 Reservoir Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06606	Reservoir Community Farm lease ending/ future plans.
Allison Waggener Bridgeport Mutual Aid 72 Park Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06604	Renewing lease for Reservoir Community Farm.
Takina Pollock Shafer Bridgeport Farmers Market Collaborative 49 Sidney Street Bridgeport, CT 06606	Support for Reservoir Community Farm.
Deborah Thomas Sims East End NRZ Market and Cafe 302 Union Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06607	Reservoir Farms.
Cecil Young 99 Carroll Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06607	Follow up: Violation of Civil Rights.
Ellie Angerame Green Village Initiative 497 Laurel Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06605	Council vote for GVI's lease and use of 1469 Reservoir Avenue (Reservoir Community Farm).
Reginald Saint Fortcolin 190 Alice Street Bridgeport, CT 06606	Reservoir Community Farms.