

AGENDA [first draft]:

Roll Call - Moment of Silence –Pledge of Allegiance

Minutes for Council Approval: 12-18-18;

Public Participation

1. Public Hearings

- 343/18 Handicapped Parking – 15 Rollins Street – Marta Madera – Public Hearing
344/18 Parking – 324 Prospect Street-15 minute – JJ Meat Market Bodega -Jose Santos, Owner-Counc. De La Cruz-Public Hearing
351/18 Handicapped Parking – 59Weare Street – Counc. Abdo – Public Hearing
353/18 Handicapped Parking – 15 West Street – to be removed – Ramon Hiraldo – Public Hearing
397/18 Winter Parking – Garden Street - Alternate Side Winter Parking Ordinance – Counc. Reyes – Public Hearing

2. Communication from Mayor, City Officials and City Attorney - None

3. Appropriations-Orders-Resolutions

Resolutions:

- 1/19 Resolution – Supporting the Recommendations of the “Foundation Budget Review Commission” Relative to Funding the Foundation Budget [Chapter 70][49 Million Annually] – Mayor Dan Rivera

Appropriations and Appropriation Orders and Requests [New Filings only]:

- 2/19 Appropriation –Additional [1,434,303] Pursuant to JLMC Award – Mayor Dan Rivera

Appropriations – Budget and Finance Committee Reports [Committee Reports only]: None

4. Committee Reports:

Ordinance Committee Reports: None

Budget and Finance Committee Reports:

- 371/18 Office of Planning and Development – Tufts Health Plan Foundation Grant to Mayor Task Force [10,375.00] – Susan Fink, Manager of Financial and Administrative Services – Budget and Finance Cmt.
396/18 Lawrence Public Library – Request for Authorization to Expend Health Literacy Grants – All of Us Technology Award – [10,000.00] & Community Engagement Award [15,000.00]–Jessica V. Vilas Novas, Director – Budget and Finance Cmt.

Housing Committee Reports: None

Personnel Committee Reports: None

Public Safety Committee Reports:

Committee of the Whole Reports:

- 389/18 Department Heads Quarterly Report – Counc. Payano & Council Vice Pres. Rodriguez – Committee of the Whole

5. Withdrawals

- 17/12 Parking Meters Financial Update and Review–Council Vice Pres. Rivera–Budget and Finance Cmt.

6. Old Business

- 323/17 Disposition – 14-16 Tremont Court [Tax Map 167, Lot 141][To be referred to Hous. Cmt.]-Laiza St. Onge, Asset Officer
40/18 Surplus Declartion–23 Doyle Street – [Tax Map 184, Lot 161][To be referred to Hous. Cmt.]–Laiza St. Onge, Asset Officer
315/18 Disposition–12 Acton Street, Unit 207 [Tax Map 190, Lot 1/7][To be referred to Hous. Cmt.]–Laiza St. Onge, Asset Officer
316/18 Disposition -15 Boxford Street, Unit 1 [Tax Map 61, Lot 2/1][To be referred to Hous. Cmt.]–Laiza St. Onge, Asset Officer

7. Tabled Matters

- 39/10 Charter Review [Public Hearings as needed]
148/11 Parking – Merrimack Street–alternate side parking–Counc. Laplante–Ord. Cmt.
224/13 Lawrence Historical Commission-Temp. Public Art Ord. & Art/Mural Regulations-Jonas Stundzia,Chairman-Pub. Hrg. [cont.]
133/14 Military/Veteran Recognition–Counc. Laplante
175/14 Security regulations at nightclubs – Counc. Laplante – Ord. Cmt. [T][09-05-18]
197/14 Double Poles–Locations–Review–Council Pres. Maldonado
311/14 Guilmette & Lawrence High Schools Litigation [Executive Session Anticipated]–Atty. Raquel D. Ruano, Ass’t. City Atty.
337/15 E-Commerce Exchange Zone – Ordinance – For: Resolution - Counc. Vasquez – Ord. Cmt.
72/16 Residency requirement-City Employees – Home Rule Petition – Review – Council Pres. Vasquez – Ord. Cmt

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7. Tabled Matters [cont.]

- 341A/16 Removal of Breda Daou from Office of Assessor – Mayor Dan Rivera – Pers. Cmt.
- 125/17 Establishing maximum motor vehicle speed city wide to 25mph–Request to Amend Chapter 10.26 – Council Pres. Vasquez & Council. Rodriguez – Public Hearing
- 162/17 Water and Sewer Department –Woodard & Curran update to City Council re: Lead and Copper tests per Mass DEP Regulation Daniel J. Lahiff, Acting Commissioner
- 221/17 Stop Sign–Intersection of Andover and Foster Streets–Council. Vice Pres. Laplante–Public Hrg Pending–Traffic Study Ordered
- 308/17 Lawrence Historical Commission–request to recognize authority of the Commission to name or rename sites within its jurisdiction– Donna Bertolino, Secretary – Ord. Cmt. & Public Hearing to be Ordered
- 342/17 Lawrence Historical Commission –Vendors on Campagnone Common– Statement and Position– to create a Resolution
In support of enforcing the ordinance of Vendors at the Common - Jonas Stundza– Council. Reyes – Ord. Cmt.
- 392/17 Speed Limit–South Broadway [30 MPH]–Council. Abdoo [T][2-6-18]
- 11/18 Creation of City Council Standing Subcommittee on Education – Council. De La Cruz – Ord. Cmt
- 85B/18 Rental Insurance Policy Requirement for All Rental Units– [Sec. 15.12.065] - Council. Payano – Public Hearing
- 110/18 Haverhill St–One way btwn Prospect and Haverhill Sts–Council. Levy–Public Hearing Open [8-21-18]
- 147/18 Parking – Stearns Ave [296-296A Lawrence St] – 15 minute – Council Pres. Vasquez [T][08-21-18]
- 148/18 Lawrence Auxiliary Police – Council Vice Pres. Rodriguez & Council. Payano – Public Safety Cmt.
- 168/18 Americans with Disabilities Act: Pol Accessibity Citations DOJ– [Executive Session Anticipated][T][08-21-18]
- 190/18 Resolutions honoring the top Lawrence Graduates from Lawrence High School, Central Catholic High School, Notre Dame Cristo Rey, Greater Lawrence Technical School, and Northern Essex Community College – Council. Laplante – Presentation
- 208/18 Handicapped Parking – 69 Greenwood Street – Council. DePeña – Ord. Cmt. & Public Hearing to be Ordered
- 214/18 Board of Health Ordinance Amendment–Council. Payano–Public Hearing Closed [8-21-18]
- 244/18 City Attorney Application Review & Appointment Consideration – Council Pres.[Executive Session Anticipated][T][09-18-18]
- 250/18 Office of the City Attorney - Deed Restrictions for 56-58 Bromfield Street – Request to lift – Brian T. Corrigan, Assistant City Attorney – Ord. Cmt.[T][09-05-18]
- 280/18 Stop Sign – 4-way – Alder and Hampshire Streets – Council. Payano – Public Hearing
- 288/18 Private Livery & Taxis Services Office-Meditran, LLC - 49 Blanchard Street Ste. 207-3-Jose L. Fernandez –Sgt. Mélix Bonilla, Lawrence Police Dept. – Ord. Cmt.[T][09-05-18]
- 292/18 Resolution - Boys “Thunder” Beyond Soccer Program - Councils. Abdoo and Laplante [T][08-21-18]
- 293/18 Resolution – Police Officer Dean Thomas Murphy - Councils. Abdoo and Laplante [T][08-21-18]
- 321/18 Order Pursuant to G.L. c. 56, sec. 60 issued by William F. Galvin, Secretary of the Commonwealth – Council Vice Pres. Rodriguez [T][09-18-18]
- 326/18 Lawrence Opioid Litigation – Council. Payano and Council Vice Pres. Rodriguez [T][12-4-18]
- 328/18 Lawrence Emergency Response- Council. Payano[T][09-18-18]
- 336/18 State Election Update-Poll Locations and Impact of Recent Disaster-Early Voting-Other matters-
William J. Maloney, City Clerk [10-02-18][T]
- 385/18 Office of the City Attorney–Contract Extension–Brian T. Corrigan, Assistant City Attorney – Pers. Cmt.
- 388/18 Resolution - In honor of Patricia Karl – Council. Payano – Ord. Cmt.

8. New Business

- 3/19 Taxi License Renewals – Merrimack Transportation Corp,Liberty Taxi, Inc, Popular Taxi Co, Five Stars Express Transportation, 809 Express Transportation Inc, Town Enterprises, LLC, JC Transportation Inc., Reliable LLC & L&M Transportation – Sgt. Melix Bonilla, Lawrence Police Dept., Hackney Division
- 4/19 Handicapped Parking–77 Bromfield Street–Narda Lopez
- 5/19 National Grid and Verizon New England, Inc.–Request to locate poles, wires and fixtures on Floral and Jasper Streets – Dave Johnson, Engineering Department
- 6/19 Disclosure of Municipal Employee – Robert E. Runge, Jr.
- 7/19 Plastic Bags – Prohibiting Single Use – Council. Payano
- 8/19 Proposed Amendment of the City’s Zoning Ordinance – Petitioner - National Grid – Dan McCarthy, Land Use Planner
- 9/19 National Grid and Verizon New England – Request to locate poles, wires and fixtures on Burke Street –Dave Johnson, Engineering Department
- 10/19 Orchard Street Alternate Parking – Carlos L. Jaquez, Director of Public Works
- 11/19 Saint Patrick Day Parade – Saturday, March 23rd, 2019 from 1pm to 4pm – John Drew, Lawrence Saint Patrick Day Parade Cmt.
- 12/19 Senior Center – Fence Replacement – Council. Reyes
- 13/19 Handicapped Parking – 62 Ames Street –to be removed – Council. Laplante

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New Business [cont.]

- 14/19 Reclassification of Mayor’s Health Task Force Position – Mayor Dan Rivera
- 15/19 No Parking – Haverhill Street in front of School-between Hampshire and Franklin Streets [1 hour from 7am to 8am] –
Counc. Peña
- 16/19 Lawrence Housing Production Plan – Request for City Council Approval – Karen Sawyer Conard, Merrimack Valley Planning
Commission
- 17/19 Lawrence Police Department – 2019 Shannon Community Safety Initiative Grant [224,000.00]-Roy P. Vasque, Chief of Police
- 18/19 Lawrence Police Department – FY2017 Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant [66,963.00]–Roy P. Vasque,
Chief of Police
- 19/19 Lawrence Police Department – 2019 Massachusetts Municipal Public Safety Staffing Grant [750,200.00]–Roy P. Vasque,
Chief of Police
- 20/19 Lawrence Public Library – Request for Authorization to Expend Technology Grant [10,000.00]-Jessica V. Vilas Novas,
Library Director
- 21/19 Lawrence Police Department - FY2018 Bulletproof Vest Partnership Grant [23,604.00 Federal][23,604.00 State] –
Total [47,208.00] – Roy P. Vasque, Chief of Police
- 22/19 Police Radio – Counc. Payano