

NIAGARA FALLS CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA FOR JANUARY 25, 2010

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

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4:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

ANDERSON ___ FOURNIER ___ GRANDINETTI ___ WALKER ___ FRUSCIONE ___

Approval of minutes from the City Council Meeting of January 11, 2010 VOTE

PRESENTATIONS

1. Merrell Lane, Niagara Military Affairs Council-update

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE

1. Lewiston Road - Update

2. Hyde Park Ice Rink - Update

3. Abate Basketball Courts - Update

4. Economic Development - Update
i.e. Underground Railroad

5. Jayne Park - Update

6. Streets - Update 10th Street

72nd Street

7. Events Task Force/Coordinator

8. Census 2010

REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

7:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

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PRAYER - FOURNIER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC SPEAKERS (SEE NOTE ON LAST PAGE)

1. AGENDA ITEMS

2. FOR THE GOOD OF THE COMMUNITY

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

1. City Clerk's report for the month of December, 2009 R&F

ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

2. Approval of \$48,000.00 in grants for the 2010 Economic Development/
Neighborhood Revitalization coordinators VOTE
3. Approval of Budget Amendment for Community Development Section 8 Staff
Realignment VOTE
4. Approval of Bid #51-09 with Five Star Equipment, Inc. for Backhoe Loader
in the amount of \$80,735.00 VOTE
5. Approval of Change Order #1 to contract with Man O'Trees, Inc. for
Lewiston Road work at no change in dollar amount VOTE
6. Approval of donation of space in City Hall for the 2010 Census VOTE
7. Approval of contract with SPCA for continuation of current contract VOTE
8. Approval of funding not to exceed \$6,860.00 for Council Chamber
upholstery repairs VOTE
9. Approval of contract with Niagara Fine Arts for Friday & Sunday
summer concerts at a cost of \$24,000.00 VOTE
10. Approval of agreement with NIACAP for 2010 Budget appropriation
of \$27,500.00 VOTE
11. Approval of agreements NIMAC, Niagara Falls Beautification,
NF Block Club & OSC21 for 2010 VOTE
12. Approval of purchase of Asphalt Paver & Trailer not to exceed
\$135,000.00 VOTE
13. Approval of 5-year security contract with the Unified Court System for
the Municipal Services Bldg VOTE

- 14. Approval of sale of 2818 Highland Ave. for \$300.00 to NF Housing Authority VOTE
- 15. Approval of \$3,000.00 stipend for employee to perform duties of Sign & Zoning Inspector VOTE
- 16. Approval of budget transfer of \$35,000.00 within Dept. of Code Enforcement budget lines VOTE
- 17. Approval of 2 temporary positions of Electrical Inspector & Chief Plumbing Inspector in Department of Code Enforcement VOTE
- 18. Approval of amended grant agreement with NYS for City Hall Restoration VOTE
- 19. Approval Change Order #1 to contract with Armand Cerrone, Inc. for Pine Ave. roadwork VOTE
- 20. Approval of contract with Urban Engineers of NY for Rainbow Centre Parking Ramp 11 for conditions assessment at a cost not to exceed \$175,000.00 VOTE

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- 21. Approval to fund the Blues Festival in an amount not to exceed \$40,000.00 VOTE

FROM THE CORPORATION COUNSEL

- 22. Approval to accept In Rem auction bids from Dec. 15, 2009 VOTE
- 23. Approval to Settle and Pay claim of Estate of Jonah R. Drisdorn in the amount of \$225,000.00 VOTE

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE TRAFFIC ADVISORY COMMISSION

- 24. Denial of Handicapped space at 3670 Sherwood Avenue & denial of change in Overnight Parking on Chilton Avenue between Whirlpool Street & Main Street R&F
- 25. Approval to remove two-hour parking restriction on 9th Street from Pine Avenue to dead end VOTE
- 26. Approval of handicapped access space at 529 9th Street VOTE
- 27. Approval of handicapped access space at 2727 Independence Avenue VOTE
- 28. Approval to change "No Standing Anytime" to allow parking on Lockport Street between Main & 10th Streets VOTE
- 29. Approval of Handicapped access space at 2478 Forest Avenue VOTE

RESOLUTIONS

- 30. Relative to appointment to the NF Board of Assessment Review
BY: Council Member Robert A. Anderson, Jr. VOTE

31. Relative to Appointment to the Illumination Board for the City of
Niagara Falls

BY: Council Chair Sam Fruscione

VOTE

32. Relative to Appointment to the NF Board of Appeals

BY: Council Member Steve Fournier

VOTE

ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING

NOTE:

The Chairman will enable members of the public to speak on any topic of concern to the welfare of the City for a time not to exceed five (5) minutes for each person; he may limit the numbers of speakers on a topic or agenda item or the overall public speaking time if the same will unduly delay the commencement of the agenda. (The Chairman may, at his sole discretion, extend a speaker's time by no more than two minutes where the speaker has requested such additional time prior to the commencement of the meeting on an agenda item.)

Excerpt from Resolution 1993 - 137, which was adopted by the Niagara Falls City Council on October 18, 1993.