

NIAGARA FALLS CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA FOR APRIL 20, 2009

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

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4:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

ANDERSON ___ FOURNIER ___ FRUSCIONE ___ WALKER ___ ROBINS ___

Approval of minutes from the City Council Meeting of April 6, 2009

VOTE

PRESENTATIONS

1. Mt. Carmel School Students-Tribute to the City of Niagara Falls

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE

1. Courthouse Update

2. Hyde Park Ice Rink

3. Streets - Potholes

4. Street Paving Information

5. In-House Tree Trimming and Removal

6. Sinkholes, Fire Hydrants and actual holes in the street(result of meeting with the Water Board)

REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

7:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

ANDERSON ___ FOURNIER ___ FRUSCIONE ___ WALKER ___ ROBINS ___

PRAYER - FRUSCIONE

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC HEARING re: Restore NY Grant Applications

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 March, 2009 R&F
2. Claims Report for the Month of March, 2009 R&F

ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

3. Approval of Bid #18-09 with Snowfighting Equipment & Consultants of Buffalo, Inc. for portable asphalt machine at a cost of \$120,417.00 VOTE
4. Approval of Bid #15-09 with Ennis Paint, Inc. for traffic marking paint VOTE
5. Approval to reappoint Don King to the library Board VOTE
6. Approval to renew agreement with the Health Association of Niagara County, Inc. to provide recreation services for the elderly at a cost not to exceed \$10,000.00 VOTE
7. Approval of Memorandum of Understanding between Niagara Falls, Lockport and North Tonawanda Police Departments and the Niagara County Sheriff's Office relative to joint application of funding under the recovery Act: Edward Byrne Memorial Assistance Grant VOTE
8. Approval of contract with Giusiana Architects for services relating to the City's Commercial Façade program VOTE
9. Approval to assess property owners for unpaid expenses incurred by the City and Community Development for expenses incurred in the repair, Demolition or boarding up of structures VOTE
10. Approval to appropriate \$3,000.00 of casino funds for Explore Buffalo/Niagara Events VOTE
11. Approval to supply Niagara Falls logo pins to Cayuga Heat Travel Baseball team at a cost of \$1,508.88 VOTE
12. Approval to donate \$1,200 to Midtown Little league to assist in the erection of a fence at it's athletic field VOTE
13. Approval to replace two air conditioner/humidifier units in the MIS Department at a cost not to exceed \$35,500 VOTE
14. Approval of agreement with the Board of education for City use of South Junior area to create recreational area VOTE

15. Approval of cooperative venture with the School District relative to bus turn-a-round and basketball courts in the Harry F. Abate School area VOTE
16. Approval of appropriation to Public Works for temporary personnel and materials for patching and paving in the amount of \$207,124.00 VOTE

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

17. Notice of NYS Department of State Filing of Local Law #1-2009 relative to Residency of Employees R&F
18. Approval of Commissioner of Deeds appointments for a term from June 1, 2009 to May 31, 2011 VOTE

FROM THE TRAFFIC ADVISORY COMMISSION

19. Tabling of request for All-Way stop signs at LaSalle Avenue & 22nd Street pending and Denial of Handicap Access Space at 206-70th Street R&F
20. Approval of Handicapped Access Space at 1705 Willow Avenue VOTE
21. Approval of handicapped Access Space at 443-22nd Street VOTE
22. Approval of Alternate Overnight Parking on Witkop Avenue between 84th Street and 85th Street VOTE
23. Approval of Alternate Overnight Parking on Perry Avenue between 73rd and 74th Streets VOTE
24. Approval to install Handicapped Warning Sign Advance of 2103 Mackenna Avenue, and Install a 50' Loading Zone at 2103 Mackenna Avenue VOTE
25. Approval of Loading Zone at 2526 Pine Avenue VOTE
26. Approval of Loading Zone at 1818 Pine Avenue VOTE
27. Approval handicapped Access Space at 2709 Grand Avenue VOTE
28. Approval of Handicapped Access Space at 425 5th Street VOTE

FROM THE CITY ASSESSOR

29. Approval of certification of Base Percentages, Current Percentages and Current Base Proportions for Homestead & Non-Homestead Assessment Roll VOTE

RESOLUTIONS

30. Relative to the American Cancer Society's "Relay for Life-2009"
BY: All Council Members VOTE

31. Relative to South Junior Project and 39th Street School/Old Municipal
Court Building Project

BY: Councilman Charles Walker

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.