

NIAGARA FALLS CITY COUNCIL  
AGENDA FOR DECEMBER 22, 2008

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

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4:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

ANDERSON \_\_\_ FOURNIER \_\_\_ ROBINS \_\_\_ WALKER \_\_\_ FRUSCIONE \_\_\_

Approval of minutes from the City Council Meeting of December 8, 2008 and  
Special Meeting of December 8, 2008

VOTE

PRESENTATIONS

1. Leonard DePrimo, LIRO Re: Courthouse Update

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE

REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

7:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

ANDERSON \_\_\_ FOURNIER \_\_\_ ROBINS \_\_\_ WALKER \_\_\_ FRUSCIONE \_\_\_

PRAYER - ROBINS

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 November, 2008

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ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

2. Approval of \$80,000 Grant to Ashland Advanced Materials for landscaping and fencing at 6100/6200 Niagara Falls Blvd. VOTE
3. Approval of Bid #41-08 to West Herr Ford for two Hybrid 4X4 SUV for a total of \$63,993.00 VOTE
4. Approval to re-award Bid #36-08 for tree removal services to F. Taylor Tree Service in the amount of \$52,200.00 VOTE
5. Approval to renew Bid #28-07 with Morris Protective Services, Inc. for watchman services at the Corporation Yard VOTE

6. Approval to appropriate \$28,600.00 of casino funds to cover additional expense for tree removal (Agenda Item #4) VOTE
7. Approval of agreement with SPCA and appropriation of \$3,975.00 from fund balance to cover increase VOTE
8. Approval of capital needs funding for 2009 from casino interest and Revenue VOTE
9. Approval of appropriation from fund balance of \$79,704.20 to settle arbitration award with Fire Department Officers Association VOTE
10. Approval of agreement with Morton Abramowitz for consulting services to the City Council VOTE
11. Approval of United Steelworkers contract amendment relative to "Dues Deduction" VOTE
12. Approval to appropriate \$25,341.80 from 2009 contingency account to cover City Engineer salary VOTE
13. Approval to extend agreement of sale for 5815 Buffalo Avenue with William McDonald VOTE

FROM THE CORPORATION COUNSEL

14. Approval to settle and pay claim of Frank & Thomas Tedesco in the amount of \$2,000.69 VOTE
15. Approval to settle and pay claim of Robert J. Carter in the amount of \$2,500.00 VOTE

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE TRAFFIC ADVISORY COMMISSION

16. Approval to extend two hour parking areas an additional 25ft. on both North and South side of Pine Avenue towards 18<sup>th</sup> Street VOTE
17. Approval to install overnight parking on 74<sup>th</sup> Street between Lindbergh & Girard Avenues VOTE
18. Approval to install overnight parking on 90<sup>th</sup> Street between Lindbergh & Luick Avenues VOTE

RESOLUTIONS

19. Relative to the 2009 Council Meeting Schedule  
BY: All Council Members VOTE
20. Relative to the appointment of Lewis Rotella to the Niagara Falls Cable Commission  
BY: Council Chairman Samuel Fruscione  
Council Member Robert Anderson, Jr. VOTE

21. Relative to the re-appointment of Chester Hyla to the Traffic Advisory Board

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

22. Relative to appointments to the Niagara Falls Historic Preservation Committee

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

23. Relative to reappointments to the Niagara Falls Youth Board

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

24. Relative to amending Chapter 365 of the Codified Ordinances entitled "Taxicabs and Taxicab Drivers"

BY: Council Member Chris Robins

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.