

2. Relative to a proposed \$6.3 Million Restore NY Grant application

- Carl Slenk

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PUBLIC SPEAKERS (SEE NOTE ON LAST PAGE)

1. AGENDA ITEMS

- Ken Hamilton-Agenda Item #11
- Molly Bradshaw-Agenda Item #19
- Jodi Bass-Agenda Item #19

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2. FOR THE GOOD OF THE COMMUNITY

- Candice Corsaro-North/Lockport playground groundbreaking
- Hazel Brooks-Property damage by City workers
- Ken Hamilton-Court House on Main Street

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INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

1. City Clerk's Report for August, 2007

R&F

FROM THE MAYOR

2. Request for Council to restart process regarding Zoning Ordinance and Comprehensive Plan

R&F

ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

3. Approval to pay invoice #17 in the amount of \$262,531.26 for Court House Project for a total to date of \$1,991,220.94

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Fruscione	X			
Council Member Robins	X			
Council Member Rotella	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:	5	0		

4. Approval to appropriate \$11,500 of Casino revenue interest to the Engineering Department for equipment and training

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Fruscione	X			
Council Member Robins	X			
Council Member Rotella	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:	5	0		

Council Member Robins said that this amount is being removed from the Budget to use Casino Revenue interest

5. Approval to reappropriate \$2,370.00 from software code to training code for AutoCADD & SurveyCADD training in the Engineering Department.

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Fruscione	X			
Council Member Robins	X			
Council Member Rotella	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:	5	0		

FROM THE CORPORATION COUNSEL

6. Approval of settlement of claim of Emma L. Galvez in the amount of \$911.40

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Fruscione	X			
Council Member Robins	X			
Council Member Rotella	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:	5	0		

7. Approval of sale of 2102 and 2106 Main Street to Niagara Falls Housing Authority for \$1,500.00.

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay	
Council Member Fruscione	X				Council Member Robins said at this time the property is just green space and the Housing Authority will maintain it
Council Member Robins	X				
Council Member Rotella	X				
Council Member Walker	X				
Council Chairman Anderson	X				
Total:	5	0			

8. Approval of settlement of claim of Vernita Vlasow in the amount of ~~\$807.19~~ \$1,520.63

VOTE

	TO AMEND		TO APPROVE		AMOUNT AMENDED
	yea	nay	yea	nay	
Council Member Fruscione	X		X		
Council Member Robins	X		X		
Council Member Rotella	X		X		
Council Member Walker	X		X		
Council Chairman Anderson	X		X		
Total:	5	0	5	0	

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

9. Approval of Commissioner of Deeds Appointments for a term from October 1, 2007 to September 30, 2009

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Fruscione	X			
Council Member Robins	X			
Council Member Rotella	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:	5	0		

RESOLUTIONS

10. Relative to the memory of Mr. John R. McNab
BY: All Council Members

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-68 Council Member Fruscione	X				Council Member Robins said that Mr. McNab will be missed at City meetings
Council Member Robins	X				
Council Member Rotella	X				
Council Member Walker	X				
Council Chairman Anderson	X				
Total:	5	0			

11. Relative to the establishment of the Niagara Falls Veteran's Memorial Monument Advisory Commission

BY: Council Chair Robert Anderson, Jr.

VOTE

	TO AMEND		TO APPROVE		
	yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-69 Council Member Fruscione	X		X		AMENDED Title, wording and members- Council Member Robins thanked the Chairman and volunteers on the Commission
Council Member Robins	X		X		
Council Member Rotella	X		X		
Council Member Walker	X		X		
Council Chairman Anderson	X		X		
Total:	5	0	5	0	

12. Relative to Boating Infrastructure Grant Program

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-70 Council Member Fruscione	X			
Council Member Robins	X			
Council Member Rotella	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:	5	0		

13. Relative to rename Lindbergh Avenue

BY: Council Member Chris Robins

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-71 Council Member Fruscione	X				FRUSCIONE-1 ST STEP IN PROCESS; ROBINS-REC'D CALLS AGAINST STREET RENAMING; ROTELLA-MOVE FORWARD WITH PLAN TO NEXT STEP IN 2 WKS; ANDERSON-MOVE FORWARD WITH VETERAN'S MEMORIAL
Council Member Robins	X				
Council Member Rotella		X			
Council Member Walker	X				
Council Chairman Anderson		X			
Total:	3	2			

14. Relative to rename Rainbow Boulevard North

BY: Council Member Chris Robins

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-72 Council Member Fruscione	X				COUNCIL MEMBER ROBINS SAID THIS WILL CHANGE THE NAME BACK TO FIRST STREET
Council Member Robins	X				
Council Member Rotella		X			
Council Member Walker	X				
Council Chairman Anderson		X			
Total:	3	2			

15. Relative to rename Rainbow Boulevard South

BY: Council Member Chris Robins

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-73	Council Member Fruscione	X				COUNCIL MEMBER ROBINS SAID THERE WILL NO LONGER BE TWO RAINBOW BLVDS.
	Council Member Robins	X				
	Council Member Rotella		X			
	Council Member Walker	X				
	Council Chairman Anderson		X			
Total:		3	2			

16. Relative to Street Naming Policy

BY: Council Member Chris Robins

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-74	Council Member Fruscione	X				COUNCIL MEMBER ROBINS SAID HE HAS LOOKED AT STREET NAMING POLICIES ACROSS THE COUNTRY AND THIS IS LONG OVERDUE FOR NIAGARA FALLS
	Council Member Robins	X				
	Council Member Rotella		X			
	Council Member Walker	X				
	Council Chairman Anderson		X			
Total:		3	2			

17. Relative to State Comptroller's Health Insurance Examination

BY: Council Member Chris Robins

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-75	Council Member Fruscione	X				
	Council Member Robins	X				
	Council Member Rotella	X				
	Council Member Walker	X				
	Council Chairman Anderson	X				
Total:		5	0			

18. Relative to amending Chapter 171 of the Codified Ordinances entitled "Benefits of employees not covered by collective bargaining agreements"

BY: Council Member Chris Robins

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-76	Council Member Fruscione	X				COUNCIL MEMBER ROBINS EXPLAINED HIS RESOLUTION
	Council Member Robins	X				
	Council Member Rotella		X			
	Council Member Walker	X				
	Council Chairman Anderson		X			
Total:		3	2			

19. Relative to rename South 86th Street
 BY: Council Member Chris Robins

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay	
2007-77	Council Member Fruscione	X				COUNCIL MEMBER FRUSCIONE SAID THAT THIS DECISION IS NOT BASED RACIALLY OR ETHNICALLY
	Council Member Robins	X				
	Council Member Rotella		X			
	Council Member Walker	X				
	Council Chairman Anderson		X			
Total:		3	2			

20. Resolution-Relative to approval to endorse the submission of Restore NY Grant application
 BY: All Council Members

VOTE

		TO ADD TO AGENDA		TO APPROVE			
		yea	nay	yea	nay	yea	Nay
2007-78	Council Member Fruscione	X		X			
	Council Member Robins	X		X			
	Council Member Rotella	X		X			
	Council Member Walker	X		X			
	Council Chairman Anderson	X		X			
Total:		5	0	5	0		

LOCAL LAW

21. Relative to adopting local law to amend the City Charter by adding Section 201-D entitled "Residential/Commercial Urban Exemption" to Article VIII of the Charter, entitled "Taxation and Assessment"

VOTE

		TO ADD TO AGENDA		TO APPROVE			
		yea	nay	yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-6	Council Member Fruscione	X		X			
	Council Member Robins	X		X			
	Council Member Rotella	X		X			
	Council Member Walker	X		X			
	Council Chairman Anderson	X		X			
Total:		5	0	5	0		

22. Resolution relative to Comprehensive Plan and Zoning Ordinance State Environmental Quality Review Act.
 BY: All Council Members

VOTE

		TO ADD TO AGENDA		TO APPROVE			
		yea	nay	yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-79	Council Member Fruscione	X		X			
	Council Member Robins	X		X			
	Council Member Rotella	X		X			
	Council Member Walker	X		X			
	Council Chairman Anderson	X		X			
Total:		5	0	5	0		

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Council Member Fruscione						
Council Member Robins						
Council Member Rotella						
Council Member Walker						
Council Chairman Anderson						
Total:						

ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING: 7:45 p.m.