

NIAGARA FALLS CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA FOR NOVEMBER 5, 2007

4:05 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
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COUNCIL CHAMBERS

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ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

FRUSCIONE X ROBINS X ROTELLA X WALKER X ANDERSON X

Approval of minutes from the City Council Meeting of October 22, 2007 and Budget Work Sessions of October 17, 2007, October 23, 2007 and October 24, 2007.

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		

PRESENTATIONS

1. Mr. William Vanecsek, Director of Aviation, NFTA RE: Update on the Niagara Falls Airport Terminal.

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE

REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS

7:02 P.M.

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

~~7:00 P.M.~~

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

FRUSCIONE X ROBINS X ROTELLA X WALKER X ANDERSON X

PRAYER - Robins

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PUBLIC HEARING

The City Administrator and City Controller were present for the public Hearing on the Mayor's proposed 2008 Budget.

1. Relative to the Proposed 2008 Executive Budget

- Geri Mitro-plant more flowers around City
- Ron Anderluh-Tax rate equalization
- Valerie Martin-make City better for children
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2. Relative to The Niagara Falls Airport Terminal

- Carmen Granto-Thanked Mayor and Council for their cooperation
- Ken Hamilton-Get second consultant for another design
- Daryl Bodewes-Will bring work for Union Carpenters
- Chris Stone-Will bring work for Niagara County Building trades
- Rick Williams-Move forward with New terminal
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PUBLIC SPEAKERS (SEE NOTE ON LAST PAGE)

1. AGENDA ITEMS

- Jerry Genova-Agenda item #12
- Ken Hamilton-Agenda Item #2
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2. FOR THE GOOD OF THE COMMUNITY

- Bishop Stephan Booze-Recreation opportunities for children
- Rev. Rex Stewart-Recreation opportunities for children
- Noreen Chatmon-Recreation opportunities for children
- Mary Sutter-Recreation opportunities for children
- Russ Franjoine-Bank building development
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INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

1. Please be advised that Local Law #6 for 2007, relative to amending the City Charter as amended, by adding Section 201-D entitled "Residential/Commercial Urban Exemption" to Article VIII of the Charter entitled "Taxation and Assessment" adopted by City Council on September 24, 2007 and duly approved by Mayor Vincenzo V. Anello on October 2, 2007 was received and filed by the New York State Department of State on October 9, 2007.

R&F

ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

2. Approval to donate/transfer 712 Cedar Avenue to Family & Children's Service of Niagara, Inc.

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

3. Approval to pay claim of Kim Roberts in the amount of \$876.45

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		

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

4. Approval to override Mayor's Veto of Ordinance Amendment to Chapter 341 of Codified Ordinances entitled "Vendors"

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:	0	5		

Mayor's Veto Stands

RESOLUTIONS

5. Relative to the Main Street Business and Professional Association Annual Dinner

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-94	Council Member Fruscione	X			
	Council Member Robins	X			
	Council Member Rotella	X			
	Council Member Walker	X			
	Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:		5	0		

6. Relative to Amending Chapter 341 of the Codified Ordinances entitled "Vendors"

BY: Council Member Samuel Fruscione

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-95	Council Member Fruscione	X			
	Council Member Robins	X			
	Council Member Rotella	X			
	Council Member Walker	X			
	Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:		5	0		

7. Relative to the Budget Resolution Meeting schedule

BY: Council Chair Robert Anderson, Jr.

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-96	Council Member Fruscione	X			
	Council Member Robins	X			
	Council Member Rotella	X			
	Council Member Walker	X			
	Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:		5	0		

8. Relative to World Diabetes Day

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-97	Council Member Fruscione	X			
	Council Member Robins	X			
	Council Member Rotella	X			
	Council Member Walker	X			
	Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:		5	0		

9. Relative to authorization for Project Application for State Aid for Recreation and Youth Services

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-98	Council Member Fruscione	X			
	Council Member Robins	X			
	Council Member Rotella	X			
	Council Member Walker	X			
	Council Chairman Anderson	X			
Total:		5	0		

10. Approval of contract with Oakgrove Construction Co., Inc. for rehabilitation of Lockport Street bridge.

VOTE

		TO ADD TO AGENDA		TO APPROVE			
		yea	nay	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		

11. Approval of Intermunicipal Agreement with Niagara County to pay for emergency generators at City Firehouses.

VOTE

		TO ADD TO AGENDA		TO APPROVE			
		yea	nay	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		

12. Resolution relative to signage at the Haunted House of Wax.

BY: Council Chairman Robert Anderson, Jr.

Council Member Samuel Fruscione

Council Member Lewis Rotella

		ADD TO AGENDA		APPROVE			
		yea	nay	yea	nay	yea	nay
2007-99	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		

13. Resolution relative to supporting a new terminal at the Niagara Falls International Airport

BY: All Council Members

		ADD TO AGENDA		APPROVE			
		yea	nay	yea	nay	yea	nay
2007- 100	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		

ADJOURNMENT OF MEETING 7:55 P.M.