

NIAGARA FALLS CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA FOR JANUARY 9, 2012

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

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4:08-4:40 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

ANDERSON X CHOOLOKIAN X GRANDINETTI X WALKER X FRUSCIONE X

Approval of minutes from the City Council Meeting of December 27, 2011

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Anderson	X			
Council Member Choolokian	X			
Council Member Grandinetti	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Fruscione	X			
Total:	5	0		

PRESENTATIONS

PRESENTATION - National Grid - Brian Skinner, Senior Arborist - Presentation of check for the Tree Program

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE

CITY ADMINISTRATOR/MAYOR - Status of the following positions:

1. Fire Chief
 2. HR Director
 3. CD Director
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DPW - City Hall Parking Lot Paving - Update

REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

7:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

ANDERSON X CHOOLOKIAN X GRANDINETTI X WALKER X FRUSCIONE X

PRAYER - ANDERSON

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PRESENTATION

National Historic Trust/Preservation Buffalo-Niagara-honoring the Niagara Day organizers

NO PRESENTATION WAS GIVEN

PUBLIC SPEAKERS (SEE NOTE ON LAST PAGE)

1. AGENDA ITEMS-NO SPEAKERS

2. FOR THE GOOD OF THE COMMUNITY

• Paul Gromosiak	War of 1812 events in Niagara Falls; Niagara
•	Experience Center
• Ron Anderluh	National Grid check to City; Landlord Registration
•	Ordinance; privatize parking; vacant Department
•	Head positions; Revitalization Coordinator
•	Positions funding
• Candace Corsaro	Congratulations to Council Members Anderson &
•	Choolokian; KABOOM meeting; Hyde Park Business
•	Association Dinner & Awards
• Arthur Garabedian	Work with NFR to build International Center
•	Downtown using State incentives

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

1. Claim Report for the Month of December 2011

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ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

2. Approval of Grant for 2012 NFC Development Corp. Operating Budget

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Anderson	X			
Council Member Choolokian	X			
Council Member Grandinetti	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Fruscione	X			
Total:	5	0		

3. Approval of Demolition Contract CD 2010-3, Mark Cerrone, Inc.,
Change Order

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Anderson	X			
Council Member Choolokian	X			
Council Member Grandinetti	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Fruscione	X			
Total:	5	0		

4. Approval of Niagara County Brownfield Development Corp. Grant for
39th Street School

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Anderson	X			
Council Member Choolokian	X			
Council Member Grandinetti	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Fruscione	X			
Total:	5	0		

5. Approval of funding for Street openings to be done by DPW

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay	
Council Member Anderson	X				Council Member Choolokian said the Council & Mayor need to work together to get the Casino Funds released for projects like this
Council Member Choolokian	X				
Council Member Grandinetti	X				
Council Member Walker	X				
Council Chairman Fruscione	X				
Total:	5	0			

FROM THE CORPORATION COUNSEL

6. Approval to pay Medical Expenses of Mary Spanbauer in the amount Of \$2119.12

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Anderson	X			
Council Member Choolokian	X			
Council Member Grandinetti	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Fruscione	X			
Total:	5	0		

FROM THE CITY CLERK

7. Notice of Mayor's approval of Resolution 2011-100, relative to Amending Chapter 365 of the Codified Ordinances Entitled "Taxicabs & Taxicab Drivers"

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RESOLUTIONS

8. Relative to Honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
BY: All Council Members

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
2012-4 Council Member Anderson	X			
Council Member Choolokian	X			
Council Member Grandinetti	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Fruscione	X			
Total:	5	0		

9. Relative to the continuation of the Tourism Advisory Board & its Appointments

BY: Council Chairman Samuel Fruscione

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
2012-5 Council Member Anderson	X			
Council Member Choolokian	X			
Council Member Grandinetti	X			
Council Member Walker	X			
Council Chairman Fruscione	X			
Total:	5	0		