

NIAGARA FALLS CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA FOR JULY 5, 2018

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

6:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

KENNEDY X SCOTT X TOMPKINS X VOCCIO X TOUMA X

PRAYER - SCOTT

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Approval of Minutes from the Council Meeting of June 20, 2018

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

PUBLIC HEARING

Relative to adopting a Local Law pursuant to Section 4.8 (b) of the City Charter revising articles contained in the 1916 City Charter carried forward to delete obsolete provisions or those in conflict with the 1988 City Charter

SPEAKERS

Ron Anderluh

PUBLIC SPEAKERS

1. AGENDA ITEMS

NO SPEAKERS

2. FOR THE GOOD OF THE COMMUNITY

Ron Anderluh	Parking and Parking Violations
Priscilla Green	Permit to use Park fee waived; permission to use Band Stand fee waived
Robert Pearson	Property
Charles Miller	Property Owner
Andre Wilkes	Parks
Robert Ventry	Various

PRESENTATIONS:

**Collaborative Public Information Session with Niagara Falls
City Council Members and the Niagara Falls Public Library Board**

I. Introductions (5 minutes)

Library Board of Trustees:

- Mr. Carmen Granto
President
- Ms. Danielle Zona
Vice President
- Ms. Noreen Hill
Treasurer
- Mr. Don King
Secretary
- Ms. Lynne M. Neveu
Trustee
- Dr. Mukhles U. Rahman, PhD
Trustee

II. FUTURE OF NIAGARA FALLS LIBRARIES (20 minutes)

1. Discussion on library becoming independent from the City.

III. QUESTIONS/ANSWERS BETWEEN CITY COUNCIL & LIBRARY BOARD (20 minutes)

1. Open for all to discuss any issues or any additional questions/action items.

IV. ADJOURNMENT OF LIBRARY MEETING

REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

1. Approval of the Contract for renovation of 2112 Tenth St., CHDO agreement with Center City

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

2. Approval of contribution to expenses of Good News Gospel Festival/
Health Fair

VOTE

	AMEND		APPROVE	
	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X		X	
Council Member Scott	X		X	
Council Member Tompkins	X		X	
Council Member Voccio	X		X	
Council Chairman Touma	X		X	
Total:	5	0	5	0

Amendment funding from \$2500.00 to \$250.00

3. Approval of Contract with State Parks & a not-for-profit entity for
the creation & operation of a dog park in Deveaux Woods State Park

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
	Council Member Kennedy	X		
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

4. Approval of the removal of the Niagara Scenic Parkway-from Main St
to Findlay Drive

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
	Council Member Kennedy	X		
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

Chairman Touma thanked Congressman Higgins for his efforts on this

ADDITIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

5. Mayor's Approval of Resolution 2018-69

R & F

FROM THE CITY ASSESSOR.

6. 2018 General Assessment Roll

R & F

FROM THE CORPORATION COUNSEL

7. Approval to Settle and Pay Claim of Alan Hall in the amount of \$1620.00 VOTE

	<u>yea</u>	<u>nay</u>	<u>yea</u>	<u>nay</u>
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

RESOLUTIONS

8. Relative to co-sponsor 2018 Community Appreciation Day Event

BY: Councilman Scott

THIS ITEM WAS PULLED

NO ACTION TAKEN

9. Relative for donation to Cataract City Youth Sports Association, Inc towards the purchase of helmets

BY: Council Members Scott, Tompkins, Chairman Touma

THIS ITEM WAS PULLED

NO ACTION TAKEN

10. Relative to funding Abate Parent Group hosting the Harlem Wizards Basketball Team

BY: Council Members Scott, Tompkins, Chairman Touma

THIS ITEM WAS PULLED

NO ACTION TAKEN

11. Relative to Amending Chapter 501 of the Codified Ordinances entitled "Traffic Generally"

BY: All Council Members

VOTE

	<u>yea</u>	<u>nay</u>	<u>yea</u>	<u>nay</u>
2018- Council Member Kennedy	X			
73 Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

12. Relative to authorizing the implementation & funding in the first instance 100% of the Federal-Aid eligible costs, of a transportation Federal-Aid Project & appropriating funds therefore for PIN 5761.62 Cayuga Dr: Tuscarora Rd. to Niagara Falls East City Line
 BY: All Council Members

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
	Council Member Kennedy	X			
2018-	Council Member Scott	X			
74	Council Member Tompkins	X			
	Council Member Voccio	X			
	Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:		5	0		

LOCAL LAW

13. A Local Law to amend the City Charter as amended.

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
	Council Member Kennedy	X			
2018-	Council Member Scott	X			
75	Council Member Tompkins	X			
	Council Member Voccio	X			
	Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:		5	0		

14. Rainbow Blvd., 223, encroachment, Merani Holdings LLC, Holiday Inn/Anchor Bar

VOTE

		ADD TO AGENDA		APPROVE	
		yea	nay	yea	nay
	Council Member Kennedy	X		X	
	Council Member Scott	X		X	
	Council Member Tompkins	X		X	
	Council Member Voccio	X		X	
	Council Chairman Touma	X		X	
Total:		5	0	5	0