

Minutes
Regular Meeting of Pittsburgh City Council
7:00 P. M., August 10, 2009
City Hall, 200 Rusk Street

Councilmembers Present:

Mayor	Shawn Kennington
Mayor Pro-tem	D.C. Moore
	Sue Sharp
	Fred Cook
	Kendal Burns

Councilmembers Absent: Barbara Ford

City Staff Present:

City Secretary	Margaret Jackson
Chief of Police	Richard Penn
Chief Building Official	Wayne Hadderton

Pittsburg Gazette	Susan Taft
Mt. Pleasant Daily Tribune	Marcia Seale

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Kennington called the meeting to order at 7:00 P.M. and welcomed all present.

2. INVOCATION

Mayor Kennington gave the invocation.

3. PUBLIC HEARING AND APPROVAL

- 3.1 Public Hearing and considered for approval a Resolution Declaring a Violation of the City Code of Ordinance Chapter 3, Article 3.1100 exists on the following:

BURNED STRUCTURE, UNFIT FOR HUMAN HABITATION
230 Fred Street
Pt Blk 46 Lot 01

Councilmember Cook made a motion to give 30 days to comply. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Moore and carried unanimously.

- 3.2 Public Hearing and considered for approval a Resolution Declaring a Violation of the City Code of Ordinance Chapter 3, Article 3.1100 exists on the following:

BURNED STRUCTURE, UNFIT FOR HUMAN HABITATION
415 Elm Street
Pt Blk 17 Lot 01

Councilmember Sharp made a motion to give 30 days to comply. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Moore and carried unanimously.

4. CITY IN GENERAL

- 4.1 Considered for approval an updated Interlocal Agreement with TML

Intergovernmental Employee Benefits Pool for employee health insurance coverage for 2009/2010.

Councilmember Moore made a motion to approve. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Burns and carried unanimously.

- 4.2 Discussed and considered for approval the release or reduction of liens on amount owed on property in order to place back on tax roll.

Councilmember Burns made a motion to table. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Cook and carried unanimously.

5. ORDINANCES/RESOLUTIONS

- 5.1 Considered for approval a Resolution authorizing participation in a coalition of cities known as the Cities Advocating Reasonable Deregulation (CARD) in Docket No. 37162 at the Public Utility Commission of Texas.

Councilmember Cook made a motion to approve. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Sharp and carried unanimously.

- 5.2 Considered for approval an Ordinance to establish an Identity Theft Prevention Program.

Councilmember Sharp made a motion to table. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Moore and carried unanimously.

6. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- 6.1 Regular Meeting of July 13, 2009.
6.2 Called Meeting of July 21, 2009.

Councilmember Cook made a motion to approve. The motion was seconded by Councilmember Sharp and carried unanimously.

7. MAYOR'S REPORT

- 7.1 Discussed removal of private crossing by Union Pacific Railroad going into Old Pump House on Cypress Street.

Mayor reported that the temporary crossing will be put back and then a long term plan will be discussed.

8. BUDGET WORK SESSION

9. ADJOURN

Mayor Kennington adjourned the meeting at 7:19 P.M.

Shawn Kennington, Mayor

Margaret Jackson, City Secretary