

CANTON CITY COUNCIL

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Jonathan Cooks, Ward 6
John Mariol, Ward 7 - **Majority Leader**
Richard Sacco, Ward 8
Frank Morris, Ward 9

Final Agenda
May 13, 2024
7:00 PM

Roll Call: All Members Present

Motion to Excuse Members: Not Necessary

Invocation: Pastor Gregory Reaves, Jesus Speaks Christian Center

Pledge of Allegiance: President Bates Aylward

AGENDA CORRECTIONS & CHANGES: (Suspended Rule 22A to add 2nd Rdg O#9 - O#12)

PUBLIC HEARINGS: None

OLD BUSINESS: None

PUBLIC SPEAKS: Linjun Xu spoke about falsified records within the City of Canton and what the Council planned on doing to prevent that. Barbara Smith spoke about her concerns about how many homes in the city contain lead, including her daughter's home where her grandchildren stay. Ahmed Cheema and Eric Resnick spoke about the ongoing tragedies in Gaza and asked the Council for a ceasefire resolution. They both also gave their condolences to the Tyson Family. Eric Resnick also commended the Council for their public speaks rule changes. Veronica Earley, Skylark Bruce, and Sierra Mason expressed their concerns about the Frank Tyson incident and asked for a change in police policy. David Kerestes spoke about favoritism between members of the Council and the citizens of the city and asked for a change in policies.

INFORMAL RESOLUTIONS: None

COMMUNICATIONS:

1. Req Sale of City Owned Land Reutilization Property to Mary L. Argabright; emergency.
- Economic Development Director Hardesty

2. Req JSC Properties, LLC Community Reinvestment Area (CRA) & Tax Increment Financing (TIF), emergency. - Economic Development Director Hardesty
3. Req Sale of City Owned Land Reutilization Properties to Habitat for Humanity, emergency. - Economic Development Director Hardesty
4. Req appt of Mr. Zachary J. Malloy to the Systems Planning Board commencing 5/20/24 to 5/31/26. - Mayor Sherer
5. Ltr advising of Project Labor Agreement (PLA) Waiver - Civic Center AV Work. - Service Director John Highman

FIRST READINGS:

6. Amend approp O#61/2024; emergency (various supp approps and trfs) - Finance Committee
7. Auth Clerk of Council to certify to County Auditor unpaid and delinquent charges for board up/clean up/demo serves performed by or on behalf of the City of Canton Building and Code Dept; emergency - Finance Committee
8. Auth Auditor to create 5252 Water Service Shop Renovation Funds; amending approp O#61/2024; emergency (supp approp to project fund) - Finance Committee

***Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for First Reading Vote**

SECOND READINGS: (SUSPENDED RULE 22A TO ADD 2ND RDG O#9 - O#12)

9. Auth prof construction contract for oversight services; Execute cost-share agrmt with Perry Township for street paving; Auth to receive grant funds for Perry Hts Area Wtr Main Replacement Phase 2; Establish 5253 Perry Hts Wtr Ph2 Water Main Replacement Fund (supp approp in project fund). - Environmental and Public Utilities and Finance Committee
10. Auth contract for abandonment of Collector Well #3 at Northwest Water Treatment Plan and release of easements; emergency (4125 Salway Avenue NW). - Environmental & Public Utilities Committee
11. Auth agrmt for purch of Stark County Auditor parcel #5200863; emergency (Supp approp for Capital Projects Fund). - Public Property Capital Improvement Committee
12. Auth to renew easement and make payments to U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for 50 year renewal term back-dated to 1/25/24; emergency. - Environmental & Public Utilities Committee

***Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for Second Reading Vote**

THIRD READINGS:

13. **98/2024** Auth to create 2358 C&DD Program Fund; Amend approp O#61/2024; emergency. (inter-fund adv to said fund) - FIN
14. **99/2024** Auth to create 2357 RV Parks/Campground Program Fund; emergency. - FIN
15. **100/2024** Amend O#61/2024; emergency (Supp approp to General Gov't Support Admin) -FIN
16. **101/2024** Amend O#40/2000 to establish Classification Plan for Safety Director's Traffic Engineering DIV; emergency. - PERS
17. **102/2024** Approve City of Canton 2024-2028 Consolidated Action Plan; Auth. filing of plan with U.S. Dept HUD; emergency. - C&ED
18. **103/2024** Auth contract for purchase of one Track Mounted Dozer; emergency (Collection Systems & Water Department). - PPCI
19. **104/2024** Auth change order #2 for 11st SE Intersection and Roadway Improvement Project, GP 1144; emergency. - PS&T
20. **105/2024** Auth to file with HUD 2024 Annual Action Plan, execute grant agrmts and enter into all necessary contracts for 2024 CDBG, HOME, and ESG Grants Program; Amend Approp O#61/2024 (supp approps in Community Development Fund)- C&ED

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Monday, May 20th, 2024 in Council Chambers @ 6:30PM
Finance Committee

Community Building Partnership Presentation

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS: None

ADJOURNMENT: 7:42 PM

THE NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING: MONDAY, MAY 20, 2024 @ 7:00 PM