

# Allegheny County Council

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## Agenda Synopsis

Tuesday, July 11, 2017

5:00 PM

Regular Meeting, Fourth Floor, Gold Room

## County Council

*John DeFazio - President; Nicholas Futules - Vice President; Tom Baker, Patrick Catena, Samuel DeMarco, III, Jim Ellenbogen, Cindy Kirk, Paul*

*Klein, Ed Kress, Bob Macey, Chuck Martoni, Sue Means, John Palmiere, Denise Ranalli-Russell and DeWitt Walton - Members*

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**I. Call To Order**

**II. Pledge of Allegiance**

**III. Silent Prayer or Reflection**

**IV. Roll Call**

**Council Members** 13 - DeMarco , DeFazio, Futules, Martoni, Means, Palmiere, Ranalli-Russell, Kirk,

**Present:** Walton, Klein, Baker, Baker and Catena

**Council Members** 1 - Macey

**Absent:**

**V. Proclamations/Certificates**

[10244-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Baker and Council Member DeMarco

**Presented**

[10245-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Baker

**Read**

[10246-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Baker

**Read**

[10247-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Means

**Read**

[10248-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Palmiere

**Read**

[10250-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Means

**Read**

[10251-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Means

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[10252-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Means

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[10253-17](#)

**Sponsors:** Council Member Means

**Read**

## VI. Public Comment On Agenda Items

## VII. Approval of Minutes

## VIII. Presentation of Appointments

## IX. Unfinished Business

### Committee on Economic Development & Housing - Second Reading

[10235-17](#)

A Resolution of the Council of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, made pursuant to the Local Economic Revitalization Tax Assistance Act ("LERTA"), Pa. Stat. Ann. tit. 72, §4722 *et. seq.* (1995), as amended, providing for: a program of temporary exemption from increases in Allegheny County Real Property Taxes, for specified time periods, resulting from improvements made by an owner of property located within the Second Ward of the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, generally known as the Strip District Neighborhood, previously determined to be a deteriorated area; establishing a schedule for exempting increases in Allegheny County property taxes resulting from such improvements; and prescribing the requirements and procedures by which an owner of property located within the deteriorated area can secure the temporary exemption resulting from such improvements.

**Sponsors:** Chief Executive

**Passed for Chief Executive Signature**

**Council Members Yes:** 14 - DeMarco , DeFazio, Ellenbogen, Futules, Kress, Martoni, Means, Palmiere, Ranalli-Russell, Kirk, Walton, Klein, Baker and Catena

**Council Members** 1 - Macey

**Absent:**

[10236-17](#)

A resolution of the County Council of Allegheny authorizing the development of a Tax Increment Financing Plan for the Terminal Building for Smallman Street in the Strip District of the City of Pittsburgh.

**Sponsors:** Chief Executive

**Passed for Chief Executive Signature**

**Council Members Yes:** 14 - DeMarco , DeFazio, Ellenbogen, Futules, Kress, Martoni, Means, Palmiere, Ranalli-Russell, Kirk, Walton, Klein, Baker and Catena

**Council Members** 1 - Macey  
**Absent:**

**Committee on Public Works - Second Reading**

[10233-17](#) An Ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania authorizing the grant of a temporary license to The Pittsburgh Three Rivers Regatta Inc. for the purpose of staging a craft and food vendor market on the Roberto Clemente Bridge (6th Street) Bridge as part of The Three Rivers Regatta between Friday, August 4, 2017 until Monday, August 7, 2017.

**Sponsors:** Chief Executive

**Passed for Chief Executive Signature**

**Council Members Yes:** 14 - DeMarco , DeFazio, Ellenbogen, Futules, Kress, Martoni, Means, Palmiere, Ranalli-Russell, Kirk, Walton, Klein, Baker and Catena

**Council Members** 1 - Macey  
**Absent:**

[10234-17](#) An Ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, authorizing Cinatit LLC to use certain County-owned real and personal property in connection with filming a motion picture.

**Sponsors:** Chief Executive

**Passed for Chief Executive Signature**

**Council Members Yes:** 14 - DeMarco , DeFazio, Ellenbogen, Futules, Kress, Martoni, Means, Palmiere, Ranalli-Russell, Kirk, Walton, Klein, Baker and Catena

**Council Members** 1 - Macey  
**Absent:**

**X. Liaison Reports**

**XI. New Business - Ordinances & Resolutions**

**XII. New Business - Motions**

[10254-17](#) Motion of the Council of Allegheny County urging the administration at the University of Pittsburgh should pledge to remain neutral with respect to the faculty and graduate employees free exercise of their right to form unions, and to refrain from undertaking any activities, including but not limited to, the use of public funds or tuition dollars, to in any way impede or in any other way influence the ability of graduate employees and/or faculty to engage in free and open dialogue about their collective bargaining rights.

**Sponsors:** Council Member Ellenbogen, Council Member DeFazio and Council Member Futules

**Passed**

**Council Members Yes:** 9 - DeFazio, Ellenbogen, Futules, Kress, Martoni, Palmiere, Ranalli-Russell, Walton and Catena

**Council Members No:** 4 - DeMarco , Means, Kirk and Baker

**Council Members Abstain:** 1 - Klein

**Council Members Absent:** 1 - Macey

**XIII. Notification of Contracts**

[10249-17](#) Communication summarizing approved Executive Actions from June 1 through June 30, 2017.  
Received and Filed

**XIV. Public Comment on General Items**

**XV. Adjournment**