

Allegheny County Council

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Regular Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, January 20, 2009

5:00 PM

Regular Meeting, Fourth Floor, Gold Room

County Council

Rich Fitzgerald, President; Chuck Martoni, Vice-President; Jim Burn, Joan Cleary, John DeFazio, Matt Drozd, Jim Ellenbogen, Mike Finnerty, Nick Futules, Vince Gastgeb, Amanda Green, Bob Macey, Chuck McCullough, Jan Rea, and William Russell Robinson - Members

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PA 15219 Phone: 412-350-6495, or on Council's web site:

www.county.allegheny.pa.us/council.

- I. Call To Order**
- II. Pledge of Allegiance**
- III. Silent Prayer or Reflection**
- IV. Roll Call**
- V. Proclamations/Certificates**

[4570-09](#) Proclamation recognizing and commending news reporter Mr. Andy Gastmeyer upon the occasion of his retirement

Sponsors: Joan Cleary

[4571-09](#) Proclamation declaring January 2009 as “Cervical Cancer Awareness Month” in Allegheny County.

Sponsors: Joan Cleary

[4572-09](#) Certificate of Achievement congratulating the Bethel Park High School Football Team for earning the 2008 WPIAL Class AAAA Championship and as runner-up at the PIAA Championship.

Sponsors: Vince Gastgeb

[4573-09](#) Proclamation naming January 2009 as “National Mentoring Month” in Allegheny County.

Sponsors: Amanda Green

[4574-09](#) Proclamation recognizing and thanking the volunteers that decorated Hartwood Mansion for the 2008 holiday season.

Sponsors: Jan Rea and Nick Futules

[4575-09](#) Proclamation recognizing the late Paul Shannon and the 50th anniversary of the return of “The Three Stooges” in Pittsburgh.

Sponsors: Chuck McCullough and Jim Ellenbogen

[4576-09](#) Certificate of Recognition thanking Mr. and Mrs. Nick Vay for their many years of public service.

Sponsors: Bob Macey

To be entered into the Record

[4577-09](#) Certificate of Recognition congratulating Mr. and Mrs. William Snyder on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Sponsors: Bob Macey

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[4578-09](#) Certificate of Recognition thanking Mr. and Mrs. John Posipanka for their many years of public service.

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[4579-09](#) Certificate of Recognition congratulating the Lincoln Borough Volunteer Fire and Rescue Company upon the occasion of their 60th anniversary.

Sponsors: Bob Macey

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[4580-09](#) Certificate of Recognition awarded to the Blaine Hill Volunteer Firefighters for their many years of public service.

Sponsors: Bob Macey

To be entered into the Record

[4581-09](#) Proclamation declaring November 22nd as “Bethel Park High School Football Day” in Allegheny County in recognition of Bethel Park High School Football Team winning the WPIAL Championship game at Heinz Field.

Sponsors: Vince Gastgeb

To be entered into the Record

[4582-09](#) Certificate of Achievement congratulating the 2008 South Brook Middle School Girls' Softball Team for winning the City League championship.

Sponsors: Jim Ellenbogen

To be entered into the Record

[4583-09](#) Proclamation recognizing and thanking Judge Lawrence W. Kaplan upon the occasion of his retirement from the Allegheny County Court of Common Pleas.

Sponsors: Rich Fitzgerald

To be entered into the Record

[4584-09](#) Certificate of Achievement recognizing BSA Troop 380 scout Frederic Ernsberger for earning the rank of Eagle Scout.

Sponsors: Rich Fitzgerald

To be entered into the Record

[4585-09](#) Certificate of Achievement recognizing BSA Troop 830 scout Michael Walker for earning the rank of Eagle Scout.

Sponsors: Michael Finnerty

To be entered into the Record

VI. Public Comment On Agenda Items

VII. Approval of Minutes

- [4566-09](#) Motion to approve the Minutes of the Regular Meetings of County Council held on December 16, 2008 and January 6, 2009.

VIII. Unfinished Business**Committee on Economic Development & Housing - Second Reading**

- [4549-09](#) An Ordinance authorizing the County of Allegheny to accept certain real estate/rights of way from Tech 21 Partners, LLC in connection with a Local-Public Agency Right of Way Acquisition Agreement for the widening of Warrendale-Bayne Road-Route 19 and Brush Creek Road-Thorn Hill Road in Marshall Township, Allegheny County, Pennsylvania and said Agreement.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

Legislative History

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| 1/6/09 | County Council | Referred |
| 1/13/09 | Committee on Economic Development & Housing | Affirmatively Recommended |

Committee on Public Works - Second Reading

- [4561-09](#) An Ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, authorizing the disposition of a county-owned vehicle to the West Mifflin Area School District for use in its Junior ROTC Program.

Sponsors: Bob Macey

Legislative History

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| 1/6/09 | County Council | Referred |
| 1/13/09 | Committee on Public Works | Affirmatively Recommended |

IX. Liaison Reports**X. New Business - Ordinances & Resolutions**

- [4567-09](#) An Ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending and supplementing the Allegheny County Code of Ordinances, Division 2, entitled "County Government Operations," by the addition of a new Chapter 219 entitled "Campaign Finance Regulation."

Sponsors: Chief Executive

- [4569-09](#) A Resolution of the County of Allegheny amending the Grants and Special Accounts Budget for 2009 (Submission #01-09).

Sponsors: Chief Executive

XI. New Business - Motions

XII. Public Comment on General Items

XIII. Adjournment