

Allegheny County Council

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Agenda Synopsis

Tuesday, December 2, 2025

5:00 PM

Regular Meeting, Fourth Floor, Gold Room

County Council

Patrick Catena - President; Jack Betkowski, Jordan Botta, Suzanne Filiaggi, Nick Futules, Daniel Grzybek, Bethany Hallam, Paul Klein, Bob Macey, Michelle Naccarati-Chapkis, John Palmiere, Robert Palmosina, Anita Prizio, Alex Rose, and DeWitt Walton - Members

I. Call To Order**II. Pledge of Allegiance****III. Silent Prayer or Reflection****IV. Roll Call**

Council Members 12 - Betkowski, Botta, Catena, Filiaggi, Futules, Grzybek, Hallam, Macey,
Present: Naccarati-Chapkis, Palmosina, Rose and Walton
Council Members 1 - Prizio
Absent:
Council Members 2 - Klein and Palmiere
Phone:

V. Proclamations/Certificates[13740-25](#)

A proclamation recognizing Wilkins Township Commissioner Sylvia Martinelli for her dedicated years of public service.

Sponsors: Council Member Futules

This proclamation was read into the record.

VI. Public Comment On Agenda Items**VII. Approval of Minutes****VIII. Presentation of Appointments****IX. Unfinished Business****Committee on Budget and Finance - Second Reading**[13682-25](#)

An Ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania establishing the tax levy upon all real property subject to taxation within the limits of Allegheny County for Fiscal Year 2026.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Council Member Palmosina, seconded by Council Member Macey, that this matter be Passed for Chief Executive Signature. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 12 - Betkowski, Botta, Catena, Filiaggi, Futules, Grzybek, Hallam, Macey,
Naccarati-Chapkis, Palmosina, Rose and Walton
Council Members 1 - Prizio
Absent:
Council Members Yes 2 - Klein and Palmiere
Phone:

[13734-25](#)

An Ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending the existing fee schedule of various rates and fees established by County Departments.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

Mr. Gryzbek moved to waive the Rule of Council governing advance notice of amendments in order to consider Amendment Innamorato 1. Ms. Hallam seconded, and the motion passed unanimously via voice vote.

Mr. Grzybek then moved to adopt Amendment Innamorato 1, Ms. Hallam seconded, and the motion passed with Mr. Botta, Ms. Filiaggi, Mr. Futules, Mr. Grzybek, Ms. Hallam, Mr. Klein, Mr. Macey, Ms. Naccarati-Chapkis, Mr. Palmiere, Mr. Rose, Mr. Walton and Mr. Catena voting in favor, and Mr. Betkowski voting against.

A motion was made by Council Member Palmosina, seconded by Council Member Grzybek, that this matter be Passed for Chief Executive Signature. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 12 - Betkowski, Botta, Catena, Filiaggi, Futules, Grzybek, Hallam, Macey, Naccarati-Chapkis, Palmosina, Rose and Walton

Council Members Absent: 1 - Prizio

Council Members Yes Phone: 2 - Klein and Palmiere

[13683-25](#)

A Resolution of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, adopting an Operating Budget pursuant to Article IV, §2 and Article VII, §4 of the Home Rule Charter, by setting forth appropriations to pay the expenses of conducting the public business of Allegheny County and for meeting debt charges for the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2026 (2026 Fiscal Year).

Sponsors: Chief Executive

Mr. Gryzbek moved to waive the Rule of Council governing advance notice of amendments in order to consider Amendment Innamorato 1. Ms. Naccarati-Chapkis seconded, and the motion passed unanimously via voice vote.

Mr. Grzybek then moved to adopt Amendment Innamorato 1, Mr. Macey seconded, and the motion passed with Mr. Botta, Ms. Filiaggi, Mr. Futules, Mr. Grzybek, Ms. Hallam, Mr. Klein, Mr. Macey, Ms. Naccarati-Chapkis, Mr. Palmiere, Mr. Rose, Mr. Walton and Mr. Catena voting in favor, and Mr. Betkowski voting against.

A motion was made by Council Member Palmosina, seconded by Council Member Macey, that this matter be Passed for Chief Executive Signature. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 12 - Betkowski, Botta, Catena, Filiaggi, Futules, Grzybek, Hallam, Macey, Naccarati-Chapkis, Palmosina, Rose and Walton

Council Members Absent: 1 - Prizio

Council Members Yes Phone: 2 - Klein and Palmiere

[13684-25](#)

Resolution of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, adopting a Capital Budget pursuant to Article IV, §2 and Article VII, §4 of the Home Rule Charter by setting forth appropriations to pay the expenses for capital expenditures during the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2026 (2026 Fiscal Year).

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Council Member Palmosina, seconded by Council Member Macey, that this matter be Passed for Chief Executive Signature. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 12 - Betkowski, Botta, Catena, Filiaggi, Futules, Grzybek, Hallam, Macey, Naccarati-Chapkis, Palmosina, Rose and Walton

Council Members Absent: 1 - Prizio

Council Members Yes Phone: 2 - Klein and Palmiere

[13685-25](#)

Resolution of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania adopting the Grants Budget, Special Accounts Budget, and Agency Fund Budget, by setting forth appropriations to pay said expenses during the fiscal year beginning January 1, 2026 and ending December 31, 2026 (2026 Fiscal Year).

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Council Member Palmosina, seconded by Council Member Filiaggi, that this matter be Passed for Chief Executive Signature. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 12 - Betkowski, Botta, Catena, Filiaggi, Futules, Grzybek, Hallam, Macey, Naccarati-Chapkis, Palmosina, Rose and Walton

Council Members Absent: 1 - Prizio

Council Members Yes Phone: 2 - Klein and Palmiere

X. Liaison Reports

XI. New Business - Ordinances & Resolutions

[13738-25](#)

An ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending the Administrative Code of Allegheny County, Part 2, entitled "Organization and Structure of County Government," Article 201, entitled "Organization of County Government," in order to establish a protocol for expeditious autopsies of individuals who died in the custody of the Allegheny County Jail.

Sponsors: Council Member Hallam and Council Member Macey

This bill was referred to the Committee on Public Safety.

[13739-25](#) A Resolution of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania establishing goals and objectives for the creation of an Air Fees Relief Program by the Allegheny County Board of Health.

Sponsors: Council Member Catena and Council Member Macey

This bill was referred to the Committee on Health & Human Services.

[13741-25](#) An Ordinance of the Council of the County of Allegheny ratifying amendments to §2105.21, "Coke Ovens and Coke Oven Gas," of the Allegheny County Health Department Rules and Regulations, Article XXI, "Air Pollution Control."

Sponsors: Chief Executive

This bill was withdrawn.

[13742-25](#) An Ordinance of the Council of the County of Allegheny ratifying the revisions of Article XV of the Allegheny County Health Department Rules and Regulation concerning Plumbing and Building Drainage.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

This bill was referred to the Committee on Health & Human Services.

[13743-25](#) An Ordinance of the Council of the County of Allegheny ratifying the revisions of Article VI of the Allegheny County Health Department Rules and Regulation concerning Houses and Community Environment.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

This bill was withdrawn.

[13744-25](#) A Resolution of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, granting permission for the County of Allegheny to execute a 25-year lease renewal with Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall And Museum Trust Incorporated pertaining to the operation and maintenance of the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Hall and Museum located at 4141 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15213.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

This bill was referred to the Committee on Public Works.

[13745-25](#) A Resolution providing for a program of temporary exemption from County real property taxes for improvements, including repairs, construction, or reconstruction, made on industrial, commercial or business property in a deteriorated area in the City of Pittsburgh, County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, pursuant to the Local Economic Revitalization Tax Assistance Act, Pa. Stat. Ann. tit 72 §4722 et seq.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

This bill was referred to the Committee on Economic Development and Job Creation.

XII. New Business - Motions

XIII. Notification of Contracts

XIV. Public Comment on General Items

XV. Adjournment

A motion was made by Council Member Macey, seconded by Council Member Grzybek, that this matter be Approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.