

Allegheny County Council

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Meeting Agenda - Approved

Wednesday, April 24, 2024

5:00 PM

Regular Meeting, Fourth Floor, Gold Room

County Council

Patrick Catena - President; Jack Betkowski, David Bonaroti, Samuel DeMarco, III, Suzanne Filiaggi, Nick Futules, Daniel Grzybek, Bethany Hallam, Paul Klein, Bob Macey, Michelle Naccarati-Chapkis, John Palmiere, Robert Palmosina, Anita Prizio, and DeWitt Walton - Members

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

[13019-24](#) A proclamation declaring April 30, 2024 to be National Therapy Animal Day in Allegheny County.

Sponsors: Council Member Catena and All Members of Council
To be presented.

[13020-24](#) A proclamation congratulating Mr. Jared Latchaw for being named the 2024 Big Brother of the Year.

Sponsors: Council Member DeMarco and Council Member Bonaroti
To be presented.

[13021-24](#) A proclamation congratulating Ms. Lindsay Litterini for being named the 2024 Big Sister of the Year.

Sponsors: Council Member DeMarco and Council Member Futules
To be presented.

[13022-24](#) A proclamation recognizing Women's Law Project upon the occasion of their 50th Anniversary.

Sponsors: Council Member Catena, Council Member Betkowski, Council Member Hallam, Council Member Grzybek and Council Member Prizio
To be presented.

[13023-24](#) A proclamation recognizing BOOM Concepts upon the occasion of their 10th Anniversary.

Sponsors: Council Member Hallam
To be presented.

[13024-24](#) A proclamation declaring April 28, 2024 to be Workers' Memorial Day in Allegheny County.

Sponsors: Council Member Palmosina
To be read into the record.

[13025-24](#) A proclamation proclaiming April 2024 as Arab American Heritage Month in Allegheny County.

Sponsors: Council Member Grzybek
To be read into the record.

[13026-24](#) A proclamation proclaiming April 2024 as Autism Acceptance Month in

Allegheny County.

Sponsors:

Council Member Grzybek

To be read into the record.

VI. Public Comment On Agenda Items

VII. Approval of Minutes

[13018-24](#)

Motion to approve the minutes of the March 19, 2024 regular meeting of Council.

VIII. Presentation of Appointments

[13003-24](#)

Approving the re-appointment of Bernadette Fincke to the Friends of the Park for South Park for a term to run through July 6, 2027.

Sponsors:

Council Member Grzybek

[13004-24](#)

Approving the re-appointment of Angela Sue Zemba to the Friends of the Park for South Park for a term to run through July 6, 2027.

Sponsors:

Council Member Grzybek

[13005-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Corey Seymour to the Friends of the Park for Hartwood Acres for a term to run through April 24, 2027.

Sponsors:

Council Member Klein

[13006-24](#)

Approving the re-appointment of Richard Snipe to the Board of Property Assessment Appeals and Review for a term to run through June 30, 2027.

Sponsors:

Council Member Walton

[13008-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Barata Bey to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

[13009-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Blayre I. Britton to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

[13010-24](#)

Approving the re-appointment of Brian Burley to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) Advisory Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

[13011-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Cameil Williams to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) Advisory Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

[13012-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Guillermo Velazquez to the Minority, Women

and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) Advisory Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

13013-24

Approving the appointment of Kanak Iyer to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) Advisory Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

13014-24

Approving the appointment of Melanie Marie Boyer to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) Advisory Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

13015-24

Approving the re-appointment of Roxanne Sewell to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) Advisory Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

13016-24

Approving the re-appointment of Tim Stevens to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) Advisory Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

13017-24

Approving the appointment of Victoria Snyder to the Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (MWDBE) Advisory Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

IX. Unfinished Business

Committee on Appointment Review - Second Reading

12957-24

Approving the appointment of Sharon Adams to the Friends of the Parks, South Park for a term to be effective through March 19, 2027.

Sponsors:

Council Member Palmiere

Legislative History

3/19/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Affirmatively Recommended

12958-24

Approving the appointment of Daniel Connolly to the Allegheny County Airport Authority for a term effective through December 31, 2029.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
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4/17/24 Committee on Appointment Affirmatively Recommended
Review

[12959-24](#) Approving the re-appointment of Darrin Kelly to the Allegheny County Sanitary Authority for a term effective through December 31, 2029.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24 County Council Referred to the Committee on Appointment
Review

4/17/24 Committee on Appointment Affirmatively Recommended
Review

[12960-24](#) Approving the re-appointment of Paul Klein to the Allegheny County Sanitary Authority for a term effective through December 31, 2029.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24 County Council Referred to the Committee on Appointment
Review

4/17/24 Committee on Appointment Affirmatively Recommended
Review

[12961-24](#) Approving the appointment of Diamonte Walker to the Redevelopment Authority of Allegheny County a term effective through April 9, 2029.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24 County Council Referred to the Committee on Appointment
Review

4/17/24 Committee on Appointment Affirmatively Recommended
Review

[12962-24](#) Approving the re-appointment of Dusty Elias Kirk to the Regional Asset District Board for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24 County Council Referred to the Committee on Appointment
Review

4/17/24 Committee on Appointment Affirmatively Recommended
Review

[12963-24](#) Approving the appointment of Monica Malik to the Regional Asset District Board for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24 County Council Referred to the Committee on Appointment
Review

4/17/24 Committee on Appointment Affirmatively Recommended
Review

[12964-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Jesse DiRenna to the Southwestern Pennsylvania Commission for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Affirmatively Recommended

[12965-24](#)

Approving the re-appointment of Robert Macey to the Southwestern Pennsylvania Commission for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Negatively Recommended

[12967-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Jamilah Ducar to the Regional Asset District Board for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

3/19/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Affirmatively Recommended

[12983-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Dora Walmsley to the Redevelopment Authority of Allegheny County for a term effective through April 24, 2029.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

4/9/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Affirmatively Recommended

[12984-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Diamonte Walker to the Allegheny County Industrial Development Authority, the Allegheny County Hospital Development Authority, the Allegheny County Higher Education Building Authority, and the Allegheny County Residential Finance Authority for a term effective through April 9, 2029. Also, approving the appointment of Diamonte Walker to the Authority for Improvements in Municipalities for a term effective through April 9, 2029.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

4/9/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Affirmatively Recommended

[12985-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Kyle Chintalapalli to the Allegheny County Industrial Development Authority, the Allegheny County Hospital Development Authority, the Allegheny County Higher Education Building Authority, and the Allegheny County Residential Finance Authority for a term effective through December 31, 2028. Also, approving the appointment of Kyle Chintalapalli to the Authority for Improvements in Municipalities for a term effective through December 31, 2028..

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

4/9/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Affirmatively Recommended

[12986-24](#)

Approving the appointment of Michael A. Gable to the Professional Services Review Committee for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

4/9/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Affirmatively Recommended

[12987-24](#)

Approving the re-appointment of Jennifer M. Liptak to the Retirement Board of Allegheny County for a term effective through December 31, 2028.

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

4/9/24	County Council	Referred to the Committee on Appointment Review
4/17/24	Committee on Appointment Review	Affirmatively Recommended

Committee on Assessment Practices - Second Reading[12915-24](#)

An ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending Article 209 of the Administrative Code of Allegheny County, entitled "Office of Property Assessments," §5-209.05, entitled "Chief Assessment Officer, duties and responsibilities," in order to establish a mechanism for ensuring continuity in the Chief Assessment Officer position.

Sponsors:

Council Member Catena

Legislative History

1/23/24	County Council	Referred by Chair to the Committee on Assessment Practices
2/7/24	Committee on Assessment Practices	Amended and Affirmatively Recommended as Amended
2/20/24	County Council	Held
3/5/24	County Council	Referred by Chair to the Committee on Assessment Practices
4/18/24	Committee on Assessment Practices	Returned Without Recommendation

Committee on Budget & Finance - Second Reading**12999-24**

A Resolution of the County of Allegheny amending the Grants and Special Accounts Budget for 2024 (Submission #02-24).

Sponsors:

Chief Executive

Legislative History

4/9/24	County Council	Referred by Chair to the Committee on Budget and Finance
4/18/24	Committee on Budget and Finance	Affirmatively Recommended

X. Liaison Reports**XI. New Business - Ordinances & Resolutions****13027-24**

An ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending the Administrative Code of Allegheny County, Article 210, entitled "Assessment Standards and Practices," in order to provide for periodic Countywide reassessments as required by Commonwealth law.

Sponsors:

Council Member Hallam

XII. New Business - Motions**13028-24**

Motion of the Council of Allegheny County authorizing a public hearing, pursuant to §801.05 of the Administrative Code on Wednesday, May 22, 2024, at 5:00 pm in the Gold Room of the Allegheny County Courthouse.

Sponsors:

Council Member Catena

XIII. Notification of Contracts**XIV. Public Comment on General Items****XV. Adjournment**

