

REGULAR MEETING OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY COUNCIL

**Louis L. Redding City/County Building
City/County Council Chambers
800 French Street, Wilmington, DE 19801**

AGENDA

January 14, 2014

6:30 p.m.

- A. Call to Order
Moment of Silence
Pledge of Allegiance
Roll Call**
- B. Approval of Minutes**
- C. Announcements**
- D. Introduction of Ordinances**

°14-001: AMEND THE PAY PLANS AND RATES OF PAY FOR NON-UNION CLASSIFIED SERVICE EMPLOYEES – REMOVE THE PAY PLAN AND RATES OF PAY FOR NON-UNION CLASSIFIED SERVICE EMPLOYEES HIRED ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 2011. Introduced by: Mr. Bullock

°14-002: AMEND THE PAY PLAN AND RATES OF PAY FOR CLASSIFIED SERVICE EMPLOYEES REPRESENTED BY THE DELAWARE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES COUNCIL 81, AFSCME (AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE, COUNTY, AND MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES) (AFL-CIO), AND ITS AFFILIATE LOCAL 459, BY AMENDING THE PAY GRADE AND RATES OF PAY FOR THE POSITION OF CLASSIFICATIONS OF PIPELAYER AND ELECTRICIAN. Introduced by: Mr. Bullock

°14-003: TO AMEND NEW CASTLE COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 2 (“ADMINISTRATION”) CONCERNING COUNTY ATTORNEY OR DESIGNEE APPROVAL OF EXECUTIVE BRANCH GENERATED LEGISLATION AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

°14-004: TO AMEND THE FEE PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THE REGISTER OF WILLS BY WAIVING THE FEE FOR SAFEKEEPING OF WILLS FOR MEMBERS OF THE DELAWARE NATIONAL GUARD. Introduced by: Mr. Smiley, Mr. Cartier

°14-005: AMEND THE FY2014 APPROVED OPERATING BUDGET: REALIGN THE FY2014 APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LAND USE BY TRANSFERRING \$300,000 FROM SALARIES AND WAGES TO CONTRACTUAL SERVICES FUND PLANNING CONSULTING SERVICES. Introduced by: Mr. Tackett, Mr. Reda

°14-006: TO AMEND NEW CASTLE COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 2 (“ADMINISTRATION”), DIVISION 2.03.100 (“THE CODE OF ETHICS”), REGARDING DEFINITIONS AND STATEMENTS OF FINANCIAL INTERESTS. Introduced by: Mr. Smiley, Mr. Weiner, Mr. Bullock

°14-007: TO AMEND NEW CASTLE COUNTY CODE CHAPTER 2, (“ADMINISTRATION”), ARTICLE 3 (“OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES”), REGARDING THE CODE OF CONDUCT SECTION OF THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY CODE OF ETHICS. Introduced by: Mr. Smiley, Mr. Weiner, Mr. Bullock

°14-008: TO PROVIDE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF GRANVILLE STREET LIGHTS WITH STANDARD POLES IN THE DARLEY GREEN SUBDIVISION BLOCKS A,B,D,E1, AND S, LOCATED IN BRANDYWINE HUNDRED, AND FOR A LIGHT TAX BASED ON THE COST OF SAID STREET LIGHTS. Introduced by: Mr. Cartier

°14-009: TO PROVIDE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF GRANVILLE STREET LIGHTS WITH STANDARD POLES IN THE DARLEY GREEN SUBDIVISION BLOCK E2, LOCATED IN BRANDYWINE HUNDRED, AND FOR A LIGHT TAX BASED ON THE COST OF SAID STREET LIGHTS. Introduced by: Mr. Cartier

°14-010: TO PROVIDE FOR THE INSTALLATION OF GRANVILLE STREET LIGHTS WITH STANDARD POLES IN THE DARLEY GREEN SUBDIVISION BLOCKS B4 and I, LOCATED IN BRANDYWINE HUNDRED, AND FOR A LIGHT TAX BASED ON THE COST OF SAID STREET LIGHTS. Introduced by: Mr. Cartier

°14-011: TO ABATE THE WILLS FOR SAFEKEEPING FEE FOR THE DAY OF JANUARY 20, 2014. Introduced by: Mr. Smiley, Mr. Cartier

E. Reports from Select and Special Committees

F. Consent Calendar

NOTE: If an item on the Consent Calendar is objected to by a Council member, or a member of the public wishes to obtain additional information about the candidate or proposed legislation, or if a Councilmember intends to offer an amendment to a resolution, seek additional information, or state a conflict, it shall be removed from the Consent Calendar and voted upon separately.

R14-001: EXTENDING CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY AND FRIENDS OF MRS. WILLIEN HARRIS. Introduced by: Mr. Street

R14-002: HONORING THE LIFE OF WILLIAM F. SHAHAN, JR. Introduced by: Mr. Bullock, All of Council

R14-003: HONORING THE LIFE OF LOUISE F. STAATS POORE AND EXPRESSING CONDOLENCES TO HER FAMILY AND FRIENDS. Introduced by: Mr. Powers

R14-004: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING LIEUTENANT FLOYD E. WILEY, Jr. ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-005: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING LIEUTENANT FRANKLIN R. ROBINSON ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-006: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING SENIOR CORPORAL GERALD "MARTY" CAPASSO ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-007: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING SENIOR CORPORAL WARREN MICHAEL PINKETT ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-008: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING SENIOR CORPORAL JOHN C. DALE ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-009: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING SENIOR CORPORAL COLLEEN T. STANTON ON HER RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-010: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING SENIOR LIEUTENANT WENDY L. HUDSON ON HER RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-011: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING MAJOR MARK HITCH ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-012: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING LIEUTENANT PHILLIP H. HILL ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-013: CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING SENIOR CORPORAL MARY A. FRISWELL ON HER RETIREMENT FROM THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bell

R14-014: COMMENDING PASQUALE S. CANZANO, P.E., BCEE FOR HIS REMARKABLE SERVICE WITH THE DELAWARE SOLID WASTE AUTHORITY. Introduced by: Mr. Sheldon

R14-015: CONGRATULATING NICHOLAS WALTERS ON EARNING THE ROYAL RANGER GOLD MEDAL OF ACHIEVEMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Powers

R14-016: CONGRATULATING TUCKER WHITEMAN ELLIS FOR ACHIEVING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

R14-017: CONGRATULATING HAYS WILLIAM FAULKNER FOR ACHIEVING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

R14-018: CONGRATULATING JOSHUA MUNDAY FOR ACHIEVING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

R14-019: CONGRATULATING ZACHARY PENDLEY FOR ACHIEVING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

R14-020: CONGRATULATING BRADFORD LINCOLN SMITH FOR ACHIEVING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

R14-021: CONGRATULATING MATTHEW STONE FOR ACHIEVING THE RANK OF EAGLE SCOUT. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

R14-022: APPOINTING CHRISTOPHER SIMON TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY ETHICS COMMISSION AND TO CLARIFY HIS STATUS AS A COUNCIL APPOINTEE. Introduced by: Ms. Kilpatrick

R14-023: APPOINTING SCOTT SAUNDERS TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY DIVERSITY COMMISSION. Introduced by: Mr. Bullock, Mr. Powers

R14-024: APPOINTING STEPHANIE AVINGER TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD. Introduced by: Mr. Bullock, Ms. Kilpatrick

R14-025: REAPPOINTING MIGUEL GONZALEZ TO THE NEW CASTLE COUNTY ETHICS COMMISSION. Introduced by: Mr. Powers, Mr. Weiner

G. Presentations

H. Consideration of Resolutions Removed from the Consent Calendar and Other Resolutions

R14-026: AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE TO SIGN THE DELAWARE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES COUNCIL 81, AFSCME (AMERICAN FEDERATION OF STATE, COUNTY AND MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES) (AFL-CIO), AND ITS AFFILIATE LOCAL 459, COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT. Introduced by: Mr. Bullock

R14-027: REQUESTS THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE IMPLEMENT BOTH LIVE AND DELAYED BROADCASTS OF ALL NEW CASTLE COUNTY COUNCIL MEETINGS. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

R14-028: TO AMEND RULE 4 (“REGULAR COUNCIL MEETINGS”), SECTION 4.1 (“IN GENERAL”) OF THE RULES OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF NEW CASTLE COUNTY TO INCLUDE NOTICE THAT ALL REGULAR MEETING OF COUNTY COUNCIL ARE BROADCAST AND STREAMED. Introduced by: Mr. Weiner

R14-029: APPROVING THE REFUND OF TAXES PAID IN ERROR ON PARCEL # 1401200027. Introduced by: Mr. Smiley, Mr. Cartier

I. Consideration of Ordinances

°13-102: AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE \$36,602 IN ADDITIONAL FY2014 FEDERAL FUNDING TO THE HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (HOME) WHICH IS ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES. Introduced by: Mr. Hollins, Ms. Diller

°13-103: AMEND THE GRANTS BUDGET: APPROPRIATE \$229,854 IN ADDITIONAL FEDERAL FUNDING FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT TO THE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT FY 2014 ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY SERVICES. Introduced by: Mr. Hollins, Ms. Diller

J. Time Sensitive Congratulatory/Honorary Resolutions

K. Introduction/Consideration of Emergency Ordinances

L. Public Comment/Other

M. Motion to Adjourn