



# Allegheny County Council

## Matter Summary

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File Number	Title	Status
2425-06	<b>Motion</b>  Motion of the Council of Allegheny County adopting Rules of Council for Allegheny County Council  <b>Sponsors:</b> Executive Committee, Chuck Martoni, John DeFazio, Brenda Frazier, Vince Gastgeb and Jan Rea  <b>Introduced:</b> 2/21/2006 <b>Controlling Body:</b> Executive Committee <b>Approved by Council:</b> 6/20/2006	<b>Approved</b>
2428-06	<b>Motion</b>  Motion expressing the sense of Council of Allegheny County and urging the Board of Elections not to consider electronic voting systems manufactured by Diebold, Inc. as viable alternatives for Allegheny County's move to a HAVA-compliant voting system.  <b>Sponsors:</b> Rich Fitzgerald, William Russell Robinson, Jim Burn, Joan Cleary, Michael Finnerty, Brenda Frazier, C.L. Jabbour, Chuck Martoni and Rich Nerone  <b>Introduced:</b> 2/21/2006 <b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council <b>Approved by Council:</b> 2/21/2006	<b>Approved</b>
2429-06	<b>Motion</b>  Motion expressing the sense of Council of Allegheny County that the newly created Rules and Regulations Governing Appeals of property assessments are consistent with the application of a base year methodology and, therefore, in compliance with the requirements of Ordinance No. 52-05.  <b>Sponsors:</b> Rich Fitzgerald  <b>Introduced:</b> 2/21/2006 <b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council <b>Approved by Council:</b> 2/21/2006	<b>Approved</b>
2461-06	<b>Motion</b>  Motion expressing the sense of Council of Allegheny County urging the Pennsylvania General Assembly to consider amending the New Home Construction Local Tax Abatement Act, 72 P.S. §§4754-1 through 4754-6, also known as Act 202.  <b>Sponsors:</b> Jan Rea, Joan Cleary, Michael Finnerty, Jim Burn, Brenda Frazier, Matt Drozd and Chuck Martoni  <b>Introduced:</b> 3/7/2006 <b>Controlling Body:</b> Special Committee on Property Assessments <b>Approved by Council:</b> 5/2/2006	<b>Approved</b>
2462-06	<b>Motion</b>  Motion of the Council of Allegheny County amending the language contained within Appointment No. 2263-05 pertaining to the term of Lois Cain, an appointee to the Accountability Conduct and Ethics Commission.  <b>Sponsors:</b> Brenda Frazier  <b>Introduced:</b> 3/7/2006 <b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council	<b>Approved</b>

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	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 3/7/2006	
<b>2493-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion Expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny County urging the Chief Executive to locate a suitable facility to permanently house the Allegheny County Crime Lab as soon as practicable.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Vince Gastgeb	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 3/21/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 3/21/2006	
<b>2497-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion Expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny County urging that Governor Rendell and the Pennsylvania General Assembly work with all possible and deliberate speed to secure funding for the refurbishment of two bridges in the Borough of Emsworth, Allegheny County.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Chuck Martoni	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 3/21/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 3/21/2006	
<b>2516-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion expressing the sense of Council of Allegheny County urging the Pittsburgh Steelers to finance the construction of new club seating in Heinz Field in its entirety.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Matt Drozd	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 4/4/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 4/4/2006	
<b>2637-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County canceling the Regular Meeting of Council currently scheduled for July 11, 2006, and rescheduling that Regular Meeting for July 12, 2006.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Rich Fitzgerald	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 6/6/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 6/6/2006	
<b>2639-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County requiring that representatives of the Sports and Exhibition Authority and Department of Economic Development be required to attend a meeting of the Committee on Economic Development and Housing in order to provide full information on the source(s) of any state capital funding to be advanced for the purpose of beginning site acquisition for a new multi-purpose arena, together with a complete disclosure of the intended uses, proposed repayment methods and schedules, and other terms attendant to the advance of state funding.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Jan Rea, Susan Caldwell, Matt Drozd, Michael Finnerty, Vince Gastgeb and Bob Macey	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 6/6/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 6/6/2006	
<b>2672-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County requesting that the Governor and General Assembly revisit the appropriate provisions of state law and recreate the requirement that all motorcycle riders wear helmets in Pennsylvania.	

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	<b>Sponsors:</b> Matt Drozd	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 6/20/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> Committee on Public Safety
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 11/8/2006	
<b>2709-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County urging the Port Authority Board of Allegheny County to vote against the North Shore Connector Project if the final project does not include both the Convention Center Line and Community College of Allegheny County (CCAC), or if the project cost exceeds \$381 million, requesting further information from the Port Authority, and establishing the policy of the Council on appropriating funds for the North Shore Connector Project.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Rich Fitzgerald	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 7/12/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 7/12/2006	
<b>2725-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County authorizing Allegheny County Council to conduct a public hearing to afford interested parties an opportunity to express their views on Bill No. 22705-06 and its effect on Allegheny County's residents and businesses.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Michael Finnerty	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 8/22/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 8/22/2006	
<b>2755-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County expressing the sense of Council of Allegheny County condemning predatory lending practices and supporting Pennsylvania HB 967 which would provide Pennsylvania homeowners protection from various unfair practices in the business of residential mortgage lending and supporting SB 101 which would offer consumer protection against payday loans.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Bob Macey, Jim Burn, Joan Cleary, John DeFazio, Matt Drozd, Michael Finnerty, Brenda Frazier and Rich Fitzgerald	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 8/29/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 9/12/2006	
<b>2776-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County authorizing Allegheny County Council to conduct a public hearing, pursuant to the Tax Increment Financing Act of July 11, 1990, P.L. 465 No. 113, to afford interested parties an opportunity to express their views on the proposed Tax Increment Financing Plan for the Potato Garden Run Project in Findlay Township, Allegheny County. Pursuant to Council's Rules, the Council President shall appoint a Presiding Officer for the hearing.	
	<b>Sponsors:</b> Michael Finnerty	
	<b>Introduced:</b> 9/12/2006	<b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council
	<b>Approved by Council:</b> 9/12/2006	
<b>2792-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County recognizing and thanking the public for their participation in the legislative process through discussions of Bill No. 2705-06, the proposed Allegheny County smoking ban, which helped educate and inform Allegheny County Council.	

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	<p><b>Sponsors:</b> Joan Cleary, Rich Fitzgerald, Brenda Frazier and Michael Finnerty</p> <p><b>Introduced:</b> 9/26/2006</p> <p><b>Approved by Council:</b> 9/26/2006</p>	<p><b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council</p>
<b>2804-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	<p>Motion of the Council of Allegheny County authorizing the Budget &amp; Finance Committee to conduct public hearings, pursuant to § 801.05 of the Administrative Code on Wednesday, November 1, Thursday, November 2, and Friday, November 3, beginning each day at 4 p.m. in the Gold Room of the Allegheny County Courthouse. Budget &amp; Finance Chair William Russell Robinson will serve as the presiding officer.</p> <p><b>Sponsors:</b> William Russell Robinson</p> <p><b>Introduced:</b> 10/10/2006</p> <p><b>Approved by Council:</b> 10/10/2006</p>	<p><b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council</p>
<b>2805-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	<p>Motion of the Council of Allegheny County urging health insurance carriers to offer health insurance premiums at a discount because, as a result of Allegheny County's smoking ban, the overall health and well-being of residents in Allegheny County will greatly improve, and encouraging employers to choose those health insurance carriers that provide discounted rates.</p> <p><b>Sponsors:</b> Matt Drozd and Jim Burn</p> <p><b>Introduced:</b> 10/10/2006</p> <p><b>Approved by Council:</b> 10/10/2006</p>	<p><b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council</p>
<b>2812-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	<p>Motion of the Council of Allegheny County urging the Members of the Pennsylvania General Assembly to vote in favor of Senate Resolution 337, introduced by Senator Orie, and the companion House Resolution introduced by Representative Turzai limiting the Commonwealth's further expenditures on the North Shore Connector Project.</p> <p><b>Sponsors:</b> Jan Rea</p> <p><b>Introduced:</b> 10/10/2006</p> <p><b>Approved by Council:</b> 10/24/2006</p>	<p><b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council</p>
<b>2880-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	<p>Motion of the Council of Allegheny County to continue the services of Attorney John F. Cambest to provide legal advice, representation and consultation to County Council.</p> <p><b>Sponsors:</b> Rich Fitzgerald</p> <p><b>Introduced:</b> 11/21/2006</p> <p><b>Approved by Council:</b> 11/21/2006</p>	<p><b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council</p>
<b>2881-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>
	<p>Motion Expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny county formally establishing policy with regard to developing the Community Development Block Grant Program budget, beginning with the Year 34 Program.</p> <p><b>Sponsors:</b> William Russell Robinson</p> <p><b>Introduced:</b> 11/21/2006</p> <p><b>Approved by Council:</b> 11/21/2006</p>	<p><b>Controlling Body:</b> County Council</p>
<b>2907-06</b>	<b>Motion</b>	<b>Approved</b>

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accordance with Section 805.03 of the Administrative Code.

**Sponsors:** William Russell Robinson

**Introduced:** 12/5/2006

**Controlling Body:** County Council

**Approved by Council:** 12/5/2006