



Allegheny County Council

Matter Summary

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File Number	Title	Status
4559-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion Expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny County urging the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to adopt an Early Voting Program for all Primary and General Elections held within the Commonwealth.	
	Sponsors: John DeFazio, Rich Fitzgerald, Bob Macey, Jim Burn, Joan Cleary, Michael Finnerty, Jan Rea and Amanda Green Hawkins	
	Introduced: 1/6/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 1/6/2009	
4609-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County authorizing the Council of Allegheny County to conduct a public hearing, pursuant to Article II.G. of the Rules of Allegheny County Council on February 25, 2009, beginning at 4 p.m. in the Gold Room of the Allegheny County Courthouse. The President shall be the presiding officer for such public hearing. The primary purpose of this hearing is to allow the opportunity for public comment on any bill introduced as of the date of this Motion pertaining to campaign finance for candidates for County elected office.	
	Sponsors: Rich Fitzgerald	
	Introduced: 2/3/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 2/3/2009	
4610-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion Expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny County proclaiming Allegheny County in 2009 "The County of Champions" in recognition of the Pittsburgh Steelers winning their sixth Super Bowl title.	
	Sponsors: Nick Futules	
	Introduced: 2/3/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 2/3/2009	
4634-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County approving an Allegheny County Council Policy Governing Access to Public Records.	
	Sponsors: Chuck Martoni	
	Introduced: 2/17/2009	Controlling Body: Executive Committee
	Final Action by Council: 4/7/2009	
4636-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County urging the Chief Executive and County Manager to evaluate, with all deliberate speed, the feasibility of replacing the County's entire vehicle fleet in order to modernize and improve its efficiency and cost-effectiveness while simultaneously improving its environmental soundness and providing an economic stimulus to local dealers of	

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	American-built vehicles. Sponsors: Chuck McCullough and Vince Gastgeb Introduced: 2/17/2009 Controlling Body: County Council Final Action by Council: 2/17/2009	
4637-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County urging the General Assembly and Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to proceed with the legalization of a limited number of video poker machines at bars, private clubs, taverns and other establishments, provided that such legalization generates revenue both for tuition stabilization and for Counties and municipal governments in which the legalized poker machines are located. Sponsors: Nick Futules, Bob Macey, Chuck McCullough, Vince Gastgeb and Chuck Martoni Introduced: 2/17/2009 Controlling Body: County Council Final Action by Council: 2/17/2009	
4729-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion Expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny County supporting the Employee Free Choice Act, which would authorize the National Labor Relations Board to certify a union as the bargaining representative when a majority of employees voluntarily sign authorizations designating that union to represent them, provide for first contract mediation and arbitration, and establish meaningful penalties for violations of a worker's freedom to choose a union. Sponsors: John DeFazio, Rich Fitzgerald, Amanda Green Hawkins, Joan Cleary, Jim Ellenbogen, Michael Finnerty, Nick Futules, Bob Macey, Chuck Martoni, Jim Burn and William Russell Robinson Introduced: 3/17/2009 Controlling Body: Committee on Government Reform Final Action by Council: 4/7/2009	
4756-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County to convene a working group, with representation from the Executive and Legislative branches of County of Allegheny, to review and, as appropriate, revise Allegheny County's existing facilities master plan. Sponsors: Jim Burn Introduced: 4/7/2009 Controlling Body: County Council Final Action by Council: 4/7/2009	
4965-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of The Council of Allegheny County pulling Bill No. 4348-08, calling upon the Allegheny County Manager to perform, beginning immediately, a study to determine what mineral rights Allegheny County owns on any parcels within the County and the feasibility and economic value of conveying those mineral rights to other parties for development, from committee for an immediate final vote. Sponsors: Chuck McCullough Introduced: 7/1/2009 Controlling Body: County Council Final Action by Council: 7/1/2009	
4969-09	Motion	Approved

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	Nate Smith, Sr. for the 2009 National Freedom Award by the National Civil Rights Museum located in Memphis, Tennessee.	
	Sponsors: Chuck McCullough, Jim Burn, Joan Cleary, John DeFazio, Matt Drozd, Jim Ellenbogen, Michael Finnerty, Rich Fitzgerald, Nick Futules, Vince Gastgeb, Amanda Green Hawkins, Bob Macey, Chuck Martoni, Jan Rea and William Russell Robinson	
	Introduced: 7/1/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 7/1/2009	
4970-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of The Council of Allegheny County endorsing the provisions of H.R. 2894, currently pending before the United States House of Representatives, and urging the United States Congress to enact the provisions of the bill as currently drafted.	
	Sponsors: John DeFazio, Chuck Martoni, Rich Fitzgerald, Bob Macey, Jim Burn, Joan Cleary, Matt Drozd, Jim Ellenbogen, Michael Finnerty, Nick Futules, Vince Gastgeb, Amanda Green Hawkins, Chuck McCullough, Jan Rea and William Russell Robinson	
	Introduced: 7/1/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 7/1/2009	
4971-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny County urging the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to vote against any bill which would establish a statewide health care system for public school employees in Pennsylvania if the bill adversely affects our Community Colleges and taxpayers.	
	Sponsors: Chuck Martoni and Michael Finnerty	
	Introduced: 7/1/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 7/1/2009	
5126-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny County urging Shubh Hotels, LLC, owner of the Downtown Pittsburgh Hilton Hotel, to bargain with its employees through their designated collective bargaining representative.	
	Sponsors: Jim Burn, John DeFazio, Amanda Green Hawkins and Rich Fitzgerald	
	Introduced: 9/22/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 9/22/2009	
5137-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County authorizing the Budget & Finance Committee to conduct public hearings, pursuant to § 801.05 of the Administrative Code on Wednesday, October 28 and Thursday, October 29, beginning each day at 4 p.m. in the Gold Room of the Allegheny County Courthouse. Budget & Finance Chair William Russell Robinson will serve as the presiding officer.	
	Sponsors: William Russell Robinson	
	Introduced: 10/6/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 10/6/2009	
5139-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County urging the Pennsylvania Senate and Governor of the	

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	Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to support Pennsylvania House Bill No. 1661, the "Property Tax Reassessment Moratorium Act," and encouraging the Senate to pass and the Governor to sign this legislation with all due speed.	
	Sponsors: Rich Fitzgerald, Matt Drozd, Amanda Green Hawkins, Bob Macey, William Russell Robinson, Michael Finnerty, Nick Futules, Jim Burn, Chuck Martoni, Jan Rea and Jim Ellenbogen	
	Introduced: 10/6/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 10/6/2009	
5174-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion Expressing the Sense of Council of Allegheny County urging UPMC officials to reconsider the decision to close UPMC Braddock Hospital, an invaluable asset to the residents of Braddock and the surrounding communities.	
	Sponsors: Chuck Martoni	
	Introduced: 10/20/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 10/20/2009	
5186-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County amending the Allegheny County Council Policy Governing Access to Public Records.	
	Sponsors: Chuck Martoni	
	Introduced: 11/4/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 11/4/2009	
5269-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County to establish a means of convening a working group, with representation from the Executive and Legislative branches of County of Allegheny, to analyze and work toward a cooperative solution to the issue of tax exemptions for nonprofit entities.	
	Sponsors: Nick Futules, Michael Finnerty and William Russell Robinson	
	Introduced: 12/1/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 12/1/2009	
5297-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County re-establishing the Budget Transfer Committee in accordance with Section 805.03 of the Administrative Code.	
	Sponsors: William Russell Robinson	
	Introduced: 12/15/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 12/15/2009	
5298-09	Motion	Approved
	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.	
	Sponsors: Chuck Martoni	
	Introduced: 12/15/2009	Controlling Body: County Council

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	Final Action by Council: 12/15/2009	
5299-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County postponing the required quarterly appearance of the Chief Executive at a regular meeting of Council to January 4, 2010, in accordance with the provisions of §5-307.08.D. of the Administrative Code of Allegheny County.	
	Sponsors: Rich Fitzgerald	
	Introduced: 12/15/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 12/15/2009	
5300-09	Motion	Approved
	Motion of the Council of Allegheny County accepting the communication from the University of Pittsburgh Medical Center dated December 15, 2009, regarding UPMC Braddock Hospital.	
	Sponsors: Jim Burn, John DeFazio, Matt Drozd, Michael Finnerty, Nick Futules, Vince Gastgeb, Amanda Green Hawkins, Bob Macey, Jan Rea, Chuck Martoni and Rich Fitzgerald	
	Introduced: 12/15/2009	Controlling Body: County Council
	Final Action by Council: 12/15/2009	