

Cleveland City Council

*Cleveland City Hall, Room 216
601 Lakeside Avenue, N.E.
Cleveland, OH 44114*



Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, July 9, 2025

6:30 PM

This meeting will begin after the conclusion of Committee of the Whole meeting, probably mid-afternoon. The meeting will be live broadcast. See meeting notice for details.

City Council

[Item-1069](#) Cleveland City Council Meeting Notice for July 9, 2025

Attachments: [Council Meeting Notice for 7-9-2025](#)

CALL TO ORDER; ROLL CALL

6:33 p.m.

Present 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

MOMENT OF REFLECTION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

DISPENSE WITH THE JOURNAL

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

•Communications

[783-2025](#) From Council President Blaine A. Griffin. Designating, without objection by Council, Allan Dreyer to serve as Clerk of Council Pro Tempore for all matters requiring the Clerk's signature on June 13, June 16, and June 17, 2025.

Indexes: CITY COUNCIL; CLERK OF COUNCIL; COMMUNICATIONS

Attachments: [783-2025-COMMUNICATION-Clerk pro temp 6-13-2025](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[784-2025](#) From Council President Blaine A. Griffin. Designating, without objection by Council, Va'Kedia Stiggers to serve as Clerk of Council Pro Tempore for all matters requiring the Clerk's signature on June 18, 2025, and on June 20, 2025.

Indexes: CITY COUNCIL; CLERK OF COUNCIL; COMMUNICATIONS

Attachments: [784-2025-COMMUNICATION-Clerk pro temp 6-17-2025](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[797-2025](#) From Mayor Justin Bibb. Appointment of Luther Roddy to Community Police Commission.

Indexes: COMMUNITY POLICE COMMISSION ; MAYOR'S APPOINTMENTS

Attachments: [797-2025-COMMUNICATION-Mayors Appt to CPC-Roddy](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

•The Ohio Division of Liquor Control

[772-2025](#) #76424260005. Transfer of Ownership Application, D5. SNM LLC, 4211 Lorain Ave. (Ward 3).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 03

Attachments: [772-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor4211Lorain](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[773-2025](#) #6011355. New License Application, D5J. Millies & Company LLC, 15515 Waterloo Rd. (Ward 8).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 08

Attachments: [773-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor15515Waterloo](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[774-2025](#) #7639428. Transfer of Ownership Application, D5J D6. S&G Partners W LLC, 5428 Detroit Ave. (Ward 15).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 15

Attachments: [774-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor5428Detroit](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[775-2025](#) #0435920. Transfer of Ownership Application, D5. Bar TT LLC, 13813 Lorain Ave. (Ward 16).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 16

Attachments: [775-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor13813Lorain](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[776-2025](#) #3877754. New License Application, C2. H M M Brother LLC, 14037 Puritas Ave. (Ward 16).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 16

Attachments: [776-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor14037Puritas](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[777-2025](#) #0162853. New License Application, D3. American Food & Vending Corp., 1426 West 3rd St. (Ward 3).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 03

Attachments: [777-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor1426West3rd](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[778-2025](#) #3309418. New License Application, D1. Grady Sports Center LLC, 1622 East 55th St. (Ward 7).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 07

Attachments: [778-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor1622East 55th](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[779-2025](#) #2778326. Transfer of License Application, D5 D6. Fleetwood Mgmt LLC, 2871 East 116th St. (Ward 4).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 04

Attachments: [779-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor2871East116th](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[780-2025](#) #4345695. Transfer of Ownership Application, D5J D6. Jollys Pizza @ CWRU LLC, 11310 Juniper Rd. (Ward 9).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 09

Attachments: [780-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor11310Juniper](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[781-2025](#) #5979283. Transfer of Ownership Application, D5J D6. FWD Flats 2025 LLC, 1176 Front St. (Ward 3).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 03

Attachments: [781-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor1176FrontAve](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[782-2025](#) #8840831. New License Application, D3 D3A. This is Our First Rodeo LLC, 2038 West 4th St. (Ward 3).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 03

Attachments: [782-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor2038East4th](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[795-2025](#) #10003879-1. Transfer of Ownership Application, C1 C2 D6.
2Sikran LLC, 12408 Union Ave. (Ward 4).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 04

Attachments: [795-2025-COMUNICATION-Liquor12408Union](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[857-2025](#) #10002088-1. New License Application, D1 D2 D3 D5. Scotties
Phase 2 LLC, 3029 Woodhill Rd. (Ward 4).

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 04

Attachments: [857-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor3029Woodhill](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

•Plats

[785-2025](#) Dedication Plat for dedication of Morris Black Road, located in
between Woodland Avenue and Mount Carmel Road (Ward 6).
Approved by Committees on Municipal Services and Properties, and
Development Planning and Sustainability. Without objection, Plat
approved.

Indexes: CITY PLANNING COMMISSION; PLATS; WARD 06

Attachments: [785-2025-COMMUNICATION-Plat - Morris Black Road dedication](#)

**A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council
Member Gray, that this Communication be approved. The motion carried by
the following vote:**

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T.
Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer,
Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie
Howse-Jones

SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

•Condolence; Moment of Silence

[837-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Judge Sara J. Harper

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[838-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Leona Reed

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[861-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Charles "Charlie" E. Bibb, Sr.

Sponsors: Joseph Jones

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 01

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[862-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Judith Pandy

Sponsors: Deborah Gray

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[863-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Shaka Amir Kinney

Sponsors: Michael Polensek

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 08

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[864-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Dr. Ronald A. Adams

Sponsors: Stephanie Howse-Jones

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 07

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[865-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for LeJuan Sims

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[866-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Annie Murphy (nee McGowan)

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[867-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Renee Hogan

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[868-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Charles Tindall

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[869-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Abbie Renee Prater

Sponsors: Danny Kelly

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 11

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[870-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Joan White

Sponsors: Richard Starr

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 05

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[871-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Charles Patton

Sponsors: Joseph Jones

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 01

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[872-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Joyce Austin

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 09

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[873-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Bishop John Lee Hilton, Sr.

Sponsors: Stephanie Howse-Jones

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 07

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[874-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Margaret Bonner

Sponsors: Richard Starr

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 05

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[875-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Jacqueline Muhammad

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[876-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Tomasita Rivera

Sponsors: Jasmin Santana

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 14

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[877-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Randolph L. Freeman

Sponsors: Deborah Gray

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 04

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[878-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Sarah A. Gardner

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[879-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Cortez Davion Smith

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Kevin Conwell, Deborah Gray, Blaine Griffin, Anthony Hairston, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Joseph Jones, Brian Kazy, Danny Kelly, Rebecca Maurer, Kerry McCormack, Michael Polensek, Jasmin Santana, Charles Slife, Jenny Spencer and Richard Starr

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 02; WARD 09; WARD 04; WARD 06; WARD 10; WARD 13; WARD 07; WARD 01; WARD 16; WARD 11; WARD 12; WARD 03; WARD 08; WARD 14; WARD 17; WARD 15; WARD 05

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[880-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Donald M. Koma, Jr.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[881-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Nina Powell

Sponsors: Joseph Jones

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 01

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[882-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Verdell L. Chambers

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[883-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Thelma Ann King

Sponsors: Joseph Jones

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 01

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[884-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Willie Gray

Sponsors: Stephanie Howse-Jones

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 07

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[885-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Billy “Abdul R. Hasan” Joe Ray

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 09

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[886-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Arthur James Wells

Sponsors: Richard Starr

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 05

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[906-2025](#) Condolence Resolution for Mark Hughes

Sponsors: Brian Kazy

Indexes: CONDOLENCES; WARD 16

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

•**Congratulations/Recognition/Appreciation/Commendation/Commemoration/Welcome**

[887-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Mattie Polk

Sponsors: Richard Starr

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 05

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[888-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for St. Andrew Episcopal Church

Sponsors: Richard Starr

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 05

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[889-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Habeebah Rasheed Grimes

Sponsors: Stephanie Howse-Jones

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 07

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[890-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for St. Aloysius - St. Agatha Parish

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 09

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[891-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Glenville Library Grand Opening

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 09

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[892-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Luca Memorial Chapel 25th Anniversary

Sponsors: Deborah Gray

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 04

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[893-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Terri Sandy

Sponsors: Michael Polensek

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 08

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[894-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Rosa DeJesus

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[895-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Delice Wood

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[896-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Byron Ballentine

Sponsors: Stephanie Howse-Jones

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS; WARD 07

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[897-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for Louie Moore

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: RECOGNITION; WARD 09

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[898-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for NAACP Participation PRIDE

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: RECOGNITION; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[899-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for East High School 60th Class Reunion

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: RECOGNITION; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[900-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for Marvin Cross

Sponsors: Joseph Jones

Indexes: RECOGNITION; WARD 01

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[901-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for New Sardis Primitive Baptist Church 2025 Men's Day

Sponsors: Joseph Jones

Indexes: RECOGNITION; WARD 01

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[902-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for Carl B. Stokes Day

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: RECOGNITION; WARD 06

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[903-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for CLE Pearls

Sponsors: Richard Starr

Indexes: RECOGNITION; WARD 05

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[904-2025](#) Welcome Resolution for Klaipéda Youth Choir

Sponsors: Michael Polensek

Indexes: WELCOME; WARD 08

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[905-2025](#) Welcome Resolution for The Hauser-Williams-Russel 110th Annual Reunion

Sponsors: Michael Polensek

Indexes: WELCOME; WARD 08

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

PRESENTATIONS

Council Members Starr and Griffin made a presentation.

FIRST READING LEGISLATION

•Emergency Ordinances Referred

[786-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of the Department of Parks and Recreation to enter into a grant agreement with Ohio City Incorporated to provide program support for Near West Recreation youth programs.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack

Attachments: [786-2025-auth 2025-26 grant agreement with OCI for NWR](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[798-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 571.061 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 325-04, passed May 10, 2004, relating to secured area identification badges issued by the Director of Port Control.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [798-2025-Amend CO 571.061 identification badges](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[799-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into an agreement with the Urban League of Greater Cleveland, or its designee, to assist with costs related to outreach, assistance, and administration of the UBIZ Micro Loan Program and assistance, training and planning for small businesses through the Entrepreneurship Center of the Urban League of Greater Cleveland.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [799-2025-Ag w Urban League to assist w costs related to entrepreneurship Center and a loan program](#)
[799-2025 Legis Summary-Urban League](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[800-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1167-2024, passed January 13, 2025, relating to a contract with Stantec Consulting Services, Inc., to provide professional services for on-call planning services.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [800-2025-Amend 1167-2024 - Stantec](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[801-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 171.37 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 92-11, passed April 25, 2011, relating to reimbursement of tuition for employee education.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [801-2025-Amend CO 171.37 Reimbursement of Tuition for Employee Education js rev](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[802-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Port Control to enter into an amendment to Contract No. PS 2024-09 with J.D. Power, to provide additional survey services and extend the contract.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [802-2025-Amend contract PS 2024-09 J.D. Power r to authorize additional services-final](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[803-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Directors of Parks and Recreation and Port Control to enter into an amendment to the existing Lease Agreement with the Board of Park Commissioners for the Cleveland Metropolitan Park District for Rivergate Park to add additional City-owned property to the leased premises.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [803-2025-Amend Lease w Metroparks for Rivergate Park](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[804-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter into one or more agreements with CHN Housing Partners to administer energy, water, and sewer conservation services to low-income homeowners, for the Divisions of Water, Water Pollution Control, and Cleveland Public Power, Department of Public Utilities, for a period of two years.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [804-2025-Dir K w CHN for water, sewer, energy conservation, CHN](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[805-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to enter into one or more requirement contracts without competitive bidding with Bound Tree Medical for proprietary Curaplex hazmat kits, for the Division of Emergency Medical Service, Department of Public Safety, for a term of one year, with two one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Public Safety; and to repeal Ordinance No. 941-2024, passed October 7, 2024, relating to a requirement contract for hazmat suits.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [805-2025-Dir Req K w Bound Tree and repeal 941-2024](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[806-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to donate a former Police vehicle to the Cleveland Police Museum; and to enter into an agreement to make the donation.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [806-2025-Donate police vehicle to Cleveland Police Museum](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[807-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To establish the Office of Sustainability and Climate Justice; to supplement the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio 1976, by enacting new Section 123.11 relating to the Office of Sustainability and Climate Justice; and to amend Section 121.01 as amended by Ordinance No. 109-11, passed April 4, 2011, relating to offices considered departments.

Sponsors: Justin Bibb

Attachments: [807-2025-Enact Co 123.11 - Establish Office of Sustainability](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[808-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To supplement the Codified Ordinances of Ohio, 1976, by enacting new Section 401.711, relating to the definition of under-speed vehicles; and to enact new Sections 450.01 to 450.06 and 450.99 relating to under-speed vehicles.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Michael Polensek, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [808-2025-Enact new sections 450.01 and chapter Under Speed Vehicles](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[809-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to issue a permit to the Cleveland Clinic Foundation to encroach into, over and under the public right-of-way of East 96th Street by installing, using and maintaining a canopy, footers and columns.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin, Kevin Bishop, Anthony Hairston and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [809-2025-Encr - CCF E 96th St. Canopy](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[810-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to issue one or more permits to Greater Cleveland Regional Transit Authority to encroach into the public right-of-way of East 79th Street.

Sponsors: Richard Starr, Kevin Bishop, Anthony Hairston and By Departmental Request

Indexes: ENCROACHMENTS

Attachments: [810-2025-Encr - GCRTA E. 79th St. Encroachments](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[811-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 1 of Ordinance No. 718-2024, passed September 9, 2024 relating to the purchase, lease, or lease with option to purchase, of various on-road vehicles, apparatus, and off-road equipment, cabs, bodies, and accessories, equipment and other aftermarket items, for the various divisions of City government.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [811-2025-Amend 718-2024 GF vehicles](#)
[811-2025 Legis Summary- Amend 2024 Enterprise Fund Vehicles - 1](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[812-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to enter into an amendment to Contract No. CT 6007 PS 2017-251 with Cuyahoga County for the County Sheriff's Department relating to housing and providing services for City prisoners to increase the per diem rate and to amend other provisions regarding the booking and charging of City prisoners.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [812-2025-Amend K w County re jail duties](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[813-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Port Control to amend Lease Agreement Nos. LS 2022-0011 and LS 2024-0006 with MarKenCami, LLC for the lease of space located at Burke Lakefront Airport for the operation of podcast studios and a software company.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [813-2025-amend Lease agreement LS 2022-0011 and LS 2024-0006 with MARKenCami LLC to Big Play LLC-ec edits](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[814-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Giving consent of the City of Cleveland to the Director of Transportation of the State of Ohio to replace the Lorain Avenue Bridge over Columbus Road; and authorizing agreements.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Kevin Bishop, Anthony Hairston and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [814-2025-Consent w ODOT for Lorain Ave Bridge](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[815-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To provide for the transfer and amendment of Two Hundred Forty Two Thousand Eight Hundred Four Dollars (\$242,804) within the General Fund.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [815-2025-July 2025 Transfer Ordinance](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[816-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Directors of Parks and Recreation and Finance to enter into one or more contracts with the Cleveland Metropolitan School District to conduct recreational, cultural and extracurricular programs for the benefit of school children during the 2024-25 school year.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [816-2025-K w Cleveland Municipal Metropolitan School district - extracurricular activities w RL \(2\)\(73139.1\)](#)
[816-2025-A-FILE-K w Cleveland Municipal Metropolitan School district - extracurricular activities](#)
[816-2025-CEAP Mid-Year Report 2024-25](#)
[816-2025 Legis Summary - 2024-2025 CMSD CEAP Legislative Summary \(Update\)](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[817-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Parks and Recreation to enter into an agreement with the Neighborhood Leadership Institute to implement educational, recreational, and cultural programs in various school buildings and other facilities during evening hours, provide leadership training, and supervise the summer tennis program.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [817-2025-K w Neighborhood Leadership Institute for education recreation and cultural prog in var school bgs tennis](#)
[817-2025 Legis Summary-2025 NLI](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[818-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Designating Greater New Calvary Baptist Church (former First Congregational Church of Collinwood) as a Cleveland Landmark.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [818-2025-Landmark - Greater New Calvary Baptist](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[819-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a forgivable loan agreement with Famicos Foundation, or its designee, to provide economic development assistance to partially finance the acquisition, and development of interior and exterior improvements at a mixed used building located at 1355 East 105th Street, and other associated costs necessary to redevelop the property.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [819-2025-Loan K w Famicos Foundation forgivable loan](#)
[819-2025-A-FILE-Loan K w Famicos Foundation forgivable](#)
[819-2025 Legis Summary-Famicos Foundation loan](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[820-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Finance to employ one or more professional consultants to study, assess, market, and sell corporate sponsorships for City facilities and assets.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [820-2025-Prof Serv study assess, market and sell corporate sponsorships for City facilities](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[821-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Works to employ one or more professional consultants to manage and operate the Division of Motor Vehicle Maintenance's seven parts rooms and to manage the inventory needed for fleet maintenance operations and other related issues, for the Division of Motor Vehicle Maintenance, Department of Public Works; and authorizing the Director of Public Works to enter into various written standard purchase and requirement contracts for materials, equipment, supplies and/or services needed for specialty stock and inventory for fleet maintenance which are necessary to effectuate the purposes of this ordinance, including labor and materials if necessary, for a period of three years, with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Public Works.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [821-2025-Prof serv for parts management and inventory control; Std k for materials equipment and services-PW](#)
[821-2025 Legis Summary-Inventory Management](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[822-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter into one or more contracts with OW Investors, LLC dba Mars Company for the professional services necessary to provide software and hardware maintenance for the testing, maintaining, and upgrading of water meters for residential and commercial use including acquiring licenses, integrating and installing system upgrades, hardware upgrades, and hardware/software maintenance and related equipment, labor, and materials for the Division of Water, Department of Public Utilities for a period of three years.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [822-2025-Prof Srv K w OW Investors dba Mars for water meters hardware and software maintenance](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[823-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the purchase by one or more requirement contracts of disposal of debris at landfills, transfer stations, or recycle/reclaim facility sites, for the Divisions of Water, Cleveland Public Power, and Water Pollution Control, Department of Public Utilities, for a term of two years, with a one-year option to renew, exercisable by the Director of Public Utilities.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [823-2025-Req k disposal of debris, landfill transfer station, recycle reclaim](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[824-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter in one or more requirement contracts of various types of fencing, gate operators, gates, vertical pivot lift gates, barriers, walls, and guardrails, including associated appurtenances, and labor and materials necessary to repair or maintain existing equipment and appurtenances, including installation if necessary at various facilities, for the divisions of the Department of Public Utilities, for a period up to two years.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [824-2025-Req k fencing, gates and guardrails-Utilities](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[825-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the purchases by one or more requirement contracts of labor and materials necessary to maintain, test, inspect, repair, enhance or replace and install HVAC systems and component parts, including heating boilers, ventilation and air conditioning systems, environmental controls, software, and components, including rentals, if necessary, for the Divisions of Water, Water Pollution Control, and Cleveland Public Power and Office of Radio Communications, Department of Public Utilities, for a period up to two years.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [825-2025-Req k repair or replace HVAC-purchase- Utilities - review](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[826-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the purchase by one or more requirement contracts of labor and materials necessary to test, maintain, and repair back-up electrical gear, diesel drives for pumps, petroleum-based fuel equipment and computer back-up systems, for the various divisions of the Department of Public Utilities, for a term of two years.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [826-2025-Reg k test maintain, fuel & repair fueled backup systems](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[843-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Health to apply for and accept a grant from the United States Department of Homeland Security for the BioWatch Program; and authorizing the Director to enter into various written standard purchase and requirement contracts for courier services needed to transport BioWatch samples to the Ohio Department of Health for testing.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [843-2025-Ap & Ac Biowatch Program _K](#)
[843-2025-A-FILE-Ap & Ac Biowatch Program _K](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[844-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To vacate a portion of Hancock Avenue.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Kevin Bishop, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [844-2025-cap-Ord. to vacate Hancock](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[845-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Determining the method of making the public improvement of designing and constructing or constructing, rehabilitating, renovating, replacing or otherwise improving cemeteries, including site improvements and appurtenances; and authorizing the Director of Parks and Recreation or Capital Projects, as appropriate, to enter into one or more public improvement contracts for the making of the improvements; enter into one or more professional services and other contracts needed to implement the improvement; to apply for and accept grants and gifts; and authorizing the direct employment of the necessary labor, for the Department of Parks and Recreation or the Office of Capital Projects.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [845-2025-PIK 2025 - cemeteries](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[846-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Determining the method of making the public improvement of designing and constructing or constructing, rehabilitating, renovating, replacing or otherwise improving public facilities, buildings, and other similar structures, including site improvements and appurtenances; and authorizing the Director of Public Safety, Public Works or Capital Projects, as appropriate, to enter into one or more public improvement contracts for the making of the improvements; enter into one or more professional services and other contracts needed to implement the improvement; to apply for and accept grants and gifts; and authorizing the direct employment of the necessary labor, for the Department of Public Safety, Public Works or the Office of Capital Projects.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [846-2025-PIK 2025 public facilities, PIK and design build](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[847-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Determining the method of making the public improvement of designing and constructing, rehabilitating, renovating, replacing or otherwise improving recreation facilities, ancillary recreation buildings, parks and playgrounds, and other similar structures or amenities, on City-owned and City-leased park property, including site improvements and appurtenances; and authorizing the Director of Parks and Recreation, Public Works or Capital Projects, as appropriate, to enter into one or more public improvement contracts and/or one or more public improvement requirement contracts, for the making of the improvements; enter into one or more professional services and other contracts needed to implement the improvement; to apply for and accept grants and gifts; and authorizing the direct employment of the necessary labor, for the Departments of Parks and Recreation or Public Works or the Office of Capital Projects.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [847-2025-PIK 2025 recreation facility improvements, PIK and design build](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[848-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Determining the method of making the public improvement of designing and constructing or constructing, rehabilitating, renovating, replacing or otherwise improving roadways, streets, bridges, sidewalks, and other similar projects, including site improvements and appurtenances; and authorizing the Director of Public Works or Capital Projects, as appropriate, to enter into one or more public improvement contracts for the making of the improvements; enter into one or more professional services and other contracts needed to implement the improvement; to apply for and accept grants and gifts; and authorizing the direct employment of the necessary labor, for the Department of Public Works or the Office of Capital Projects.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [848-2025-PIK 2025 roads and bridges, PIK and design build](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[852-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the purchase by one or more standard and requirement contracts for the purchase, lease, or lease with option to purchase, of various heavy duty trucks and equipment, for the various divisions of City government.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [852-2025-2025 GO Bonds - heavy duty](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[853-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the purchase by one or more standard and requirement contracts for the purchase, lease, or lease with option to purchase, of various light duty vehicles and equipment, for the various divisions of City government.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [853-2025-2025 GO Bonds - light duty](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

[859-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Designating East 90th Street between St. Clair Avenue and East 91st Street with a secondary and honorary designation of “Ruby Mumford Way”.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston

Indexes: STREETS - NAME; WARD 10

Attachments: [859-2025- designating honorary street name of Ruby Mumford Way](#)

This Emergency Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

•Emergency Ordinances Read in Full and Passed

[787-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 1 of Ordinance No. 608-2025, passed May 12, 2025, relating to a First Amendment Agreement with Northwest Neighborhoods Community Development Corporation for Cleveland City Council.

Sponsors: Jenny Spencer

Indexes: CASINO REVENUE FUNDS ; NORTHWEST NEIGHBORHOODS COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION ; PUBLIC WORKS; WARD 15

Attachments: [787-2025-FOR PASSAGE-amend contracted dept Greenspace 2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

788-2025

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of the Department of Community Development to enter into agreement with the Boys & Girls Club of Northeast Ohio for the public purpose of providing a College and Career Mentoring and Tutoring Program through the use of Ward 6 Casino Revenue Funds.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS OF GREATER CLEVELAND; CASINO REVENUE FUNDS ; COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT; WARD 06

Attachments: [788-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Boys and Girls Club 2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

789-2025

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of the Department of Community Development to enter into agreement with Near West Theatre for the public purpose of providing the Historic Franklin West Clinton District project through the use of Ward 15 Casino Revenue Funds.

Sponsors: Jenny Spencer

Indexes: AGREEMENTS; CASINO REVENUE FUNDS ; COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT; NEAR WEST THEATRE; WARD 15

Attachments: [789-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Historic Franklin West Clinton 2025 event](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[827-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend the title, the first and second whereas clauses, and Sections 1 and 2 of Ordinance No. 482-2023, passed May 31, 2023, relating to agreements to provide economic development assistance for commercial corridor projects through the Southeast Side Commercial Corridor Program.

Sponsors: Joseph Jones, Kevin Bishop, Deborah Gray, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [827-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Amend 482-2023 \(Southeast Side\)](#)
[827-2025-Legislative Summary- SES Amendment](#)
[827-2025-MAP Amendment to ORD 482-2023](#)
[827-2025-FP Letter](#)
[827-2025 PRESENTATION](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[828-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Amend Ordinance No. 1249-2023, passed November 27, 2023, relating to agreements with various private nonprofit organizations and to provide financing for home repairs and to small businesses economically impacted by COVID-19.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [828-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Amend Ord 1249-2023 to reallocate funds to Greater Cleveland Habitat for Humanity](#)
[828-2025 Legis Summary - Reallocation of Funds](#)
[828-2025 PRESENTATION](#)
[828-2025-FP letter-Amend Ord 1249-2023 to reallocate funds to Greater Cleveland Habitat for Humanity](#)
[828-2025-McCormack recusal](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 12 - Brian Kazy, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

Recused: 1 - Kerry McCormack

[829-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 22 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended, relating to compensation for various classifications.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [829-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Amend payband section 22-CARE](#)
[829-2025-FP letter-Amend payband section 22-CARE](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[830-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 50 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended, relating to compensation for various classifications.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [830-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Amend payband Section 50 to add 1 new titles- courts](#)
[830-2025-FP Letter - Amend payband Section 50](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[831-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 2 of Ordinance 536-2025, passed April 21, 2025, relating to the agreement with Famicos Foundation for the E. 105 Safety and Security Program.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Attachments: [831-2025-FOR PASSAGE-amendment to contracted Famicos Safety and Security](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

832-2025

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Economic Development to apply for and accept a grant from the Cleveland Foundation for the Business Development Growth Grant.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [832-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Ap & Ac grant from Cleveland Foundation for the Business Development Growth Grant](#)
[832-2025-A-FILE-Ap & Ac grant from Cleveland Foundation for the Business Development Growth Grant](#)
[832-2025 Legis Summary - Ap + Acc Cleveland Foundation Business Development Growth Grant](#)
[832-2025-FP Letter](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

833-2025

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Approving the addition of property located at 2429 Superior Viaduct to the Northeast Ohio Advanced Energy District; accepting and approving a petition and plan from a property owner in the District identifying a special energy improvement project; declaring it necessary to conduct the special energy improvement project; providing for the assessment of the cost of such special energy improvement project; authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into an Energy Project Cooperative Agreement and a Special Assessment Agreement to implement the project; and declaring an emergency.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [833-2025-FOR PASSAGE-ed-PACE - Bridgeworks at 2429 Superior Viaduct](#)
[833-2025-A-FILE - PACE - Bridgeworks at 2429 Superior Viaduct](#)
[833-2025 Legis Summary-Bridgeworks PACE Energy Loan Special Assessment](#)
[833-2025 PRESENTATION](#)
[x833-2025-FP Letter](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

834-2025

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Finance, on behalf of Cleveland Municipal Court, to apply for and accept a grant from Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services to reimburse the Cleveland Municipal Court for the cost incurred to upgrade its I-Cloud software for computer systems.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [834-2025-FOR PASSAGE-fin-Ap & Ac grant from Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services to reimburse Muni Court for I-Cloud upgrade services](#)
[834-2025-FP letter - Ap & Ac grant from Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services to reimburse Muni Court for I-Cloud upgrade services](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

835-2025 AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Finance to consent to the assignment of Contract No. CT-1506-PS2023*0287 from Diligent Canada Inc. to Diligent Corporation; and authorizing the director to enter into an amendment to the assigned contract regarding certain terms.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [835-2025-FOR PASSAGE-fin-Assignment and amendment - Diligent Canada](#)
[835-2025-2025 Diligent Corporation contract assignment](#)
[835-2025-FP Letter - Assignment and amendment - Diligent Canada](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

836-2025 AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Approving the collective bargaining agreement with the Ohio Patrolmen's Benevolent Association (OPBA) (Protective Services Unit); and to amend Section 14 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended, relating to compensation for various classifications.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [836-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Ratify Ohio Patrolmen's Benevolent Association and amend Sec 14 of payband](#)
[836-2025-A-FILE-Ratify Ohio Patrolmen's Benevolent Association and amend Sec 14 of payband](#)
[836-2025-FP letter-Ratify Ohio Patrolmen's Benevolent Association and amend Sec 14 of payband](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[839-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a Tax Increment Financing Agreement with TDG Franklin North, LLC, and/or its designee, to assist with the financing of the Franklin Yard North Project to be located at 3210 Franklin Boulevard; to provide for payments to the Cleveland Metropolitan School District; and to declare certain improvements to real property to be a public purpose.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [839-2025-FOR PASSAGE-TIF - Franklin North](#)

[839-2025-A-FILE - TIF - Franklin North](#)

[839-2025 Legis Summary -TDG Franklin North LLC TIF 3210 Franklin Blvd](#)

[839-2025 & 840-2025 CBA AGREEMENT FRANKLIN NORTH AND SOUTH](#)

[x839-2025-FP Letter](#)

[839-2025 PRESENTATION](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[840-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a Tax Increment Financing Agreement with TDG Franklin Realty, LLC, and/or its designee, to assist with the financing of the Franklin Yards South Project to be located at 3105 Franklin Boulevard; to provide for payments to the Cleveland Metropolitan School District; and to declare certain improvements to real property to be a public purpose.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [840-2025-FOR PASSAGE-TIF - Franklin Realty](#)

[840-2025-A-FILE - TIF - Franklin Realty](#)

[840-2025 Legis Summary - TDG Franklin Realty, LLC TIF 3105 Franklin Blvd](#)

[839-2025 & 840-2025 CBA AGREEMENT FRANKLIN NORTH AND SOUTH](#)

[x840-2025-FP Letter](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

841-2025

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To remove certain parcels of property from the Shore-to-Core-to-Shore TIF District created by Ordinance No. 38-2024, passed March 25, 2024, as amended by Ordinance No. 746-2024, passed August 7, 2024; authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a Tax Increment Financing Agreement with Twain SB III LLC, or designee, to assist with the financing of the Bell Project to be located at 45 East 9th Street, Cleveland, Ohio; to provide for payments to the Cleveland Metropolitan School District; and to declare certain improvements to real property to be a public purpose.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [841-2025-FOR PASSAGE-TIF - Twain](#)

[841-2025-A-FILE - TIF - Twain](#)

[841-2025 PRESENTATION](#)

[841-2025-FP Letter](#)

[841-2025 CBA EXECUTED TWAIN THE BELL TIF](#)

[841-2025 TWAIN SLB III LCB OEO MEMO_new financial incentive memo](#)

[841-2025 Legis Summary-Bell Twain TIF](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[849-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend the title and Sections 1, 3 and 10 of Ordinance No. 762-2023, passed August 16, 2023; to supplement the ordinance by adding new Section 3a, relating to the improvement of Lee Road from Miles Avenue to the North Corporation line.

Sponsors: Joseph Jones, Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [849-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Amend 762-2023, Lee Road](#)
[849-2025-FP Letter - Amend 762-2023, Lee Road](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[851-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of City Planning to apply for and accept a grant from Northeast Ohio Areawide Coordinating Agency for the Congestion Mitigation and Air Quality 2025 grant program.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [851-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Ap&Ac Northeast Ohio areawide coordinating agency for CMOAQ grant](#)
[851-2025-A-FILE-Ap&Ac Northeast Ohio areawide coordinating agency for CMOAQ grant](#)
[851-2025 Legis Summary-CMAQ grant](#)
[851-2025-FP letter-Ap&Ac Northeast Ohio areawide coordinating agency for CMOAQ grant](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[854-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To make additional appropriations of One Million Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,200,000) to the General Fund; and authorizing the Director of Community Development to enter into one or more contracts with various community development corporations to provide funding for neighborhood services using general fund dollars.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [854-2025-FOR PASSAGE-2025 July Supplemental, reallocate GF to CD](#)
[854-2025-July 2025 Supplemental Ord](#)
[854-2025-FP Letter - 2025 July Supplemental, reallocate GF to CD](#)
[854-2025 Legis Summary - CDC Funding](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[858-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Community Development to apply for and accept grants from the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development for PY2025 under the Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, for the 2025 Federal HOME Investment Partnerships Program, Emergency Solutions Grant Program, and the Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS Program.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT PROGRAM; COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Attachments: [858-2025-FOR PASSAGE-PY 2025 Ap & Ac CDBG, ESG, HOME HOPWA](#)
[858-2025-A-FILE-PY 2025 Ap & Ac CDBG, ESG, HOME HOPWA](#)
[858-2025-FP Letter - PY 2025 Ap & Ac CDBG, ESG, HOME HOPWA](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

•Ordinances Referred

[860-2025](#) AN ORDINANCE Changing the Use, Area & Height Districts of parcels of land north and south of Lorain Avenue west of Rocky River Drive (Map Change 2679).

Sponsors: Charles Slife

Indexes: CITY PLANNING COMMISSION; WARD 17; ZONING

Attachments: [860-2025-Zoning - N and S of Lorain](#)

This Ordinance was read and referred to administrative review.to the City Council

•Emergency Resolutions Read in Full and Adopted

[790-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Expressing strong support for the continued operation of the Cleveland Job Corps Center and urging continued federal funding for the Job Corps Program.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek

Indexes: JOB CORPS PROGRAM ; RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT; WARD 08

Attachments: [790-2025-FOR ADOPTION-support Cleveland Job Corps program](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[791-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Objecting to a New C2 Liquor Permit at 1014 East 152nd Street.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 10

Attachments: [791-2025-FOR ADOPTION-OBJ-NEW- 1014 East 152nd St](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Griffin, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[792-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Objecting to the renewal of a D1, D2, D3, D3A and D6 Liquor Permit at 4896 Pearl Road.

Sponsors: Kris Harsh

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 13

Attachments: [792-2025-FOR ADOPTION-OBJ-RENEWAL-4896 Pearl Rd](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[793-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Withdrawing objection to the transfer of ownership of a C1, C2, Liquor 3111 East 93rd Street and repealing Resolution No. 182-2025 objecting to said permit.

Sponsors: Deborah Gray

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 04

Attachments: [793-2025-FOR ADOPTION-WITHDRAWAL-TRFO-3111 East 93rd St](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[794-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Withdrawing objection to the renewal of a D1, D2, D3 and D3A Liquor Permit at 12515-19 & 12523 St. Clair Avenue, and repealing Resolution No. 802-2024 objecting to said renewal.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 08

Attachments: [794-2025-FOR ADOPTION-WITHDRAW-RENEWAL-12515-19 - 12523 ST. CLAIR](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

796-2025 AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION To amend Section 2 of Resolution No. 669-2025, adopted June 2, 2025, regarding the approximate boundaries of the Gordon Square Arts District - Cleveland Improvement District.

Sponsors: Jenny Spencer, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: GORDON SQUARE ARTS DISTRICT ; SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT ; WARD 15

Attachments: [796-2025-FOR ADOPTION-Amend approximate boundaries of Gordon Square SID in Resolution No. 669-2025](#)
[796-2025-FP letter - Amend approximate boundaries of Gordon Square SID in Resolution No. 669-2025](#)
[796-2025 Legis Summary-Gordon Square SID Boundary Correction](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

842-2025 AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Approving the appointment of Luther Roddy to the Community Police Commission.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: APPOINTMENT ; COMMUNITY POLICE COMMISSION ; RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT

Attachments: [842-2025-FOR ADOPTION-CPC member approval \[Luther Roddy\]](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[850-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Appointing an Assessment Equalization Board to hear objections to estimated assessments with respect to the creation of the Gordon Square Arts District - Cleveland Improvement District as a Special Improvement District in the City and the initial plan for public services for the District; and declaring an emergency.

Sponsors: Jenny Spencer, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: ASSESSMENT EQUALIZATION BOARD; GORDON SQUARE ARTS DISTRICT ; SPECIAL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT ; WARD 15

Attachments: [850-2025-FOR ADOPTION-Appoint Assessment Equalization Board for Gordon Square Arts District](#)
[850-2025 Legis Summary-appt assessment equal board for Gordon Square SID](#)
[850-2025-FP letter-Appoint Assessment Equalization Board for Gordon Square Arts District](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[855-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Appointing an Assessment Equalization Board to hear objections to estimated assessments with respect to the creation of the Downtown Cleveland Improvement District in the City and the initial plan for public services for the District; and declaring an emergency.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: ASSESSMENT EQUALIZATION BOARD; DOWNTOWN CLEVELAND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

Attachments: [855-2025-FOR ADOPTION-Appoint Assessment Equalization Board for Downtown Improvement District VG](#)
[855-2025-FP letter - Appoint Assessment Equalization Board for Downtown Improvement District](#)
[855-2025 Legis Summary - appt assesment equal board for Downtown SID](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[856-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Objecting to the renewal of a C2 and C2X Liquor Permit at 1163 East 123rd Street.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 09

Attachments: [856-2025-FOR ADOPTION-OBJ-RENEWAL-1163 East 123rd St](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

SECOND READING LEGISLATION

•Emergency Ordinances Passed

[664-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Community Development to enter into one or more agreements with United Way of Greater Cleveland, as the lead partner organization, to implement a program to provide access to legal services for covered individuals in eviction proceedings under Section 375.12 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, Legal Representation in Housing Court.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: AGREEMENTS; COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT; HOUSING COURT; UNITED WAY OF GREATER CLEVELAND

Attachments: [664-2025-Ag w United Way for access to legal services for evictions](#)

[664-2025 Legis Summary](#)

[664-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)

[664-2025-Amend 664-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[665-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Sections 241.05 and 241.35 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 1143-2024, passed October 28, 2024, relating to food shop licenses fees and categories and fees.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CODIFIED ORDINANCES; FEES; FOOD SHOP LICENSES ; HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Attachments: [665-2025-Amend CO 241.05 and 241.35 food shop licenses and fees](#)
[665-2025 Exec. Summary - Food Fee Legislation Summary](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[703-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Parks and Recreation to accept a donation from the Cleveland Cavaliers of the installation of court surface murals and court game lines with project sponsor logos at two basketball courts located at Trent Park.

Sponsors: Jasmin Santana, Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CLEVELAND CAVALIERS ; DONATION ; PARKS; PARKS AND RECREATION

Attachments: [703-2025-Accept a donation of murals from The Cavs for Trent Park basketball courts](#)
[703-2025-A-FILE-Accept a donation of murals from The Cavs for Trent Park basketball courts](#)
[703-2025-Legis Summary](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[704-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 630.01 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 228-2025, passed April 24, 2025, relating to criminal activity nuisances declared.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CODIFIED ORDINANCES; SAFETY DEPARTMENT

Attachments: [704-2025-Amend 630.01 Criminal activity nuisances-PS](#)

[704-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[704-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)

[704-2025-Amend 704-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[706-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 171.57 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 450-2019, passed April 15, 2019, relating to Military Service leave of absence and benefits during service.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CODIFIED ORDINANCES; HUMAN RESOURCES DEPARTMENT; MILITARY SERVICE

Attachments: [706-2025-Amend CO 171.37 Military service leave of absence SLrev5.29.25](#)

[706-2025 Executive Summary](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[707-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Sections 241.02 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 507-15, passed July 22, 2015, relating to enforcement and inspection of food shops.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CODIFIED ORDINANCES; FOOD SHOPS ; HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Attachments: [707-2025-Amend CO 241.02 enforcement and inspection of food shops](#)
[707-2025 Executive Summary - Cease Use Amendment](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[709-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to request Cuyahoga County to include items not eligible for Federal funds in the resurfacing of West 140th Street from Puritas Avenue to Lakewood Heights Boulevard; and to cause payment for the City's share.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy, Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CAPITAL PROJECTS; CUYAHOGA COUNTY; WARD 16

Attachments: [709-2025-Amend ord 1085-2023 W 140th street resurfacing](#)
[709-2025 Exececutive Summary - Packet to Law Amend](#)
[709-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[709-2025-Amend 709-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[710-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To supplement the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, by amending Sections 403.071 and 431.44, as amended by Ordinance No. 207-09, passed June 8, 2009, related to Idle Reduction.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: CODIFIED ORDINANCES; HEALTH DEPARTMENT; SAFETY DEPARTMENT

Attachments: [710-2025-amend Secs 403.071 and 431.44 re Idle Reduction](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[711-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Directors of City Planning, Capital Projects, and Public Works to apply for and accept grants from the Ohio Department of Transportation for the implementation of the multimodal transportation Cleveland Moves plan; authorizing the Directors of City Planning, Capital Projects and Public Works or appropriate Director, to enter into contracts to implement the grants; determining the method of making the public improvements of constructing safety and multimodal improvements on several roadway segments and authorizing contracts to make the improvements; to apply for and accept any gifts or grants from any public or private entity; authorizing the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies to acquire, accept and record real property and easements that are necessary for the improvement; and authorizing other agreements.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Anthony Hairston, Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CAPITAL PROJECTS; CITY PLANNING COMMISSION; GRANTS; OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (ODOT); PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS; PUBLIC WORKS

Attachments: [711-2025-AP & Ac Cleveland moves implementation grant from ODOT edits](#)
[711-2025-A-FILE-AP & Ac Cleveland moves implementation grant from ODOT](#)
[711-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[711-2025-Amend 711-2025](#)
[711-2025 - Executive Summary](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[712-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to apply for and accept a grant from the Ohio & Erie Canalway Association for the “Strategic Initiatives” grant for improvements at Clark Field.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CAPITAL PROJECTS; GRANTS; PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS; PARKS; WARD 03

Attachments: [712-2025-Ap & ac grant from Ohio and erie Canalway association for Clark Field Improvements](#)
[712-2025 Executive Summary - Packet to Law](#)
[712-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[712-2025-Amend 712-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[713-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Safety to apply for and accept a grant from the Ohio Office of Criminal Justice Services for the FY 2024 Ohio Drug Law Enforcement Fund grant for the operation of the Cartel Gang Narcotics and Laundering Task Force, formerly known as the Northern Ohio Law Enforcement Task Force; and authorizing the Director to enter into agreements with the Cuyahoga County Sheriff's Office and other entities to implement the grant.

Sponsors: Michael Polensek, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CUYAHOGA COUNTY SHERIFFS DEPARTMENT ; GRANTS; OHIO OFFICE OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE SERVICES ; SAFETY DEPARTMENT

Attachments: [713-2025-AP & Ac OH Drug Law Enforcement for Cartel Gang Narcotics and Laundering](#)
[713-2025-A-FILE-AP & Ac OH Drug Law Enforcement for Cartel Gang Narcotics and Laundering](#)
[713-2025 Executive Summary](#)
[713-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[713-2025-Amend 713-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

714-2025 AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Approving the 2026-2040 Cuyahoga County Solid Waste Management Plan Update for the Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CUYAHOGA COUNTY SOLID WASTE DISTRICT

Attachments: [714-2025-App solid waste management plan](#)

[714-2025-A-FILE-2026-2040 Cuyahoga County SWMP Revised Draft for Ratification May 2025](#)

[714-2025-Presentation-App solid waste mangment plan](#)

[714-2025-Solid Waste Plan Update Fact Sheet 2025](#)

[714-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[714-2025 Ratification Presentation](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

715-2025 AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Appropriating funds obtained from Cleveland Casino Revenues for use by Cleveland City Council for projects properly benefitting the public and adopting new protocols for the use of such funds.

Sponsors: Richard Starr, Stephanie Howse-Jones and Anthony Hairston

Indexes: CITY COUNCIL; CASINO REVENUE FUNDS ; FUNDS

Attachments: [715-2025-Casino Funds Policy](#)

[715-2025-A-FILE-Casino Review Funds Protocol 2025 Council](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[716-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Community Development to enter into one or more contracts with The Ohio State University for the purpose of implementing the soil lead testing and mitigation components for the 2025 Summer Sprouts community gardening program, Department of Community Development, for a period of one year.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT; CONTRACTS; SUMMER SPROUTS ; THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY (OSU)

Attachments: [716-2025-Dir Prof Serv w Ohio State University for soil lead testing for 2025 Summer Sprouts program \(clean\)](#)
[716-2025-summary-Dir Prof Serv w Ohio State University for soil lead testing for 2025 Summer Sprouts program \(clean\)](#)
[716-2025 Legis Summary-OSU](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[718-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to issue a permit to The Boards of Park Commissioners of the Cleveland Metropolitan Park District to encroach into the public rights-of-way of Old Lorain Road and Riveredge Road by installing, using and maintaining a 10'-wide asphalt multi-purpose trail.

Sponsors: Charles Slife, Kevin Bishop, Anthony Hairston and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CAPITAL PROJECTS; CLEVELAND METROPARKS DISTRICT ; ENCROACHMENTS; PERMITS; WARD 17

Attachments: [718-2025-Encl - Old Lorain Rd. Riveredge Rd. Metropark](#)
[718-2025 Legislative Summary](#)
[718-2025 Map](#)
[718-2025-Spencer recusal](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 12 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

Recused: 1 - Jenny Spencer

720-2025 AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To supplement the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio 1976 by enacting new Sections 164.01 to 164.04 and 173.19, relating to the creation of the Cleveland Commission on Black Males.

Sponsors: Richard Starr and Anthony Hairston

Indexes: CLEVELAND COMMISSION ON BLACK MALES ; CODIFIED ORDINANCES

Attachments: [720-2025-establishing Chapter 164 Cleveland Commission on Black Males](#)
[720-2025 Executive Summary](#)
[720-2025 Amend 720-2025](#)
[720-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[720-2025-Amend 720-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

721-2025 AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Finance to execute various deeds of easement and various temporary deeds of easement granting to the Northeast Ohio Regional Sewer District certain easement rights at several City-owned properties located near Horseshoe Lake Park in the cities of Cleveland Heights and Shaker Heights and declaring the easement rights not needed for the City's public use.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CITY OF CLEVELAND HEIGHTS; CITY OF SHAKER HEIGHTS ; EASEMENTS; FINANCE DEPARTMENT; NORTHEAST OHIO REGIONAL SEWER DISTRICT

Attachments: [721-2025-Grant permanent and temporary easements to NEORSD for Doan Brook Restoration Project](#)
[721-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[721-2025-Amend 721-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[722-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Health to enter into contract with the Ohio Department of Health to perform investigations of violations regarding smoking in workplaces and other public places.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CONTRACTS; HEALTH DEPARTMENT; OHIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH; SMOKING

Attachments: [722-2025-K w Ohio Health for smoking violation investigations](#)
[722-2025 Executive Summary - SmokeFree Workplace ODH](#)
[Summary 2025 -27](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[724-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Determining the method of making the public improvement of repairing specific brick roadways from any and all funds as authorized by the Director of Finance, authorizing the Director of the Mayor's Office of Capital Projects to enter into one or more public improvement contracts for the making of the improvement; authorizing the Director to apply for and accept any gifts or grants; and authorizing any related agreements.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CAPITAL PROJECTS; FINANCE DEPARTMENT; PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS ; STREETS DIVISION

Attachments: [724-2025-PIK for brick street roadways](#)
[724-2025 Executive Summary - New Packet to Law](#)
[724-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[724-2025-Amend 724-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

[745-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1122-2024, passed November 18, 2024, relating to the purchase, lease, or lease with option to purchase, of various on-road vehicles, apparatus, and off-road equipment, cabs, bodies, and accessories, equipment and other aftermarket items, for the various divisions of City government.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: LEASE-PURCHASE AGREEMENTS ; PUBLIC WORKS; VEHICLES

Attachments: [745-2025-Amend 1122-2024 GF vehicles](#)
[745-2025-FP letter-Amend 1122-2024 GF vehicleless](#)
[745-2025 Executive Summary](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

•Ordinances Passed

[670-2025](#) AN ORDINANCE Changing the Use, Area, and Height Districts of parcels of land north and south of Payne Avenue between East 32nd Street and East 38th Street, as shown on the attached map (Map Change 2692).

Sponsors: Stephanie Howse-Jones

Indexes: CITY PLANNING COMMISSION; WARD 07; ZONING

Attachments: [670-2025-Zoning- N and S of Payne Ave btwn E 32 and E 38](#)
[670-2025 Map Change 2692](#)
[670-2025 PRESENTATION](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this Ordinance be approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

MISCELLANEOUS

Council Member Starr made remarks.

MOTION TO EXCUSE THE ABSENCES

The absences of Council Members Howse-Jones, Jones, Maurer and Santana were excused.

A motion was made by Council Member Bishop, seconded by Council Member Gray, that this be approved the Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 13 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jenny Spencer, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 4 - Rebecca Maurer, Jasmin Santana, Joseph T. Jones, and Stephanie Howse-Jones

ADJOURN

7:54 p.m.