



Cleveland City Council

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

Committee Calendar

Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee

Monday, April 14, 2025

2:00 PM

Mercedes Cotner Committee Room 217

The meeting will be live broadcast. See meeting notice for details.

[186-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Sections 607.15 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, relating to the illegal distribution of cigarettes, other tobacco products or alternative nicotine products.

Sponsors:

Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin, Jasmin Santana, Brian Kazy and By Departmental Request

Indexes:

CODIFIED ORDINANCES; HEALTH DEPARTMENT; TOBACCO PRODUCTS

Attachments:

[186-2025-Amend 607.15- illegal distribution of nicotine products](#)

[186-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[187-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To supplement the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, by enacting new Sections 235A.01 through 235A.11 and 235A.99, relating to tobacco retail licensing.

Sponsors:

Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin, Jasmin Santana, Brian Kazy and By Departmental Request

Indexes:

CODIFIED ORDINANCES; HEALTH DEPARTMENT; TOBACCO PRODUCTS SALES LICENSING

Attachments:

[187-2025-Enact Chapter 235A - Tobacco Retail Licensing](#)

[187-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[187-2025 Amend 187-2025](#)

[187-2025-additional amendments for consideration](#)

[188-2025](#)

AN ORDINANCE To enact new Section 347.21 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, relating to smoke shops.

Sponsors:

Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin, Jasmin Santana, Brian Kazy, Joseph Jones and By Departmental Request

Indexes:

CODIFIED ORDINANCES; HEALTH DEPARTMENT; SMOKE SHOPS

Attachments:

[188-2025-Enact Sec. 347.21 - Zoning for smoke shops](#)

[188-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[188-2025 & 189-2025 PRESENTATION](#)

[188-2025-Amend 188-2025 \(Smoke Shop zoning\) additional amendments](#)

[189-2025](#) AN ORDINANCE To supplement the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, by enacting new Section 350.121 relating to window sign coverage limitation and to amend Section 3104.02 of the codified ordinances, as amended by Ordinance No. 388-2024, passed April 1, 2024, relating to civil offenses.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin, Jasmin Santana, Brian Kazy and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CODIFIED ORDINANCES; HEALTH DEPARTMENT; WINDOW SIGN COVERAGE LIMITATION

Attachments: [189-2025-Enact Sec. 350.121 and amend Sec. 3104.02 - Advertising in window](#)

[189-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[188-2025 & 189-2025 PRESENTATION](#)

[189-2025-Amend 189-2025 \(zoning window covering\)](#)

[229-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend the title and Section 1 of Ordinance No. 1052-2024, passed November 25, 2024, to change the name of Prospect International Airport Services Corporation to Prospect International Airport Services, LLC.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: NAME - CHANGE ; PORT CONTROL DEPARTMENT

Attachments: [229-2025-amend ord 1052-2024 Prospect International Airport Services name c](#)

[229-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[229-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)

[229-2025-Amend 229-2025](#)

[234-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Port Control to employ one or more professional consultants to provide technical support and maintenance of core information technology activities and other related services and to acquire software, for the Department of Port Control, for a period of one year, with four one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Port Control.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: PORT CONTROL DEPARTMENT; PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

Attachments: [234-2025-Prof serv tech support and maintenance for core IT- PC](#)

[234-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[238-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 2 of Ordinance No. 402-2022, passed June 6, 2022, relating to general planning, engineering and design services to add an additional funding source.

Sponsors:

Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes:

PORT CONTROL DEPARTMENT; PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

Attachments:

[238-2025-amend ord 402-2022 provide general planning and engineering- add f](#)
[238-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[240-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To repeal Ordinance No. 828-2024, passed September 23, 2024, relating to the purchase of up to thirteen passenger-boarding bridges at Cleveland Hopkins International Airport; and determining the method of making the public improvement of purchasing, installing, disposing, designing and constructing of up to thirteen passenger boarding bridges and appurtenances; and authorizing the Director of Port Control to enter into one or more public improvement contracts for the making of the improvement.

Sponsors:

Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes:

CLEVELAND HOPKINS INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT; PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS

Attachments:

[240-2025-Repeal 828-2024 Std k thirteen passenger boarding bridges to chang](#)
[240-2025 Executive Summary](#)
[240-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[240-2025-Amend 240-2025](#)

[246-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Directors of Parks and Recreation and Community Development to enter into a property exchange agreement with the Board of Education of the Cleveland Municipal School District for the transfer of various properties between the parties to facilitate the efficient use of real estate for public purposes including construction of the new JFK High School Athletic Stadium at property near the new JFK High School and City-owned JFK Recreation Center; authorizing the Mayor and Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies to acquire and convey the properties; and authorizing one or more agreements between the Cleveland Municipal School District and the Director of Parks and Recreation relating to the construction and shared use of the new stadium, for a term of fifteen years and renewing automatically from year to year thereafter until terminated by either party.

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

Indexes: CLEVELAND METROPOLITAN SCHOOL DISTRICT ; COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT; PARKS AND RECREATION ; PURCHASES AND SUPPLIES DIVISION; WARD 01

Attachments: [246-2025-Land swap with CMSD JFK Stadium Shared Use Ag](#)
[246-2025 Executive Summary](#)
[246-2025 Amend 246-2025](#)
[246-2025 Location Maps](#)
[246-2025 PRESENTATION](#)

[338-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Building and Housing to enter into one or more contracts with Crowe LLP for professional services necessary to perform lead-safe auditor services, for a period of three years.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: BUILDING AND HOUSING DEPARTMENT; PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS; LEAD SAFE

Attachments: [338-2025-K w Crowe LLP for Lead Safe Auditor](#)
[338-2024 FP Letter - Amend various non-union paybands 2-6 30-45 53 56 and !](#)

[423-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To add the name Jonah Moore, Sr. Way as a secondary and honorary name to Dickens Avenue between East 93rd Street and Martin Luther King, Jr. Drive.

Sponsors: Deborah Gray

Indexes: CITY PLANNING COMMISSION; STREETS -- DEDICATION; WARD 04

Attachments: [423-2025-desig honorary name of Jonah Moore Way to Dickens Ave](#)

[434-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Economic Development to enter into a Tax Increment Financing Agreement with JSAACC LLC, and/or its designee, to assist with the financing of the African Town Plaza Project to be located at 7515 Cedar Avenue, 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: Richard Starr, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT; TAX INCREMENT FINANCING (TIF) ; WARD 05

Attachments: [434-2025-TIF Ag w JSAACC LLC for African Town Plaza](#)
[434-2025-A-FILE-TIF Ag w JSAACC LLC for African Town Plaza](#)
[434-2025 Executive Summary](#)
[434-2025 PRESENTATION](#)

[469-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Recognizing National Black Maternal Health Week April 11 - April 17, 2025, and declaring this week Black Maternal Health Week in the City of Cleveland; and honoring the efforts of Black-led organizations driving systemic change in maternal health, and committing to supporting initiatives that promote equity, healing, and thriving communities.

Sponsors: Stephanie Howse-Jones

Indexes: BLACK MATERNAL HEALTH WEEK ; RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT; WARD 07

Attachments: [469-2025-Black Maternal Health Week](#)

[Item-1031](#) Finance, Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee Meeting Notice for April 14, 2025

Attachments: [FDEI Committee Meeting Notice for 4-14-2025](#)

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