

Cleveland City Council

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



Meeting Minutes

Monday, March 24, 2025

7:00 PM

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

Council Chambers

City Council

[Item-1014](#) Cleveland City Council Meeting Notice for March 24, 2025

Attachments: [Council Meeting Notice for 3-24-2025](#)

CALL TO ORDER; ROLL CALL

7:03 p.m.

Present 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

MOMENT OF REFLECTION**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE****DISPENSE WITH THE JOURNAL**

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

Yea: 14 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

Absent: 1 - Stephanie Howse-Jones

PUBLIC COMMENT

Comments were made by André Simmons, Darrell Houston, Brenda Bickerstaff, Pamela Pinkney, Faouzi Baddour, Josiah Quarles, James Germalic, Teri Wang.

REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS**•Communications**

[370-2025](#) Oath of Office for Anthony Bango, Member of Cleveland Housing Investment Fund (CHIF) Project (Loan) Review Committee.

Attachments: [370-2025-COMMUNICATION-Oath of Office for Anthony Bango, CHIF Proj Comm](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[371-2025](#) Oath of Office for Cecilia Rodriguez, Member of Cleveland Housing Investment Fund (CHIF) Project (Loan) Review Committee.

Attachments: [371-2025-COMMUNICATION-Oath of Office for Cecilia Rodriguez, CHIF Proj Comm](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[372-2025](#) Oath of Office for Anthony Scott, Member of Cleveland Housing Investment Fund (CHIF) Project (Loan) Review Committee.

Attachments: [372-2025-COMMUNICATION-Oath of Office for Anthony Scott, CHIF Proj Comm](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[373-2025](#) Oath of Office for Anthony T. Hairston, Voting Member of Cleveland Housing Investment Fund (CHIF) Project (Loan) Review Committee.

Attachments: [373-2025-COMMUNICATION-Oath of Office for Anthony Hairston, CHIF Proj Comm](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[374-2025](#) Oath of Office for Jasmin Santana, Voting Member of Cleveland Housing Investment Fund (CHIF) Project (Loan) Review Committee.

Attachments: [374-2025-COMMUNICATION-Oath of Office for Jasmin Santana, CHIF Proj Comm](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

[375-2025](#) From Division of Treasury, Department of Finance, City of Cleveland. City of Cleveland Cash Management and Investment Policy (March 27, 2015). Received, pursuant to Section 178.14 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976.

Attachments: [375-2025-COMMUNICATION-City of Cleveland Investment Policy MAR 2015](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

•The Ohio Division of Liquor Control

[376-2025](#) #7314877. Transfer of Ownership Application, C1 C2. Reva Om LLC, 14939 Puritas Ave. (Ward 16).

Attachments: [376-2025-COMMUNICATION-Liquor14939Puritas](#)

This Communication was received and filed.

SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS

•Condolence; Moment of Silence**[390-2025](#)** Condolence Resolution for Avery Cowan Hill**Sponsors:** Deborah Gray**Indexes:** CONDOLENCES**This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.****[391-2025](#)** Condolence Resolution for Jeanine Conway**Sponsors:** Blaine Griffin**Indexes:** CONDOLENCES**This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.****[392-2025](#)** Condolence Resolution for David Douglas McDonald**Sponsors:** Blaine Griffin**Indexes:** CONDOLENCES**This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.****[393-2025](#)** Condolence Resolution for Benson Fleming**Sponsors:** Joseph Jones**Indexes:** CONDOLENCES**This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.****[402-2025](#)** Condolence Resolution for Jimmy Williams**Sponsors:** Kevin Conwell**Indexes:** CONDOLENCES**This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.****•Congratulations/Recognition/Appreciation/Commendation/Commemoration/Welcome****[394-2025](#)** Congratulations Resolution for University Hospitals Diabetes Metabolic Ribbon Cutting**Sponsors:** Stephanie Howse-Jones**Indexes:** CONGRATULATIONS**This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.**

[395-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Dorothy Mosely-Williams

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[396-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for The Meeting Place Learning Center

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[397-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Bailey's Dream Child Care Center

Sponsors: Danny Kelly

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[398-2025](#) Congratulations Resolution for Adrienne Grayson

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: CONGRATULATIONS

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[399-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for Laura Cowan

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: RECOGNITION

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[400-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for Dr. Alex Adjei

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: RECOGNITION

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

[401-2025](#) Recognition Resolution for Kim Bell

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell

Indexes: RECOGNITION

This Ceremonial Resolution was read into the record.

PRESENTATIONS

Council Members Conwell and Gray made presentations.

FIRST READING LEGISLATION**•Emergency Ordinances Referred**

[378-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Parks and Recreation to enter into a contract with the Northeast Ohio Muni Football League aka Cleveland Municipal Football Association dba Cleveland Muni Football League to conduct a city-wide youth football program.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin, Richard Starr and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [378-2025-K w Northeast Ohio Muni football league](#)

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

[379-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the purchase and/or rental by one or more requirement contracts of machines, equipment, supplies and parts needed to repair, replace, refurbish, maintain, upfit, and enhance vehicles, equipment, and machines, including labor, materials, installation, training, inspections, and related services, for the various divisions of the Department of Port Control, for a period of one year, with three one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Port Control.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [379-2025-Req K I & m to repair, replace, refurbishing vehicles, equipment and machines, PC](#)

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

[383-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Finance, on behalf of the Office of Prevention, Intervention, and Opportunity, to enter into an amendment to Contract No. PS 2024-86 with Youth Opportunities Unlimited, to increase contract funds to recruit up to an additional 150 youth applicants and to hire four additional job coaches for 2025 and to exercise the renewal option.

Sponsors: Jasmin Santana, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [383-2025-Amend K w Youth Opportunities Unlimited to add additional services, YOU](#)

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

[384-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Utilities to enter into one or more requirement contracts without competitive bidding with Craun-Liebing Company for the purchase of proprietary parts and services to install, maintain, repair and replace Gorman-Rupp pump equipment, for the Division of Water Pollution Control, Department of Public Utilities, for a period of two years.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [384-2025-Dir req k w Craun Liebing for Gorman-Rupp](#)

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

[385-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Port Control to enter into various written standard and requirement contracts for 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 necessary to equip the vehicles authorized for their intended purposes, including vehicle rehabilitation, training, and inspections, as needed, for the Department of Port Control, for a period of one year, with a one-year option to renew, exercisable by the Director of Port Control.

Sponsors: Kerry McCormack, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [385-2025-Std and Req K vehicles PC](#)

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

[386-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend the first whereas clause, the title, and Sections 1 and 5 of Ordinance No. 647-2024, passed June 3, 2024, relating to agreements with the Cleveland Cavaliers, or its designee, for improving Public Auditorium to allow the Cleveland Charge to conduct and host league basketball games; and to supplement the ordinance relating to parking.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [386-2025-Amend 647-2024, Cleveland Charge parking, Cavaliers](#)

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

[387-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE That various sections throughout Chapters 251 to 291 of the Air Pollution Control Code are amended and repealed as enacted or amended by various ordinances; supplementing new sections throughout those chapters; and enacting new Chapters 266, 268 and 299 of the Air Pollution Control Code relating to fugitive emissions, indoor air quality and penalties.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [387-2025-Chapters 251 to 291, new Chapters 266, 268, 299 - New Air Pollution Code](#)

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

•Emergency Ordinances Read in Full and Passed

[377-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 2 of Ordinance No. 1061-2024, passed March 3, 2025, relating to the establishment of the North Coast Waterfront New Community Authority, defining the boundary, and appointing members.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Attachments: [377-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Amend 1061-2024 North Coast Waterfront New Community Authority](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

388-2025

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Mayor and the Commissioner of Purchases and Supplies to acquire and re-convey properties presently owned by JSAACC LLC, and/or its designee, located at 7515 Cedar Avenue for the purpose of entering into the chain-of-title prior to the adoption of tax increment financing legislation authorized under Section 5709.41 of the Revised Code for the African Town Plaza Project.

Sponsors: Richard Starr, Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [388-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Enter into chain of title w JSAACC LLC for African Town Plaza](#)
[388-2025-FP letter- Enter into chain of title w JSAACC LLC for African Town Plaza](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

389-2025

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Approving the collective bargaining agreement with the Cleveland Patrolmen's Association (CPPA) -Patrol Officers; and to amend Section 55 of Ordinance No. 194-2021, passed March 29, 2021, as amended, relating to salaries for various classifications.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Attachments: [389-2025-FOR PASSAGE-Ratify CBA collective bargaining agreement with CPPA-](#)
[389-2025-A-FILE-Ratify CBA collective bargaining agreement with CPPA](#)
[389-2025-FP letter-Ratify CBA collective bargaining agreement with CPPA](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

•Emergency Resolutions Read in Full and Adopted

[380-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Objecting to the transfer of ownership of a C1, C2 Liquor Permit to 14939 Puritas Avenue.

Sponsors: Brian Kazy

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 16

Attachments: [380-2025-FOR ADOPTION-OBJ-TRFO-14939 Puritas Ave](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[381-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Withdrawing objection to a NEW C1 Liquor Permit at 16601 Euclid Avenue, and repealing Resolution No. 316-25 objecting to said permit.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston

Indexes: LIQUOR PERMITS; WARD 10

Attachments: [381-2025-FOR ADOPTION-WITHDRAW-NEW-16601 Euclid Ave](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[382-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Urging the United States federal government to relocate the headquarters of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration to Cleveland, Ohio.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin, Kevin Bishop, Kevin Conwell, Deborah Gray, 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

Attachments: [382-2025-FOR ADOPTION-urge NASA relocate to CLE](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

SECOND READING LEGISLATION

•Emergency Ordinances Passed

[719-2024](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of Ordinance No. 482-2022, passed May 25, 2022, relating to establishing the entire City of Cleveland as a Community Reinvestment Area.

Sponsors: Anthony Hairston, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT; COMMUNITY REINVESTMENT AREA

Attachments: [719-2024-Amend 482-2022 \(CRA\) to change terms of the program](#)

[719-2024 Executive Summary](#)

[719-2024 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)

[719-2024-Amend 719-2024](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Maurer, seconded by Council Member McCormack, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved as amended. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[157-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Capital Projects and/or City Planning to enter into one or more contracts with Svona Studio LLC, Lauren HB Studio and Kistler Studio LLC for professional services necessary for the design, production, and installation of three yet-to-be designed public artwork installations at the renovated Clark Recreation Center, the renovated Sterling Recreation Center, and the new Fire Station No. 26.

Sponsors: Jenny Spencer, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CAPITAL PROJECTS; CITY PLANNING COMMISSION; FIRE DIVISION; PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS; RECREATION CENTERS

Attachments: [157-2025-K w Svona Lauren HB and Kistler Studios for artwork at Clark and Sterling rec Centers and Fire Station No. 26](#)
[157-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[176-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Works to enter into an amendment to Contract No. MA1505-RC 2022-32 with Lorain County Landfill, LLC, to add additional services for the handling and disposal of solid waste loads.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CONTRACTS; PUBLIC WORKS; WASTE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL DIVISION

Attachments: [176-2025-Amend contract RC 2022-32 to authorize additional services for solid waste disposal](#)
[176-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[178-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Capital Projects to employ one or more professional consultants for the preliminary design, the final design, and construction services relating to rehabilitation of the Carter Road Lift Bridge; to apply for and accept any gifts, grants, or loans from the appropriate State of Ohio department or other public or private entity or agency for the rehabilitation of the Carter Road Lift Bridge.

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

Indexes: BRIDGES; CAPITAL PROJECTS; PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS; STATE OF OHIO

Attachments: [178-2025-Prof Serv for Carter Road Lift Bridge gifts grants and loans](#)

[178-2025 Executive Summary](#)

[178-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)

[178-2025-Amend 178-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Maurer, seconded by Council Member McCormack, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved as amended. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[217-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Clerk of Council to enter into an agreement with Saint Martin De Porres High School to participate as a sponsor of students for work/study positions with Cleveland City Council.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin

Indexes: AGREEMENTS; CITY COUNCIL; CLERK OF COUNCIL

Attachments: [217-2025-SMDP 2025-26](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[232-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Works to enter into one or more agreements with the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation, to provide services necessary for general routine maintenance and repair of a portion of State Route 176, for a period or periods not to exceed a total of two years.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: AGREEMENTS; OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION (ODOT); PUBLIC WORKS; STATE OF OHIO

Attachments: [232-2025-2025-K w ODOT for maintenance on a portion of mile marker 10 on SR 176](#)
[232-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[233-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Determining the method of making the public improvement for the grinding of pavement for the local resurfacing of city streets and authorizing the Director of Public Works to enter into one or more public improvement requirement contracts for the making of the improvement, for a period up to one year, with two one-year options to renew, exercisable by the Director of Public Works.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTS ; PUBLIC WORKS

Attachments: [233-2025-PIK Req k grinding pavement](#)
[233-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[235-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the purchase by one or more requirement contracts of rock salt, for the Division of Streets, Department of Public Works, for a period of one year.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CONTRACTS; PUBLIC WORKS; STREETS DIVISION

Attachments: [235-2025-Req K rock salt](#)
[235-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[239-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the Director of Public Works to enter into one or more contracts with FASTER Asset Solutions for the acquisition of a database management system including software licenses, system support annual maintenance and the services necessary to migrate to a web based system, for the Division of Motor Vehicle Maintenance, Department of Public Works, for a period of two years.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: MOTOR VEHICLE MAINTENANCE DIVISION (MVM); PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACT ; PUBLIC WORKS

Attachments: [239-2025-Dir Prof Serv with FASTER Asset Solutions to upgrade current inventory system to web based](#)
[239-2025 Executive Summary](#)
[239-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[239-2025-Amend 239-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Maurer, seconded by Council Member McCormack, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved as amended. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[242-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Approving the addition of certain property located at 2164-2214 West 25th Street 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 a 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

Indexes: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT; COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT ; NORTHEAST OHIO ADVANCED ENERGY DISTRICT ; WARD 03

Attachments: [242-2025-Addition of property on West 25 to NE Ohio Energy District Carriage Co PACE](#)
[242-2025-A File](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[245-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 2 of Ordinance No. 75-2024, passed April 15, 2024, relating to professional services of providing emergency medical billing services, coding, reimbursement and compliance services.

Sponsors: Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: FINANCE DEPARTMENT; EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE DIVISION; PROFESSIONAL SERVICES CONTRACTS

Attachments: [245-2025-amend ord 75-2024, prof serv for emergency medical billing services](#)
[245-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[303-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To supplement Ordinance No. 549-2023, passed May 22, 2023, to add new Section 10 relating to a grant from Ohio EPA for operation of Division of Air Quality, to add authority to enter into a contract with Teledyne API for the purchase of air monitoring equipment.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: DIVISION OF AIR QUALITY ; GRANTS; HEALTH DEPARTMENT; OHIO ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

Attachments: [303-2025-Amend 549-2023 Air Quality grant to enter into k with Teledyne](#)
[303-2025 Executive Summary](#)
[303-2025 as amended-desk copy-Final](#)
[303-2025-Amend 303-2025](#)

A motion was made by Council Member Maurer, seconded by Council Member McCormack, that this Emergency Ordinance be approved as amended. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[304-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 551.111 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 974-13, passed December 1, 2014, relating to setting out an excessively large quantity of waste for collection prohibited; applicability; penalty.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CODIFIED ORDINANCES; PUBLIC WORKS; WASTE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL DIVISION

Attachments: [304-2025-Amend CO 551.111 waste collection](#)
[304-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[305-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE To amend Section 551.112 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 2393-02, passed February 2, 2003, relating to fees for dumpster and compactor rentals; and; To amend Section 551.301 of the Codified Ordinances of Cleveland, Ohio, 1976, as amended by Ordinance No. 676-A-82, passed June 21, 1982, relating to service charges for tire shredding.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CODIFIED ORDINANCES; FEES; PUBLIC WORKS; WASTE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL DIVISION

Attachments: [305-2025-Amend CO 551.301 and 551.112 dumpster and tire shredding charges](#)
[305-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 14 - Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Nay: 1 - Brian Kazy

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[306-2025](#)

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE Authorizing the purchase by one or more requirement contracts for the transfer and disposal of tires, for the Division of Waste Collection and Disposal, Department of Public Works, for a term of two years.

Sponsors: Kevin Bishop, Blaine Griffin and By Departmental Request

Indexes: CONTRACTS; PUBLIC WORKS; WASTE COLLECTION AND DISPOSAL DIVISION

Attachments: [306-2025-Req K wire transfer and disposal w bond](#)
[306-2025 Executive Summary](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

•Emergency Resolutions Adopted

[324-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Supporting National Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month and declaring the month of March as Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month annually in the City of Cleveland to help raise awareness and encourage people to begin colon cancer screening at age 45 as recommended by the American Cancer Society.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell and Blaine Griffin

Indexes: AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY; CITY OF CLEVELAND ; RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT; WARD 09; WARD 06

Attachments: [324-2025-declaring Colorectal Cancer Awareness Month](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

[333-2025](#) AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION Strongly encouraging the Cleveland Metropolitan School District to install school bus stop-arm safety cameras that will capture drivers who fail to stop when the bus stop-arm is out and pass school buses that are loading and unloading children.

Sponsors: Kevin Conwell, Blaine Griffin, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Danny Kelly, Charles Slife and Richard Starr

Indexes: CLEVELAND METROPOLITAN SCHOOL DISTRICT ; RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT; WARD 09

Attachments: [333-2025-urging CMSD to install school bus stop-arm safety cameras](#)

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

Yea: 15 - Brian Kazy, Kerry McCormack, Kevin Conwell, Michael Polensek, Rebecca Maurer, Anthony T. Hairston, Blaine A. Griffin, Charles Slife, Deborah A. Gray, Jasmin Santana, Kevin L. Bishop, Kris Harsh, Stephanie Howse-Jones, Richard A. Starr, and Danny Kelly

Excused: 2 - Jenny Spencer, and Joseph T. Jones

INTRODUCTIONS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

MISCELLANEOUS

Council Member Harsh made remarks.

MOTION TO EXCUSE THE ABSENCES

The absences of Council Members Jones and Spencer were excused.

This was approved.

ADJOURN

8:31 p.m.