

AGENDA

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

MONDAY, JUNE 7, 2021

7:00 p.m.

This meeting will be conducted by teleconference.

The public may listen into this meeting by calling the following conference line and then entering the conference code:

Dial-In Number: (929) 436-2866

Meeting ID: 381 083 245

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Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

MINUTES FOR APPROVAL:

Approval of City Council Minutes: April 19, 2021

COMMUNICATIONS TO BE REFERRED TO COMMITTEES:

- 77-20** Communication from OPED re: Proposed Resolution Accepting Gift of Grant-Funded Bicycle Racks from Metropolitan Council of Governments (MetroCOG), referred to Economic Community Development and Environment Committee.
- 78-20** Communication from City Attorney re: Proposed Settlement of Pending Litigation with Louis Cafora, Administrator of the Estate of Frederick Cafora, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.
- 80-20** Communication from Central Grants re: Grant Submission: State of Connecticut Office of Policy and Management Criminal Justice Policy and Planning Division Project Longevity Grant (#22351), referred to Public Safety and Transportation Committee.

RESOLUTIONS TO BE REFERRED TO BOARDS, COMMISSIONS, ETC.:

- 79-20** Resolution presented by Council Member(s) Newton & Martinez and Co-sponsor Herron re: Proposed resolution holding Police Financially Accountable in Brutality Settlements, referred to Miscellaneous Matters Committee.

MATTERS TO BE ACTED UPON (CONSENT CALENDAR):

- *59-20** Economic and Community Development and Environment Committee Report re: Resolution Authorizing the Disposition of Three (3) City-Owned Properties.
- *66-20** Economic and Community Development and Environment Committee Report re: Resolution Approving Programs for the Connecticut Neighborhood Assistance Act Tax Credit Program.

MATTERS TO BE ACTED UPON:

- 34-20** Public Safety and Transportation Committee Report re: Resolution for an Honorary Naming of the Paper Street traversing the parking lot of the House of God Community Church on Stratford Avenue be designated as “Bishop Ronnie Brayboy Way”.
- 42-20** Public Safety and Transportation Committee Report re: Grant Submission: Department of Homeland Security (DHS) Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) Program (#21210 & #21483).
- 45-20** Public Safety and Transportation Committee Report re: Resolution to conduct an Informational Meeting with the Police Chief, Fire Chief and Emergency Management Director regarding use of Fire Police Volunteers.
- 71-20** Public Safety and Transportation Committee Report re: Installation of a Streetlight on Utility Pole #6365 located at 1259 Kossuth Street.
- 68-20** Education and Social Services Committee Report re: Grant Submission: Connecticut Department of Education AccelerateCT Summer Program Innovation Grant Program (#21681), **DENIED**.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

- 58-20** Joint Committee on Economic and Community Development and Environment and Contracts Report re: Resolution Authorizing a Lease Agreement for a portion of 80 Hastings Street to allow for an Outdoor Tasting and Picnic Area for Fifth State Distillery.

(Special Note: All items listed on the agenda can be found on the City Clerk’s website within 24 hours of meeting: City Council Agendas/Minutes; City Council; 2020-2021; Full/Minutes/Size; 2021-06-07 pdf)

THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSON HAS REQUESTED PERMISSION TO ADDRESS THE CITY COUNCIL ON MONDAY, JUNE 7, 2021 AT 6:30 P.M. THIS MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED BY ZOOM/TELECONFERENCE. THE FOLLOWING NAMED PERSON MAY DIAL INTO THIS MEETING TO SPEAK BY CALLING THE FOLLOWING CONFERENCE LINE AND THEN ENTERING THE CONFERENCE CODE:

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NAME	SUBJECT
Maria Pereira 206 Bradley Street Bridgeport, CT 06610	Fifth State Distillery Lease and conduct of City Council President, etc.
Michele Smalls 10 Mencil Circle Bridgeport, CT 06610	Fifth State Distillery lease, etc.
Helen Olga Losak 306 Bradley Street Bridgeport, CT 06610	80 Hastings Street outdoor patio lease and conduct of Fifth State Distillery owner.
Adriana Aristy 73 Pennsylvania Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06610	Conduct of Fifth State Distillery owner, etc.
Jessica Ortiz-Michaca 98 Emerald Street Bridgeport, CT 06610	Conduct of City Council in purposefully denying residents of the 138 th district to be heard at a duly noticed public hearing, etc.
Carmen Ramos 50 Goddard Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06610	Fifth State Distillery and threatening behavior of owner, etc.
Andre Whaley 181 Wessels Avenue Bridgeport, CT 06610	Fifth State Distillery lease, etc.
Robin Avant 111 Hastings Street Bridgeport, CT 06610	Fifth State Distillery (Hastings Street).
Latoya Johnson Left Hearts Inc. 3 Edwin Street Bridgeport, CT 06607	Dirt Bike Ordinance and task force that was set up and space needed for children to ride instead of streets.
Daniel Vadi 38 Cogswell Street Bridgeport, CT 06610	Fifth State Distillery and conduct of City Council.