RESOLUTION NO. **116-10**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND THE DIRECTOR OF HELEN S. BROWN SENIOR CITIZENS CENTER TO PREPARE AND SUBMIT AN APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SPECIALIZED TRANSPORTATION GRANT PROGRAM OF THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPARATION, AND FOR THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE CONTRACTS AS REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT THE IMPROVEMENTS UNDER THE PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested by: Director of Helen S. Brown Senior Citizens Center
Sponsored by: Councilwoman Chantelle C. Lewis
Referred to Committee on December 21, 2010
Referred to Agenda Review on 1/25/11 at General Services & Administration Meeting
Passed on February 1, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. **01-11**

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH GPD GROUP TO PROVIDE MUNICIPAL ENGINEERING CONSULTANT SERVICES FOR THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2011, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC PEACE, HEALTH AND SAFETY.

Request By: Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on January 13, 2011, at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on March 1, 2011
Passed March 15, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. **02-11**

A RESOLUTION EXCUSING THE ABSENCES OF COUNCILWOMAN MILDRED BREWER FROM ALL COUNCIL MEETINGS THAT OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD FROM NOVEMBER 16, 2010, THROUGH JANUARY 4, 2011; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored by: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on January 18, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 03-11

RESOLUTION PLACING A MORATORIUM NOT GREATER THAN SIX MONTHS ON THE ACCEPTANCE AND PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS FOR ZONING PERMITS FOR SWEEPSTAKES/INTERNET CAFÉS AND THE ISSUANCE OF SUCH APPROVALS, AND DECLARING IT TO BE AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, AND GENERAL WELFARE OF THE CITY.

Requested By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Failed on January 18, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 04-2011

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(C) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH TO OPERATE AS A CHURCH AT 1862 NOBLE ROAD, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Referred to Committee on January 18, 2011
Referred to Agenda Review on March 8, 2011 from Health & Safety Committee
Passed on March 15, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 05-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(A) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH TO OPERATE A RELIGIOUS SCHOOL AT 1862 NOBLE ROAD, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Referred to Committee on January 18, 2011
Referred to Agenda Review on March 8, 2011 from Health & Safety Committee
Failed on March 15, 2011
Referred to Committee on March 31, 2011, at Agenda Review

RESOLUTION NO. 06-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(S) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH TO LEASE PROPERTY TO MURTIS H. TAYLOR TO CONTINUE OPERATIONS AT 1862 NOBLE ROAD, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Withdrawn by the Administration on January 13, 2011, at Agenda Review
RESOLUTION NO. 07-11

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND’S PARTICIPATION IN THE TAX ADVANCEMENT PROGRAM OF THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY BUDGET COMMISSION AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY TO FACILITATE TAX ADVANCES IN 2011.

Request By: Mayor Gary A. Norton
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on January 18, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 08-11

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR TO APPLY FOR AN AWARD FROM PHASE 3 OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD STABILIZATION PROGRAM (NSP3) IN THE AMOUNT OF $1,068,142.00; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AS THE APPLICATION DEADLINE IS FEBRUARY 28, 2011.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on February 15, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 09-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF $35,000.00 FROM THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY MUNICIPAL ENERGY PROGRAM AND TO APPROPRIATE SUCH FUNDS TO PERFORM AN ENERGY AUDIT AS REFERENCED IN RESOLUTION 101-10, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested by: Department of Service
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Submitted by Law Department on February 24, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 10-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CITY OF CLEVELAND, DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITIES, DIVISION OF WATER FOR SUBURBAN ASSET RENEWAL PROGRAM PROJECT REIMBURSEMENT, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Passed on February 15, 2011
ORDINANCE NO. 11-11

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 123.09(g)(2) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES TO PROVIDE THE CITY WITH A CURRENT LIST OF WELL QUALIFIED CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT WITHIN THE FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS AND DECLARING A SAFETY EMERGENCY TO ASSURE CONTINUATION OF THE SMOOTH OPERATION OF THE DIVISION.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on February 15, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 12-11

AN ORDINANCE TO REPEAL SECTION 123.09(k) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES TO PROVIDE THE CITY WITH A CURRENT LIST OF WELL QUALIFIED CANDIDATES FOR APPOINTMENT WITHIN THE FIRE AND POLICE DEPARTMENTS AND DECLARING A SAFETY EMERGENCY TO ASSURE CONTINUATION OF THE SMOOTH OPERATION OF THE DIVISION.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Passed on February 15, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 13–11

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND SECTION 121.06 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND RE-ESTABLISHING A FIRE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES DIVISION; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR REASONS OF SAFETY.

Requested by: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored by: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Submitted by the Law Department on February 11, 2011
Passed on March 1, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 14-11

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT TREE AND BRANCH REMOVAL FORESTRY SERVICES DONATED BY WILSON’S TREE SERVICE TO THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND.

Requested By: Department of Service
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Chantelle C. Lewis
Submitted by Law Department on February 24, 2011
Referred to Committee on March 31, 2011, at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review from General Services & Administration on July 26, 2011
Withdrawn by Law Director Ron Riley on August 11, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 15-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT TO GEORGE KAUNAAN TO OPERATE AN INTERNET CAFÉ, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(AA) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, AT 14343 EUCLID AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Department of Service
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Chantelle C. Lewis
Submitted by Law Department on February 24, 2011
Referred to Agenda Review from General Services & Administration on 3/24/11
Referred to Committee on March 31, 2011, at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on 4/7/11 at General Services & Administration Meeting
Referred to Committee on 4/14/11 at Agenda Review
Passed on June 7, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 16-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT TO PAT DIULUS AND JIM ORAZ TO OPERATE AN INTERNET CAFÉ, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(AA) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, AT 15817-23 EUCLID AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Department of Service
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Submitted By Law Department on February 24, 2011
Referred to Agenda Review from General Services & Administration on 3/24/11
Referred to Committee on March 31, 2011, at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on 4/7/11 at General Services & Administration Meeting
Referred to Committee on 4/14/11 at Agenda Review
Passed on June 7, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 17-11

A RESOLUTION OBJECTING TO SENATE BILL 5 WHICH WOULD ELIMINATE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FOR STATE EMPLOYEES AND REFORM COLLECTIVE BARGAINING RULES FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES; AND DECLARING A PUBLIC SAFETY EMERGENCY TO ASSURE THE CONTINUED PRESENCE OF COLLECTIVE BARGAINING FOR EMPLOYEES.

Requested By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Sponsored By
Council President Joy A. Jordan
Council Vice President Chantelle C. Lewis
Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Councilman Nathaniel Martin
Referred to Agenda Review on March 8, 2011 from Health & Safety Committee
Passed on March 15, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 18-11
A RESOLUTION TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS IN VARIOUS FUNDS FOR THE CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, FOR THE PERIOD BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2011 AND DECEMBER 31, 2011; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN ORDER TO ASSURE FUNDING FOR POLICE AND FIRE SERVICES AS OF APRIL 1, 2011.

Request By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Motion to Sponsor and Adopt by Councilwoman Brewer on March 15, 2011
Motion Died for Lack of a Second On March 15, 2011
Failed on March 22, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 19-11
A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(A) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO MURTIS H. TAYLOR TO CONTINUE OPERATIONS AT 1862 NOBLE ROAD, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Passed on March 15, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 20-11
A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(P) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO MURTIS H. TAYLOR TO CONTINUE OPERATIONS AT 1862 NOBLE ROAD, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Passed on March 15, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 21-11
A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(b) (1) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO MURTIS H. TAYLOR TO CONTINUE OPERATIONS AT 1862 NOBLE ROAD, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Passed on March 15, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 22-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(S) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO MURTIS H. TAYLOR TO CONTINUE OPERATIONS AT 1862 NOBLE ROAD, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Passed on March 15, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 24-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO MYRTLE PATTON, AT A COST OF $750.00, A PARCEL OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 16008 CALEDONIA AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112 (PERMANENT PARCEL NO. 673-17-100).

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
First Reading on March 15, 2011
Passed Second Reading on April 5, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 25-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO JOHN HRYNIK DBA SUPER WASH COIN LAUNDRY, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AT A COST OF $2,200.00, TWO PARCELS OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 14631 EUCLID AVE., EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112 (PERMANENT PARCEL NOS. 673-07-028 AND 673-07-067), AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Failed on March 15, 2011
Reconsidered and Passed on April 5, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 26-11

A RESOLUTION TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS IN VARIOUS FUNDS FOR THE CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, FOR THE PERIOD BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2011 AND DECEMBER 31, 2011; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN ORDER TO ASSURE FUNDING FOR POLICE AND FIRE SERVICES AS OF APRIL 1, 2011.

Request By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on March 28, 2011, at Special Council Meeting
RESOLUTION NO. 27-11

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE FAIR HOUSING ACTION PLAN FOR THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND AS MANDATED BY THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.

Requested by: Department of Community Development  
Sponsored by: Councilwoman Barbara Thomas  
First Reading on April 5, 2011  
Passed Second Reading on April 19, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 28-11

AN ORDINANCE ENACTING NEW CHAPTER 710 OF THE BUSINESS REGULATION CODE OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND TO GOVERN THE REGULATION OF COMPUTERIZED SWEEPSTAKES/INTERNET CAFES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Council Vice President Chantelle C. Lewis  
Sponsored By: Council Vice President Chantelle C. Lewis & Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas  
Passed on April 5, 2011  
Vetoed by Mayor Gary Norton, Jr. on April 12, 2011  
Veto Unanimously Overridden on April 19, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 29-11

A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING FAIRFAX RENAISSANCE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION A CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND H.O.M.E. PROGRAM SUBRECIPIENT FOR THE 2011 HUD PROGRAM GRANT YEAR AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH THE CORPORATION TO PROVIDE AND SUBCONTRACT FOR SERVICES FOR THE CITY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Requested by: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.  
Sponsored by: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas  
Referred to Committee on March 31, 2011, at Agenda Review  
Withdrawn by Director Ron Riley on April 1, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 30-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(A) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH TO CONDUCT BIBLE STUDY CLASSES AND RELATED RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION OPERATIONS AT 1862 NOBLE ROAD.

Requested By: The Service Department  
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer  
First Reading Completed on April 5, 2011  
Passed Second Reading on April 19, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 31-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH PUBLIC FINANCE STRATEGIES, LLC FOR A REVENUE COLLECTION AGREEMENT TO RECOVER THE CITY’S UNCOLLECTED FINES, FEES, BILLED SERVICES FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS; AND TO DECLARE THIS LEGISLATION TO BE AN EMERGENCY MEASURE FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Request By: Mayor Gary A. Norton Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on April 19, 2011
Discussed at Contracts & Property on April 21, 2011, and Remains in Committee
Failed on June 21, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 32-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH PATRIOT ENERGY, LLC TO DEVELOP, OPERATE AND MAINTAIN THE EAST CLEVELAND TRANSFER STATION UNDER A MANAGEMENT/ OPERATOR LEASE AGREEMENT; AND TO DECLARE THIS LEGISLATION TO BE AN EMERGENCY MEASURE TO INSURE THE PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Request By: Mayor Gary A. Norton Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on April 14, 2011, at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on May 31, 2011 at Contracts & Property
Referred to Committee on June 16, 2011 at Agenda Review
Passed on July 19, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 33-11

A RESOLUTION DESIGNATING FAIRFAX RENAISSANCE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION A CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND H.O.M.E. PROGRAM SUBRECIPIENT FOR THE 2011 HUD PROGRAM GRANT YEAR AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH THE CORPORATION TO PROVIDE AND SUBCONTRACT FOR SERVICES FOR THE CITY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Requested by: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on May 17, 2011, at Regular Council Meeting
Referred to Agenda Review on 5/31/11 at Contracts & Property
Referred to Regular Council Meeting at the Request of Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas on July 18, 2011
Referred to Committee on July 19, 2011
Referred to Agenda Review from Contracts & Property on July 26, 2011
Passed on August 16, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 34-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH URS CORPORATION TO PERFORM TRAFFIC SIGNAL ANALYSES OF FIFTY (50) INTERSECTIONS WITHIN THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $27,366.00 AND DECLARING A SAFETY AND HEALTH EMERGENCY TO PROTECT THE RESIDENTS OF THE CITY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on Mat 17, 2011, at Regular Council Meeting
Referred to Agenda Review on May 31, 2011, at Contracts & Property
Passed on June 7, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 35-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND/OR DIRECTOR OF FINANCE TO SUBMIT TO THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY AUDITOR THE CITY TAX BUDGET OR THE ALTERNATIVE TAX BUDGET INFORMATION DOCUMENT FOR THE 2012 FISCAL YEAR.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton Jr.
Sponsored By: Council President Joy A. Jordan

First Reading Completed on June 7, 2011
Passed Second Reading on June 21, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 36-11


Requested By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on June 7, 2011
Vetoed by Mayor Gary Norton, Jr. on June 14, 2011
Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.’s Veto Overridden on June 21, 2011
ORDINANCE NO. 37-11

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND PORTIONS OF SECTION 537.22 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND GOVERNING COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN TO CLARIFY COMPLIANCE OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE ORDINANCE AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY FOR REASONS OF SAFETY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Referred to Committee on June 7, 2011
Referred to Agenda Review on June 14, 2011 at Health & Safety
No Action Taken on June 21, 2011
Referred to Agenda Review on July 12, 2011 at Health & Safety
Failed on July 19, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 38-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DISPOSAL OF NONFUNCTIONAL, OBSOLETE COMPUTER EQUIPMENT THAT IS OF NO FURTHER USE TO THE CITY.

Request By:
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Chantelle C. Lewis
First Reading on June 7, 2011
Passed Second Reading on June 21, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 39-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH STEPHEN HOVANCSEK & ASSOCIATES TO PROVIDE ARCHITECTURAL/ENGINEERING SERVICES FOR THE CITY’S 2011 STREET RESURFACING PROJECTS FOR EAST 142nd STREET FROM THE DEAD END AT SHAW STADIUM TO WOODWORTH AVENUE AND THE FULL LENGTHS OF SHAWVIEW AVENUE AND WADENA AVENUE, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $47,460.60, AND DECLARING A PUBLIC WELFARE AND SAFETY EMERGENCY.

Request By:
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on June 7, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 41-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH C. J. BROWN ENERGY, P.C. TO PROVIDE ENERGY AUDITS AT EAST CLEVELAND MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS FOR AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $27,316.00, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC PEACE, HEALTH AND SAFETY.

Request By: Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on June 7, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 42-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT JOINT GRANT FUNDING FROM THE STATE OF OHIO THROUGH PROVISIONS OF THE VICTIMS OF CRIME ACT (VOCA) AND THE STATE VICTIMS ASSISTANCE ACT (SVAA) TO FUND THE CITY’S DOMESTIC VIOLENCE PROJECT FOR THE 2011-2012 GRANT YEAR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE IMMEDIATE PEACE AND SAFETY OF THE CITY’S CITIZENS AND TO MEET THE APPLICATION DEADLINE.

Requested By: Domestic Violence Project
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on June 7, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 43-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(G) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO AUTOMAX AMERICA, INC. TO OPERATE AN AUTOMOBILE REPAIR SHOP AT 12436 EUCLID AVENUE.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara Thomas
Referred to Committee on June 16, 2011 at Agenda Review
Kept in Committee on July 26, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 44-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(b)(1) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO AUTOMAX AMERICA, INC. TO OPERATE A USED CAR OUTDOOR SALES LOT AT 12436 EUCLID AVENUE.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on June 16, 2011 at Agenda Review
Kept in Committee on July 26, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 45-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(b)(2) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO MICHAEL FANNIN TO PROVIDE CAR DETAILING SERVICES AS A PRINCIPAL BUSINESS THAT ALSO PROVIDES CAR WASHING SERVICES AT 1220 HAYDEN AVENUE.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara Thomas
Referred to Committee on June 16, 2011 at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review from Contracts & Property on July 26, 2011
First Reading Completed on August 16, 2011
Passed Second Reading on August 30, 2011, at Special Council Meeting

ORDINANCE NO. 46-11

AN ORDINANCE TO ENACT SECTION 533.16 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND PROHIBITING SEX OFFENDERS FROM RESIDING WITHIN 1,000 FEET OF CERTAIN INSTITUTIONS AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE IMMEDIATE HEALTH, SAFETY AND PUBLIC WELFARE OF THE CITY’S CITIZENS.

Requested By: Councilor Mildred Brewer
Sponsored By: Councilor Mildred Brewer
Referred to Committee on June 16, 2011 at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on November 28, 2011, From Health & Safety Committee
Passed on December 6, 2011
ORDINANCE NO. 47-11

AN ORDINANCE TO GRANT CLEVELAND PUBLIC POWER A NONEXCLUSIVE FRANCHISE TO CONSTRUCT DISTRIBUTION FACILITIES WITHIN THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY TO PRESERVE PUBLIC SAFETY AND PEACE.

Requested By: Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Chantelle C. Lewis
Referred to Committee on June 16, 2011 at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on July 26, 2011, from General Services & Administration
Passed on August 16, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 48-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPLY FOR AND ACCEPT JOINT GRANT FUNDING FROM THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY’S ASSISTANCE TO FIREFIGHTERS GRANT PROGRAM FOR THE 2011-2012 GRANT YEAR AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE IMMEDIATE SAFETY AND PUBLIC WELFARE OF THE CITY’S CITIZENS AND TO MEET THE APPLICATION DEADLINE.

Requested By:
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on June 21, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 49-11

A RESOLUTION DISAGREEING WITH THE CLEVELAND CLINIC IN ITS ANNOUNCEMENT THAT IT INTENDS TO CLOSE HURON HOSPITAL IN THE NEXT 90 DAYS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE IMMEDIATE PRESERVATION OF THE PUBLIC PEACE, PROPERTY, HEALTH, OR SAFETY OF THE RESIDENTS OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND THAT WILL BE NEGATIVELY IMPACTED BY THE CLOSING OF HURON HOSPITAL.

Requested By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Co-Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on June 21, 2011
ORDINANCE NO.  50-11

AN ORDINANCE ENACTING NEW CHAPTER 558 OF THE GENERAL OFFENSES CODE OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND TO GOVERN THE PROTECTION OF HUMAN RIGHTS; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By:  Council President Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By:  Council President Joy A. Jordan
Co-Sponsored By:  Council Vice President Chantelle C. Lewis and Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on July 19, 2011

RESOLUTION NO.  51-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO ALAA DARALTAWEEL, A SOLE PROPRIETOR D/B/A EDDY ROAD BEVERAGE AND FOOD, OR HIS DESIGNEE, AT A TOTAL COST OF $7000.00, THREE PARCELS OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 1205 EDDY ROAD, 1217 EDDY ROAD AND 1221 EDDY ROAD, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112 (PERMANENT PARCEL NOS. 672-03-032, 672-03-031 AND 672-03-030) AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE.

Requested By:  Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By:  Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on July 19, 2011

RESOLUTION NO.  52-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO SOLEKS DECKING AND CONSTRUCTION, LLC, OR ITS DESIGNEE, AT A TOTAL COST OF $1100.00, TWO PARCELS OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 1605 HAYDEN AVENUE AND 1615 HAYDEN AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112 (PERMANENT PARCEL NOS. 671-12-014 and 671-12-015) AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE.

Requested By:  Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By:  Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Failed on July 19, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 53-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO TAYLORMAYS PROPERTIES LTD, OR ITS DESIGNEE, AT A TOTAL COST OF $600.00, A PARCEL OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 1782 TAYLOR ROAD, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112 (PERMANENT PARCEL NO. 673-04-026) AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on July 19, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 54-11

A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE EAST CLEVELAND 2011 ACTION PLAN TO MAKE SUBSTANTIAL CHANGES TO THE CURRENT BUDGET ALLOCATIONS TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR A CITY PAINT PROGRAM AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN ORDER TO PRESERVE THE SAFETY CONSIDERATIONS OF RESOLUTION NO. 105-10, THE ORIGINAL LEGISLATION.

Requested by: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored by: Councilor Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on July 14, 2011 at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on July 26, 2011, from Contracts & Property
Referred to Committee on August 11, 2011, at Agenda Review
Removed from Committee Agenda at the Request of Community Development Director Joe Mazzola

RESOLUTION NO. 55-11

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE RESIDENTIAL EXTERIOR GRANT FUNDED PAINT PROGRAM GUIDELINES PROMULGATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT FOR RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES IN THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on July 14, 2011 at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on July 26, 2011, from Contracts & Property
Referred to Committee on August 11, 2011, at Agenda Review
RESOLUTION NO. 56-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO EARL P. CIPRIANI, ENT. INC., OR ITS DESIGNEE, AT A TOTAL COST OF $2000.00, THREE PARCELS OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 1765 COLLAMER AVENUE, 1770 COLLAMER AVENUE AND 1766 COLLAMER AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112 (PERMANENT PARCEL NOS. 673-03-056, 673-02-027 AND 673-02-028).

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Failed on July 19, 2011
Reconsidered, Emergency Clause Removed and First Reading Completed on July 19, 2011
Passed Second Reading on August 16, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 57-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH PUBLIC FINANCE STRATEGIES, LLC FOR A REVENUE COLLECTION AGREEMENT TO RECOVER THE CITY’S UNCOLLECTED FINES, FEES, AND BILLED SERVICES (RECEIVABLES) FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS AND TO DECLARE THIS LEGISLATION TO BE AN EMERGENCY MEASURE FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Request By: Mayor Gary A. Norton Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on July 19, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 58-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(S) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, TO CUYAHOGA METROPOLITAN HOUSING AUTHORITY (CMHA) FOR CONSTRUCTION OF AN APARTMENT HOUSING STRUCTURE FOR SENIOR ADULTS AT 14028 EUCLID AVENUE AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Council Vice President Chantelle C. Lewis
Referred to Committee on July 14, 2011 at Agenda Review

RESOLUTION NO. 59-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT PURSUANT TO OHIO REVISED CODE §735.051 TO PURCHASE HEATING, VENTILATION, AND AIR CONDITIONING EQUIPMENT AND ITS INSTALLATION FOR THE EAST CLEVELAND CITY HALL COMPUTER FACILITY AND SERVICE DEPARTMENT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested by: Service Department
Sponsored by: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on July 19, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 60-11

A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE EAST CLEVELAND EMERGENCY HOME REPAIR PROGRAM FROM A GRANT/LOAN PROGRAM TO AN EMERGENCY/NON-SUBSTANTIAL REPAIR GRANT PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Community Development Department Request
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Referred to Committee on July 14, 2011
Referred to Agenda Review on July 26, 2011, from Contracts & Property
Passed on August 16, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 61-11

A RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE BID OF AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH C. A. AGRESTA TO RESURFACE, FOR THE CITY’S 2011 STREET RESURFACING PROJECTS, EAST 142nd STREET FROM THE DEAD END AT SHAW STADIUM TO WOODWORTH AVENUE AND THE FULL LENGTHS OF SHAWVIEW AVENUE AND WADENA AVENUE, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $798,412.80 PLUS A TEN PERCENT (10%) CONTINGENCY AND DECLARING A SAFETY EMERGENCY TO PREVENT SIGNIFICANT INJURY TO RESIDENTS AND OTHERS WHO TRAVEL THE STREETS.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on Thursday August 11, 2011
Referred to Committee on August 30, 2011, at Special Council Meeting
Referred to Regular Council Meeting on September 1, 2011, at Agenda Review
Passed on September 6, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 62-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ASSESSMENT OF THE COST OF PUBLIC NUISANCE ABATEMENT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 1313 OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, INCLUDING ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS UPON THE REAL ESTATE FROM WHICH THE NUISANCE ORIGINATED WHERE SUCH COSTS HAVE NOT BEEN PAID BY THE OWNER.; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE.

Requested By: Community Development Dept.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Referred to Committee on August 11, 2011, at Agenda Review
Referred to Regular Council Meeting on September 1, 2011, at Agenda Review
Passed on September 6, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 63-11
A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT TO JACKPOT COMMUNICATIONS LLC TO OPERATE AN INTERNET CAFÉ PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(AA) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES AT 1990 NOBLE ROAD, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilman Nathaniel Martin
Received From the Law Department on Thursday, August 11, 2011
First Reading Completed on August 30, 2011, at Special Council Meeting
Passed Second Reading on September 20, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 66-11
AN ORDINANCE TO CREATE CHAPTER 145 OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES TO ESTABLISH A CITIZEN POLICE REVIEW BOARD.

Requested By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Discussed at Executive Committee on October 13, 2011, and Remained in Committee
Discussed at Executive Committee on October 25, 2011, and Remained in Committee
Referred to Agenda Review from Executive Committee on December 8, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 67-11
AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND RULE 11 OF CHAPTER 113 RULES OF ORDER TO ALLOW MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC TO USE AUDIO AND VIDEO RECORDING EQUIPMENT IN COUNCIL MEETING.

Requested By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
First Reading Completed on August 16, 2011
Passed Second Reading on September 20, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 68-11
A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT TO BLACK DIAMOND TECH, LLC TO OPERATE AN INTERNET CAFÉ, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(A)(AA) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, AT 15011 EUCLID AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Council Vice President Chantelle C. Lewis
Received From the Law Department on Thursday, August 11, 2011
Referred to Committee on August 30, 2011, at Special Council Meeting
First Reading on November 15, 2011
Passed Second Reading on December 6, 2011
ORDINANCE NO. 69-11

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE SUBMISSION, TO THE VOTE OF THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO, OF A PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND ENACTING SECTION 124 TO LIMIT THE USE OF PHOTO-MONITORING DEVICES TO DETECT CERTAIN TRAFFIC LAW VIOLATIONS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
Co-Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas and Councilman Nathaniel Martin
Received From the Law Department on August 24, 2011
Passed on August 30, 2011, at Special Council Meeting

RESOLUTION NO. 70-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR THE REPAIR AND RESURFACING OF TAYLOR ROAD (CR-26), A COUNTY ROAD, FROM EUCLID AVENUE TO THE EAST CLEVELAND SCL IN THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, COUNTY ID 1065, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on August 24, 2011
Passed on September 6, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 71-11

A RESOLUTION CALLING UPON CONGRESSWOMAN MARCIA FUDGE, SENATOR SHERROD BROWN AND SENATOR ROB PORTMAN TO FUND URGENTLY NEEDED CITY SERVICES BY REDUCING MILITARY SPENDING.

Requested By: Councilman Nathaniel Martin
Sponsored By: Councilman Nathaniel Martin
First Reading on September 6, 2011
Failed on September 20, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 72-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPLY FOR ISSUE I FUNDING FROM THE OHIO DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR PROGRAM YEAR 2012 TO FUND THE CITY’S SHARE OF THE REPAIR AND RESURFACING OF TAYLOR ROAD (CR-26), A COUNTY ROAD, FROM EUCLID AVENUE TO THE EAST CLEVELAND SCL IN THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, COUNTY ID 1065, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on September 6, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 73-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO AMEND THE CITY’S CONTRACT DESIGNATING FAIRFAX RENAISSANCE DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION AS THE CITY’S COMMUNITY HOUSING DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATION, AS DEFINED BY UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT REGULATIONS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC PROPERTY.

Requested by: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Passed on September 6, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 74-11


Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
Referred to Committee on September 1, 2011, at Agenda Review
Referred to Agenda Review on September 13, 2011, Executive Committee Meeting
Passed on September 20, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 75-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPLY FOR FUNDING FROM THE STATE OF OHIO PUBLIC WORKS COMMISSION’S STATE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR 2012 ISSUE I IN ORDER TO FUND PROJECTS BEING PLANNED FOR ROADWAY REPAIRS AND INFRASTRUCTURE MODIFICATIONS; AND DECLARING A SAFETY EMERGENCY IN ORDER TO MEET THE DEADLINE OF SEPTEMBER 30, 2011.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
Passed on September 6, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 76-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ASSESSMENT OF THE COST OF PUBLIC NUISANCE ABATEMENT PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 1313 OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, INCLUDING ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS UPON THE REAL ESTATE FROM WHICH THE NUISANCE ORIGINATED WHERE SUCH COSTS HAVE NOT BEEN PAID BY THE OWNER AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC, HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE.

Requested By: Community Development Department
Sponsored By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
Passed on September 6, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 77-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SELL CERTAIN INOPERABLE AND SURPLUS FIRE DEPARTMENT VEHICLE(S) AND EQUIPMENT THROUGH COMPETITIVE BIDDING TO INDIVIDUALS AND DEALERS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC WELFARE AND SAFETY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilor Chantelle C. Lewis
Received From the Law Department on 9/12/11 & Referred to Committee

RESOLUTION NO. 78-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ALLOCATION OF $150,000 OF NEIGHBORHOOD STABILIZATION PROGRAM PHASE I FUNDING TO THE CIRCLE EAST TOWNHOUSE PROJECT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilor Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on 9/14/11 & Referred to Committee
Referred to Agenda Review on 9/27/11, at Contracts & Property Meeting
Passed on October 4, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 79-11

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Requested By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Joy A. Jordan
Received From Law Department on September 19, 2011, & Referred to Committee
Referred to Regular Council Meeting on 10/13/11 From Executive Committee Meeting
First Reading on October 18, 2011
Passed Second Reading on November 1, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 80-11

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND PORTIONS OF SECTION 537.22 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND GOVERNING COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR SCHOOL AGE CHILDREN TO CLARIFY COMPLIANCE OBLIGATIONS UNDER THE ORDINANCE AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY FOR REASONS OF SAFETY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Received From the Law Department on October 4, 2011, & Referred to Committee
Passed on December 6, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 81-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO MELODIE MAYBERRY-STEWART, OR HER DESIGNEE, AT A TOTAL COST OF $3,500.00, A PARCEL OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 1888 HILLSIDE AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112 (PERMANENT PARCEL NO. 673-13-016); AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC WELFARE AND SAFETY.

Requested By:    Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By:   Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas

Received from the Law Department on 12/12/11 and Sent to Committee
Referred to Regular Council meeting on 11/9/11 from Contracts & Property
First Reading on 11/15/11
Referred back to Committee on 12/6/11
Discussed in Contracts & Property on 12/13/11 and Remained in Committee
Referred to Agenda Review on 1/5/12
Referred to Regular Council meeting on 1/12/12
Passed on January 17, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 82-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO AMERICAN RAILROAD TIE AND STONE CO., INC., OR ITS DESIGNEE, AT A TOTAL COST OF $17,500.00, THREE PARCELS OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 1750 EDDY ROAD (PERMANENT PARCEL NO. 672-10-007), 1756 EDDY ROAD (PERMANENT PARCEL NOS. 672-10-008 and 672-10-009), EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112.

Requested By:    Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By:   Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas

Received from the Law Department on October 12, 2011 & Referred to Committee
Discussed in Contracts & Property on 11/9/11 & Remained in Committee
Referred to Agenda Review from Contracts & Property on 12/13/11
First Reading on December 20, 2011
Passed Second Reading on January 3, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 83-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ACCEPT, ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, A GRANT IN THE AMOUNT OF $1,068,142 FROM THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND TO APPROPRIATE SUCH FUNDS TO EXPEND PURSUANT TO THE CITY’S AMENDED 2010 SUBSTANTIAL ACTION PLAN FOR NSP3, AS AUTHORIZED UNDER RESOLUTION 08-11, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE.

Requested By:    Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By:   Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan

Received from the Law Department on October 12, 2011, & Referred to Committee
Passed on November 1, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 84-11

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND ACCEPT THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND’S FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2012 ONE-YEAR ACTION PLAN AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SUBMIT SAID PLAN TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD); AND UPON HUD’S APPROVAL, TO ACCEPT THE FY 2012 ACTION PLAN BUDGET OF AN ESTIMATED AMOUNT OF $1,021,838.00 IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) ENTITLEMENT GRANT FUNDS AND AN ESTIMATED $431,955.00 IN HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (HOME) GRANT FUNDS FROM HUD, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH HUD DEADLINE PROVISIONS AND TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE SAFETY PROVISIONS WITHIN THE GRANTS.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on 10/26/11 & Referred to Committee
Discussed in Contracts & Property on 11/9/11 & Remained in Committee
Referred to Agenda Review From Contracts & Property on 12/13/11
Failed on December 20, 2011
Reconsidered & Passed on 12/27/11 at Special Council Meeting

RESOLUTION NO. 85-11

A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE AND ACCEPT THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND’S FISCAL YEAR (FY) 2012-2016 FIVE-YEAR CONSOLIDATED PLAN FOR COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT (CDBG) ENTITLEMENT GRANT FUNDS AND HOME INVESTMENT PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM (HOME) GRANT FUNDS AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO SUBMIT SAID PLAN TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT (HUD); AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH HUD DEADLINE PROVISIONS AND TO TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THE SAFETY PROVISIONS WITHIN THE GRANTS.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on 10/26/11 & Referred to Committee
Discussed in Contracts & Property on 11/9/11 & Remained in Committee
Referred to Agenda Review from Contracts & Property on 12/13/11
Failed on December 19, 2011
Reconsidered & Passed on 12/27/11 at Special Council Meeting
RESOLUTION NO. 87-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT TO KAMALL M. ODETALLAH D/B/A WINNERS CAFÉ TO OPERATE AN INTERNET CAFÉ, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1123.03(a)(AA) OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES, AT 13570 EUCLID AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received from the Law Department on October 28, 2011 & Referred to Committee
Referred to Regular Council Meeting on November 9, 2011, From Contracts & Property
First Reading on November 15, 2011
Passed Second Reading on December 6, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 88-11

A RESOLUTION GRANTING A MODIFICATION OF OFF STREET PARKING REQUIREMENTS TO KAMALL M. ODETALLAH D/B/A WINNERS CAFÉ AT 13570 EUCLID AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO, PURSUANT TO SECTION 1143.01 OF THE EAST CLEVELAND CODIFIED ORDINANCES.

Requested By: The Service Department
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received from the Law Department on October 28, 2011 & Referred to Committee
Referred to Regular Council Meeting on November 9, 2011, From Contracts & Property
First Reading on November 15, 2011
Passed Second Reading on December 6, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 89-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO CONTRACT WITH THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT TO IMPLEMENT A LEAD PAINT ABATEMENT AND REMEDIATION PROGRAM, AND DECLARING AND EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND SAFETY.

Requested By: Community Development
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on November 1, 2011, & Referred to Committee
Discussed at Contracts & Property on November 9, 2011, & Remained in Committee
Referred to Agenda Review from Contracts & Property on 12/13/11
Passed on December 20, 2011
ORDINANCE NO. 90-11

AN ORDINANCE TO AMENDING SECTION 710.06 OF THE BUSINESS REGULATION CODE OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE INTERNET CAFÉ ACT TO FURTHER REFINE THE SECURITY REQUIREMENTS, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC PEACE, SAFETY, HEALTH, AND WELFARE.

Requested By: Councilwoman Chantelle C. Lewis
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Chantelle C. Lewis and Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on November 1, 2011, & Referred to Committee

RESOLUTION NO. 91-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR THE NOBLE ROAD AND WYMORE AVENUE WATER MAIN REPLACEMENT PROJECT WITH WORK LIMITS EACH BETWEEN EUCLID AVENUE AND TERRACE ROAD AND DECLARING A PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND SAFETY EMERGENCY.

Requested by: Service Department
Sponsored by: Councilwoman Mildred Brewer
Received From the Law Department on 11/8/11 & Referred to Committee
Referred to Agenda Review on November 28, 2011, From Health & Safety
Passed on December 6, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 92-11

A RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT CUYAHOGA COUNTY PROCEED WITH THE RESURFACING OF TAYLOR ROAD (CR-26) FROM EUCLID AVENUE TO THE EAST CLEVELAND SOUTH CORPORATION LINE AND RESOLVING TO PAY ONE HUNDRED PERCENT (100%) OF THE COSTS FOR THE ENGINEERING, CONSTRUCTION AND CONSTRUCTION ENGINEERING OF THE WATERLINE AND APPURTENANCES FOR THE LENGTH OF THE PROJECT; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC SAFETY, HEALTH AND WELFARE.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on 11/17/11 & Referred to Committee
Referred to Agenda Review from Contracts & Property on 12/13/11
Passed on December 27, 2011 at Special Council Meeting
RESOLUTION NO. 93-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO TRANSFER TO SOLEKS DECKING AND CONSTRUCTION, LLC, OR ITS DESIGNEE, AT A TOTAL COST OF $3,000.00, ONE PARCEL OF LAND HELD BY THE CITY AS PART OF ITS LAND REUTILIZATION PROGRAM AND LOCATED AT 1605 HAYDEN AVENUE, EAST CLEVELAND, OHIO 44112 (PERMANENT PARCEL NOS. 671-12-014) AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on 11/28/11 & Referred to Committee
Referred to Agenda Review from Contracts & Property on 12/13/11
Passed on December 20, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 94-11

AN ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING A VIDEO SERVICE PROVIDER FEE TO BE PAID BY ANY VIDEO SERVICE PROVIDER OFFERING VIDEO SERVICE WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND; AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO GIVE NOTICE TO THE VIDEO SERVICE PROVIDER OF THE VIDEO SERVICE PROVIDER FEE; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on December 1, 2011
Withdrawn by the Law Department on December 2, 2011

RESOLUTION NO. 95-11

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND CITIZENS ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

Requested By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Received From the Law Department on 12/5/11 & Referred to Committee
Referred to Agenda Review from Executive Committee on 12/8/11
First Reading on December 20, 2011
Passed Second Reading on January 3, 2012
RESOLUTION NO. 96-11

A RESOLUTION TO MAKE TEMPORARY APPROPRIATIONS IN VARIOUS FUNDS FOR THE CURRENT EXPENSES AND OTHER EXPENDITURES OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND, FOR THE PERIOD BETWEEN JANUARY 1, 2012 AND MARCH 31, 2012; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY IN ORDER TO HAVE AN OPERATING BUDGET AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR.

Requested By: Councilman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
No Action Taken at Agenda Review on 12/15/11
Passed on December 27, 2011, at Special Council Meeting

RESOLUTION NO. 97-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO CONTRACT WITH LEGACY COMMUNICATIONS, AS THE BEST BID, TO PROVIDE PROFESSIONAL VIDEO AND AUDIO SERVICES FOR THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND FOR THE BUDGET PERIOD 2012-2013 AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Mayor Gary Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on 12/7/11 & Referred to Committee
Discussed at Contracts & Property on 12/13/11 & Remained in Committee
Discussed at Contracts & Property on 2/9/12 & Remained in Committee

RESOLUTION NO. 98-11

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND AUDIT COMMITTEE.

Requested By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Received From the Law Department on 12/12/11 & Referred to Committee
First Reading Completed on 12/19/11 at Special Council Meeting
Passed Second Reading on January 3, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 99-11

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE EAST CLEVELAND CITY COUNCIL TO RETAIN ROBERT SMITH AS SPECIAL LEGAL COUNSEL TO ADVISE AND ASSIST COUNCIL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR OF 2012, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on December 20, 2011
RESOLUTION NO. 100-11

A RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE EAST CLEVELAND CITY COUNCIL TO RETAIN GENIE STOKES AS A CONSULTANT TO ADVISE AND ASSIST COUNCIL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR OF 2012, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Joy A. Jordan
Passed on December 20, 2011

ORDINANCE NO. 101-11

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND ORDINANCE NO. 41-09, THE SALARY ORDINANCE, SO CALLED, TO ADJUST THE SALARY RANGES FOR CITY EMPLOYEES, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

Requested By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Passed on December 19, 2011 at Special Council Meeting
Veto Overridden on December 27, 2011, at Special Council Meeting

RESOLUTION NO. 102-11

A RESOLUTION IN FURTHERANCE OF SECTION 67 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND REQUIRING THAT THE FINANCE DIRECTOR DELIVER TO COUNCIL ON THE FIRST DAY OF EACH CALENDAR MONTH A DETAILED MONTHLY BALANCE SHEET REFLECTING ALL RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE PRECEDING MONTH.

Requested By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
First Reading Completed on 12/19/11 at the Special Council Meeting
Tabled on January 3, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 103-11

A RESOLUTION IN FURTHERANCE OF SECTION 67 OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND CHARTER ESTABLISHING THE LEGAL LEVEL OF CONTROL AS DEFINED BY OHIO ADMINISTRATIVE CODE SECTION 117-2-02©(1) TO BE FUND, DEPARTMENT/ACTIVITY, ALL OBJECTS.

Requested By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
First Reading Completed on 12/19/11 at the Special Council Meeting
Referred Back to Committee on January 3, 2012
RESOLUTION NO. 104-11

A RESOLUTION IN FURTHERANCE OF SECTION 60(f) OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND PROVIDING THAT THE MAYOR SUBMIT TO COUNCIL, BY THE END OF EACH FISCAL YEAR, A SEPARATE SCHEDULE FOR EACH DEPARTMENT SHOWING THE THINGS NECESSARY FOR THE DEPARTMENT TO DO DURING THE YEAR, AND WHICH OF ANY DESIRABLE THINGS IT OUGHT TO DO IF POSSIBLE.

Requested By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
First Reading Completed on 12/19/11 at the Special Council Meeting
Passed Second Reading on January 3, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 105-11

A RESOLUTION IN FURTHERANCE OF SECTION 67 OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND PROVIDING THAT THE FINANCE DIRECTOR SHALL PROVIDE TO COUNCIL A QUARTERLY REPORT OF AGGREGATE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES BY DEPARTMENT, WHICH REPORT SHALL BE PUBLISHED BY COUNCIL IN A MANNER THAT PROVIDES FULL PUBLICITY.

Requested By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
First Reading Completed on 12/19/11 at the Special Council Meeting
Passed Second Reading on January 3, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 106-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A DEVELOPER AGREEMENT WITH P.R.A.C., INC. UNDER THE NEIGHBORHOOD STABILIZATION PROGRAM; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY FOR THE PUBLIC WELFARE.

Requested By: Department of Community Development
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on 12/19/11 & Referred to Committee
Referred to Agenda Review on 1/5/12 from Contracts & Property
Referred back to Committee on 1/17/12
Placed on the Regular Council Meeting Agenda by Council President Jordan at the Request of the Committee Chair on 2/6/12
Passed on February 7, 2012
RESOLUTION NO. 107-11

A RESOLUTION IN FURTHERANCE OF SECTION 60(c) OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND PROVIDING THAT THE FINANCE DIRECTOR SHALL SUBMIT TO COUNCIL, ON A QUARTERLY BASIS, A DETAILED INVENTORY OF SUPPLIES AND MATERIAL ON HAND AND THE VALUE THEREOF AT THE DATE OF PREPARATION.

Requested By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Received From the Law Department on 12/27/11 & Referred to Committee
First Reading Completed on January 3, 2012
Passed Second Reading on January 17, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 108-11

A RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE FINANCE DIRECTOR SHALL CERTIFY TO COUNCIL, BY THE END OF THE FISCAL YEAR, THAT ALL SUPER-BLANKET PURCHASE ORDERS IN PLACE DURING THE FISCAL YEAR HAVE TERMINATED OR WILL TERMINATE BY THE LAST DAY OF THE YEAR. THE FINANCE DIRECTOR SHALL ALSO PROVIDE INFORMATION TO COUNCIL REGARDING ANY ANTICIPATED SUPER-BLANKET PURCHASE ORDERS OR BLANKET PURCHASE ORDERS THAT ARE PLANNED FOR THE UPCOMING FISCAL YEAR BY MARCH 31ST OF EACH FISCAL YEAR.

Requested By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Received From the Law Department on 12/27/11 & Referred to Committee
First Reading Completed on January 3, 2012
Passed Second Reading on January 17, 2012

RESOLUTION NO. 109-11

A RESOLUTION IN FURTHERANCE OF SECTION 60(f) OF THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF EAST CLEVELAND PROVIDING THAT THE MAYOR SHALL SUBMIT TO COUNCIL, ON A QUARTERLY BASIS, A SCHEDULE OF ESSENTIAL PERSONNEL PER DEPARTMENT.

Requested By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Sponsored By: Council President Dr. Joy A. Jordan
Received From the Law Department on 12/27/11 & Referred to Committee
First Reading Completed on January 3, 2012
Passed Second Reading on January 17, 2012
RESOLUTION NO. 110-11

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT WITH THE CUYAHOGA COUNTY GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT FOR PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE YEAR 2012 IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED $68,517.00 WHICH SHALL BE PAID WITH MONIES COLLECTED FROM THE CITY’S REGULAR TAX SETTLEMENT FROM THE COUNTY AUDITOR FOR THE YEAR 2012; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY AS AGREEMENT NEEDS TO BE SIGNED BY END OF THE YEAR.

Requested By: Mayor Gary A. Norton, Jr.
Sponsored By: Councilwoman Barbara J. Thomas
Received From the Law Department on 12/27/11 & Referred to Committee
Remained in Committee on 1/5/12
Referred to Agenda Review by Council President Jordan at the Request of the Committee Chair on 2/1/12
Passed on February 7, 2012