



City of Flint, Michigan

Third Floor, City Hall
1101 S. Saginaw Street
Flint, Michigan 48502
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Meeting Agenda – FINAL
Wednesday, August 5, 2026
5:00 PM

City Council Chambers

GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

Dennis Pfeiffer, Chairperson, Ward 8

Leon El-Alamin, Ward 1

Ladel Lewis, Ward 2

LaShawn Johnson, Ward 3

Judy Priestley, Ward 4

Jerri Winfrey-Carter, Ward 5

Tonya Burns, Ward 6

Candice Mushatt, Ward 7

Jonathan Jarrett, Ward 9

Davina Donahue, City Clerk

ROLL CALL

READING OF DISORDERLY PERSONS CITY CODE SUBSECTION

Any person that persists in disrupting this meeting will be in violation of Flint City Code Section 31-10, Disorderly Conduct, Assault and Battery, and Disorderly Persons, and will be subject to arrest for a misdemeanor. Any person who prevents the peaceful and orderly conduct of any meeting will be given one warning. If they persist in disrupting the meeting, that individual will be subject to arrest. Violators will be removed from the meetings.

REQUEST FOR AGENDA CHANGES/ADDITIONS

PUBLIC COMMENT

Members of the public who wish to address the City Council or its committees must register before the meeting begins. A box will be placed at the entrance to the Council Chambers for collection of registrations. No additional speakers or slips will be accepted after the meeting begins.

Members of the public shall have no more than three (3) minutes per speaker during public comment, with only one speaking opportunity per speaker.

COUNCIL RESPONSE

Councilmembers may respond once to all public speakers only after all public speakers have spoken. An individual Councilmember's response shall be limited to two (2) minutes.

CONSENT AGENDA

Per the amended Rules Governing Meetings of the Flint City Council (as adopted by the City Council on Monday, April 22, 2024), the Chair may request the adoption of a "Consent Agenda". After a motion to adopt a Consent Agenda is made and seconded, the Chair shall ask for separations. Any agenda item on a Consent Agenda shall be separated at the request of any Councilmember. After any separations, there is no debate on approving the Consent Agenda – it shall be voted on or adopted without objection.

APPOINTMENTS

260259 Re-Appointment/Hurley Board of Hospital Managers/Christopher Flores

Resolution resolving that the Flint City Council approves the re-appointment of Christopher Flores (Flint MI 48503) to serve a five-year term on the Hurley Board of Hospital Managers, with such term commencing immediately and expiring on July 13, 2031.

260260 Appointment/The Gloria Coles Flint Public Library Board/Cheryl Atkins Goodrum

Resolution resolving that the Flint City Council approves the appointment of Cheryl Atkins Goodrum (Flint MI, 48504), to the Gloria Coles Flint Public Library Board to replace Melissa Brown whose term expired for a three-year term to commence immediately and expire June 30, 2029.

SPECIAL ORDERS/DISCUSSION ITEMS

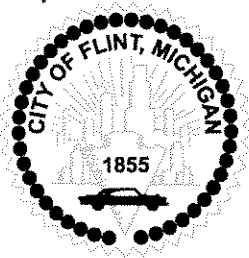
260286 Discussion Item/Internet Issues

A Discussion Item as requested by President Mushatt in order to allow for a discussion about the internet issues.

260287 Discussion Item/2nd Ward NSO Position

A Discussion Item as requested by 2nd Ward Councilmember Lewis in order to allow for a 10-minute discussion on hiring of a 2nd Ward NSO from City Administrator and HR Director.

ADJOURNMENT



240259

RESOLUTION NO.: _____

PRESENTED: 8-5-2024

ADOPTED: _____

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF CHRISTOPHER FLORES TO THE
HURLEY BOARD OF HOSPITAL MANAGERS.**

Section 6-201(A) of the Flint City Charter provides that members of the Board of Hospital Managers shall “consist of fifteen (15) members appointed by the mayor with the approval of the City Council.”

Pursuant to that authority, Mayor Sheldon A. Neeley re- appoints Christopher Flores of Flint, MI 48503, to the Board of Hospital Managers, whose term expired April 30, 2026.

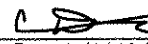
BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Flint City Council approves the re-appointment of Christopher Flores (Flint MI 48503) to serve a five-year term on the Hurley Board of Hospital Managers, with such term commencing immediately and expiring on July 13, 2031.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

FOR THE CITY OF FLINT:


JoAnne Gurley (Jul 14, 2026 14:36:40 EDT)

JoAnne Gurley, City Attorney


Clyde Edwards (Jul 14, 2026 18:10:29 EDT)

Clyde Edwards, City Administrator

APPROVED BY CITY COUNCIL:

Candice Mushatt, City Council President

Christopher J. Flores
1502 Brookwood Ave Flint, Mi. 48503
810-730-4069
Chris.Flores1502@gmail.com

I currently serve as Legislative and Community Liaison for Genesee Health System, a role held since June 2023. I previously served as District Director for Congressman Dan Kildee in the U.S. House of Representatives from 2018 to 2023. With more than a decade of experience at Sacred Heart Rehabilitation Center, Inc., including leadership roles as Vice President of Healthcare Integration and Vice President of Business Development. As District Director for U.S. Congressman Dan Kildee, I oversaw all district office operations for District 5 and now District 8. This District represents approximately 300 Cities, Townships and Villages, with a population of approximately 700,000. This position develops and implements policy objectives, strategies and operating plans and directs all activities and staff of the district office. Help communities, organizations and constituents navigate federal rules and regulations for all federal units of government. I have over 30 years' experience as a behavioral health care administrator specializing in substance use disorders programming. I have had the privilege to be appointed to Hurley Medical Center Board of Managers since 1990 and have served in multiple roles of leadership including chair of Quality for the past 20years.

EXPERIENCE

2023-PRESENT

LEGISLATIVE AND COMMUNITY LIASON FOR GENESEE HEALTH SYSTEMS

2019 – 2023

DISTRICT DIRECTOR FOR U. S. REPRESENTATIVE DAN KILDEE

2012-2019

VICE-PRESIDENT HEALTHCARE INTERGRATION SACRED HEART REHABILITATION
(TEAM LEADER FLINT, BAY AND SAGINAW CLINICS)

Oversaw licensing, regulations, compliance, and medical staff coverage for MAT outpatient clinics. Co-Founder of Hopeful Hearts a neonatal abstinence program.

2010-2012

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR HOPE NETWORK INSIGHT FLINT MI.

1996-2010

VICE PRESIDENT/CORPORATE COMPLIANCE OFFICER HOPE NETWORK INSIGHT
INC.

1985-2010

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR COMMUNITY RECOVERY SERVICES/PROJECT
INDEPENDENCE AND CONNEXION, FLINT, MI.

2004-2005

CONSULTANT TO NRI ACADEMY OF SCIENCES, CHINNA KAKANI, GUNTUR DISTRICT, ANDHRA PRADESH, INDIA

1997-1999

CONSULTANT TO GENERAL NADER AKL, CAIRO EGYPT (PRISON DEPARTMENT)

1980-1983

CO-FRANCHISE OWNER RADIO SHACK TECUMSEH, MI

1980-1985

SUBSTANCE USE THERAPIST, INSIGHT RECOVERY CENTER, FLINT, MI.

1975-1980

DIRECTOR, PARALEGAL SERVICES, ODYSSEY INSTITUTE, NEW YORK, N.Y.

CERTIFICATION AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- PARA-LEGAL-ADELPHI UNIVERSITY NEW YORK, N.Y. -1976-1977
- SUBSTANCE USE THERAPIST-STATE AND NATIONAL CERTIFICATION 1978-1996 CAC-1
- HIV-AIDS TREATMENT TRAINER STATE OF MI/AMERICAN RED CROSS -1987-1994
- CLIENT RIGHTS HIPPA -1996
- FELLOW; MICHIGAN HEALTH AND HOSPITAL ASSOCIATION -2009

LOCAL LEADERSHIP

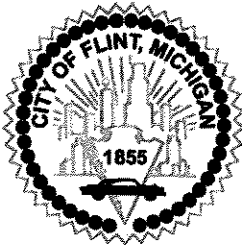
- BOARD MEMBER HURLEY MEDICAL CENTER
1990-PRESENT
- BOARD MEMBER- GENESEE COUNTY HEALTH
CARE COALITION- PRESENT
- TRUSTEE COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF
GREWATER FLINT-PRESENT
- NURSE FAMILY PARTNERSHIP (State of Mi.)
ADVISORY BOARD-CURRENT
- PAST BOARD MEMBER OF SEVERAL
ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDING U OF M FLINT
CHANCELLOR ADVISORY, HEALTH PLUS BOARD
OF DIRECTORS, PAST CHAIR OF HEALTH PLUS
PARTNERS A MEDICAID MANAGED CARE PLAN,
FLINT CULTURAL CENTER, FLINT INSTITUTE OF
ARTS, FOOD BANK OF EASTERN MICHIGAN,
FLINT CHAMBER, CHAIR GGAT FOR FLINT

CHAMBER, FLINT JOURNAL EDITORIAL BOARD,
STATE OF MICHIGAN REPRODUCTIVE
TECHNOLOGIES, STATE OF MICHIGAN BOARD
OF PSYCHOLOGY (Governor appointment)

AWARDS

- FLINT AND GENESEE GROUP ART OF ACHIEVEMENT ART HURAND 2024 AWARD RECIPIENT
- DON REGAL DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD FLINT JEWISH FEDERATION -2016
- CESAR CHAVEZ DISTINGUISHED PERSON OF THE YEAR (GENESEE COUNTY)- 2010
- GENESEE CO. FAMILY INDEPENDENCE AGENCY CHILD ADVOCATE OF THE YEAR- 2003
- CITY OF FLINT DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING DRUM MAJOR OF THE YEAR-1997
- GENESEE COUNTY HISPANIC LEADERSHIP AWARD-1997
- FLINT BOARD OF EDUCATION RECOGNITION-1995
- CLAYTON STROUP FOUNDATION – 1989
- DISTINGUISHED PERSON OF THE YEAR MICHIGAN ASSOCIATION OF ALCOHOL AND ADDICTIONS PROVIDERS- 1989

REFERENCES: Available upon request.



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RESOLUTION NO.: _____

PRESENTED: 8-5-2026

ADOPTED: _____

A0678

**RESOLUTION APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF CHERYL ATKINS GOODRUM
TO THE GLORIA COLES FLINT PUBLIC LIBRARY BOARD**

BY THE MAYOR:

WHEREAS, the Library Agreement between the City of Flint and the Board of Education that created the Flint District Library, (renamed the Gloria Coles Flint Public Library,) requires the City of Flint to make regular appointments to the seven-member library board; and

WHEREAS, Cheryl Atkins Goodrum (Flint MI, 48504) has expressed a sincere interest in serving on the Gloria Coles Flint Public Library Board; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Sheldon A. Neeley recommends the appointment of Cheryl Atkins Goodrum to the Library Board.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Flint City Council approves the appointment of Cheryl Atkins Goodrum (Flint MI, 48504), to the Gloria Coles Flint Public Library Board to replace Melissa Brown whose term expired for a three-year term to commence immediately and expire June 30, 2029.

FOR THE CITY OF FLINT:


Clyde Edwards / A0678 (Jul 30, 2026 10:22:39 EDT)

Clyde D. Edwards, City Administrator

FOR THE CITY COUNCIL:

Candice Mushatt, President

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


JoAnne Gurley, City Attorney

FOR THE CITY CLERK:

Davina Donahue, City Clerk

Cheryl Adkins

Flint, MI 48504

January 2017 – June 2018

Director of Youth Quest Program- Flint and Genesee Group

Daily operation of the Youth Quest After School Program in all 13 school sites, coordinate with community programs and neighborhood groups, meet with funding foundations and partners, grant writing for State and Federal Funds, participate in school programs, maintain funding and budgets, complete monthly and annual reports

February 2016 – January 2017

Teacher Consultant for the Youth Quest program, responsible for writing academic curriculum for the after-school program. Provide professional development for implementation of the curriculum, provide training and certify staff in First-aid and CPR

September 2014-December 2016

Advanc-ED Accreditation Team

Visiting schools and determining where schools should receive accreditation status based on the State rubric.

July 2011 – 2014

Principal Northwestern High School/AAA

Teacher staffing, evaluation, maintaining budgets, coordination of community activities, work with universities to provide extended programs to improve student outcomes whether academics or social issues, work with parents, lead professional development, development and maintenance of schedules, complete school report card, annual report and other duties as assigned. In addition, oversee the implementation of the School Improvement Grant (SIG)

August 2002 – July 2011

Principal Holmes Foundation Academy- (Also formerly known as Holmes Middle School and Holmes Gender- Based Academies)

Teacher staffing, evaluation, maintaining budgets, coordination of community activities, work with universities to provide extended programs to improve student outcomes whether academics or social issues, work with parents, lead professional development, development and

maintenance of schedules, complete school report card, annual report and other duties as assigned.

2000-2002

Principal Longfellow Middle School-

Teacher staffing, evaluation, maintaining budgets, coordination of community activities, work with universities to provide extended programs to improve student outcomes whether academics or social issues, work with parents, lead professional development, development and maintenance of schedules, complete school report card, annual report and other duties as assigned.

1996 – 2000

Assistant Principal Holmes Middle School-

Responsible for discipline, scheduling, teacher observation and evaluation of assigned staff, coordination with school assigned facilitators, maintaining school budgets, afterschool activities, coordinate professional development schools with Michigan State University

1991-1996

Community Education Agent for Academics and Parenting –

Responsible for helping schools develop programs improving the academic outcomes for students, develop programs to improve parent participation in the schools, teach parenting classes on parenting, communication with children, discipline, assisting students with homework

1987-1991

Speech Pathologist – Itinerant responsible for seven schools

Improve speech and articulation of speech delayed students, stutterers; improve reading skills, also responsible for the development, implementation and running of Gundry's Cradle School program for students 0-4 years of age to develop language skills and socialization skills of this age group.

1988 – 1990

Gundry Elementary Site-Based Chairperson

Coordinate and plan professional development, develop school improvement plan, help with coordination of professional development learning schools with Michigan State University.

1978 – 1988

McLaren General Hospital - Speech Pathologist/Audiologist MA, CCC-Sp/A

Work with patients from 0-103 to habilitate or rehabilitate individuals with stroke, voice, or language issues, test hearing, vestibular testing, hearing aide testing and fitting, work with neurologist as necessary.

1980 – 1992

Swallowing Institute of Michigan-Dr. Rabbi Salimi M.D.

Read video-esophagrams, evaluate and treat swallowing disorders

1979 – 1983

University of Michigan Ann Arbor – Adjunct Professor – Oversee clinical training of students in speech pathology

Education

2014 – Currently - Red Cross Instructor – Teaching First Aid, CPR and AED

2013 - July 14-19 – Harvard School of Education – National Institute For Urban School Leaders

June 3-7 – Harvard School of Education – School Turnaround Leader

2008 – Eastern Michigan University- six credit hour completion for Administrative requirements

2004 – Mary Grove – six credit hour completion for Administrative requirements

1983- Wayne State University 30 hours in Audiology

1978- Master of Arts, Continuous Teaching Certificate, Speech Pathology K-12, English Language Arts K-8, Social Science K-8

1977 – Eastern Michigan University – Bachelor of Science – Speech Pathology

1974 – Mott Community College Associate of Science – Community Education

Other Information

- 1. Born in Flint**
- 2. Graduate of Flint Northwestern**
- 3. Member of Mt. Calvary Missionary Baptist Church**
- 4. Helped to develop the current Flint Community School's Code for Student Conduct**
- 5. Completed MI-LIFE which was a program to assist building leaders in the use of technology to improve student learning.**
- 6. Various educational organizations including ASCD, NMSA, NCTM, MASSP/NASSP**
- 7. Participant in Michigan State University Principal's Leadership Academy**
- 8. Five children who are also graduates of Flint Public Schools.**
- 9. From 2009- current – received 194 professional development hours (19.4 SBCEU)**
- 10. Book Club since 2021**
- 11. Currently taking quilting**