

City of Flint, Michigan

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Meeting Agenda - Final

Wednesday, October 5, 2016

5:00 PM

Committee Room

GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

Jacqueline Poplar, Chairperson, Ward 2

Eric Mays, Ward 1

Kate Fields, Ward 4

Herbert J. Winfrey, Ward 6

Vicki VanBuren, Ward 8

Kerry L. Nelson, Ward 3

Wantwaz D. Davis, Ward 5

Monica Galloway, Ward 7

Scott Kincaid, Ward 9

Inez M. Brown, City Clerk

ROLL CALL

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 160442 Referral/Attendance Requests/Glendale Hills
- Referrals as requested by Councilpersons DAVIS and WINFREY to MISC/BLIGHT ENFORCEMENT, re: With regard to the Wednesday, October 5, 2016 Governmental Operations Committee meeting, Mr. Davis requests the attendance of the Interim Director of the Genesee County Land Bank, as well as City Blight Inspector Raul Garcia - and Mr. Winfrey requests the attendance of the President of the Glendale Hills Neighborhood Association - in order to discuss blighted apartment complexes within the Glendale neighborhood.
- 160433 Copy/Statute/Senior Centers
- Referral made by Councilperson Eric Mays to ADMINISTRATION/FINANCE: He would like a copy of the statute that allocates money to the senior centers. Please provide in writing for all councilpersons.
- 160434 Question/Legally Binding Signatures
- Referral made by Councilperson Kate Fields to ADMINISTRATION/LEGAL: She asks whose signature legally binds the city and what the legality is when someone else signs in his/her place. Please provide an answer in writing for all councilpersons.
- 160435 Expired Contracts
- Referral made by Councilperson Kate Fields to ADMINISTRATION/PURCHASING: She would like to know what contracts expired on June 30, what was extended and what was rebid, and which ones have renew options and for how long. She would also like information on the company principals, what the contract is for and the amount of the contract. Please provide an answer in writing for all councilpersons.
- 160436 Attendance Request/Chief Tim Johnson
- Referral made by Councilperson Monica Galloway to CITY ADMINISTRATOR/POLICE CHIEF: She would like the police chief to attend the next Governmental Operations Committee meeting on Oct. 5, 2016, to discuss crime statistics.

OLD, OUTSTANDING DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 160416 Police/Crime Statistics
- Referral made by Councilperson Monica Galloway to

MAYOR/ADMINISTRATION/POLICE: She would like the latest crime statistics. Please provide in writing for all councilpersons.

160415 Mayor/Administration/Number of Appointments

Referral made by Councilperson Eric Mays to MAYOR/ADMINISTRATION: He would like to know the number of appointments made by the Mayor for staff and the number of appointments for department heads. Please provide in writing for all councilpersons.

160414 Referral/Community Centers

A referral as requested by Councilperson Mays to ADMINISTRATION: He asks if the city can get back into managing the community centers -- Hasselbring and Brennan.

160410 Status/Speech Dictation Software

Referral made by Councilperson Eric Mays to CITY ADMINISTRATOR/POLICE CHIEF: He would like to know the status of speech dictation software. Please provide in writing for all councilpersons.

160397 Referral/Officer Dane Seltzer

A referral as requested by Councilperson Galloway to Chief Tim Johnson: She asks him to please look into the situation between Gino Stewart and Officer Dane Seltzer. Mr. Stewart said he believes the officer is harassing him.

160383 Discussion Item/Contract/City of Flint and Comcast

A discussion item as requested by Councilperson Mays, re: He would like to have the Mayor's Office meet with Paul Herring of Spectacle Productions regarding the City's Comcast contract.

160326 Referral/Documents/Meters/University Park

A referral as requested by Councilperson Davis to ADMIN/PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT/FINANCE: He would like documents relating to the size of water meters in University Park that show that the owners were aware of the differences in sizes and costs.

160325 Referral/Assessment of Service Lines/Bishop to Carpenter

A referral as requested by Councilperson Mays to ADMIN/PUBLIC WORKS: He would like an assessment on any service lines between Bishop Avenue and Carpenter Road (Pierson Road) that need to be replaced in whatever phase they are in.

160300 Referral/Written Policy of Authority/Signatures on Legal Documents

A referral as requested by Councilperson Fields to LEGAL, re: What is the City's written policy (by Charter or other authority) and the basis in law concerning signatures and substitute signatures on legal documents?

160298 Discussion Item/Rules Governing Flint City Council

A discussion item as requested by Councilperson Mays, re: Rules Governing the Flint City Council.

160273 City Magistrate

Referral by Councilperson Kate Fields: She wonders if the city can hire a Magistrate to hear citation appearances.

160216 Discussion Item/Ambassador Mobile Home Park

A discussion item as requested by Councilperson Mays, re: Resolving multiple issues at Ambassador Mobile Home Park.

160118 Discussion Item/City Liaison

Discussion Item as requested by Councilperson Mays: re: A discussion of a liaison between the City of Flint and the Flint & Genesee Chamber of Commerce.

160112 Discussion/Genesee County Land Bank/Immunity Agreement

Councilperson Eric Mays would like to discuss the Genesee County Land Bank's Immunity Agreement.

160109 Public Works Director

Councilperson Eric Mays would like an update on the vacant Public Works Director position.

160052 Discussion Item/Streets Update

An update on streets by the administration.

ADJOURNMENT