



Committee on Finance
Regular Meeting

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Thursday, March 26, 2015

6:00 PM

Committee "B" (City Hall 3rd Floor)

1. An Ordinance Amending Article I of Chapter 17, "Officers and Employees," Section 17-33, "Code of Ethics".
2. An Ordinance Relating to Article IV, Chapter 17, Section 17-189(6) of the Code of Ordinances. (Disability Waiver Request).
3. Resolution Requesting the Tax Assessor to investigate the taxes that were levied on Assessor's Plat 91, Lot 21 (16 Hillside Avenue), for the years 2003 through 2012 for the purpose of determining over payment by taxpayer due to incorrect assessment/estimation of property in Providence. **(The Committee may meet in executive session, pursuant to R.I. Gen. Laws §42-46-4 and 42-46-5(a)(2), to discuss potential litigation pertaining to this matter.)**
4. Resolution Requesting to cancel or abate, in whole, the taxes assessed upon Assessor's Plat 68, Lot 838 (231 Douglas Avenue), in the amount of Thirty One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty Seven Dollars and Thirty Six (\$31,947.36) Cents, or any taxes accrued, on behalf of the Smith Hill Community Development Corporation.
5. Resolution Prohibiting 21 companies/entertainment venues from receiving any city services, permits, licenses, license renewals, police details or fire details, as they are in violation of City Ordinance 2011-47, No. 529, Entitled: "Failure to Pay City Fees."
6. Resolution Requesting the City of Providence pursue through the Master Lease the purchase of 65 police ready vehicles.
7. Resolution Requesting that all police vehicles that need to be repaired be returned to the fleet no later than 45 days and no contract be awarded to a company that cannot meet these standards.
8. Certificates from City Assessor (**3C and 4C**), recommending the same be severally cancelled pursuant to the provisions of Section 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, As Amended.
9. Certificates from City Assessor (**5D and 6D**), recommending the same be severally cancelled pursuant to the provisions of Section 14 and 15 of Title 44, Chapter 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, As Amended.

10. Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated March 3, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Sections 302(b) and 1103 of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day appointing **Bienvenido Peralta Martinez** of 124 Perry Street, Central Falls, Rhode Island 02863, as a member of the **Human Relations Commission** for a term to end January 31, 2018, and respectfully submits the same for your approval. (Mr. Martinez fills a vacant position on the Commission, formerly filled by Elvys Ruiz.)

11. Communication from His Honor the Mayor, dated March 5, 2015, Informing the Honorable Members of the City Council that pursuant to Section 302(b) of the Providence Home Rule Charter of 1980, as amended and Public Law, Chapter 45-50, Sections 1 through 31 passed in 1987, he is this day appointing **Dennis Dolan Crook** of 255 Promenade Street, Providence, Rhode Island 02908, as a member of the **Providence Harbor Management Commission** for a term to expire on December 31, 2016, and respectfully submits the same for your approval. (Mr. Crook will replace Jason Pezullo who has resigned.)

PER ORDER THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE
Councilman John J. Iglizzi, Chairman

The foregoing Committee may seek to enter into Executive Session.

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