City of Philadelphia City Council Calendar

Thursday, October 26, 2006

BILLS ON FINAL PASSAGE

040117-A

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke and Miller

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-800 of the Philadelphia Code, entitled "Safety" by adding a new Section 10-831 entitled "Straw and Multiple Handgun Purchase Reduction" to limit purchases of handguns by Philadelphia residents to one a month, and to prohibit "straw purchases" of handguns utilized by criminals for the purpose of evading the one handgun a month limitation; all under certain terms and conditions.

040118-A

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke and Miller

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-800 of the Philadelphia Code, entitled "Safety" by adding a new Section 10-834 entitled "Sale or Transfer of Ammunition" to require all sales of ammunition for firearms to be reported to the City of Philadelphia Police Department and to require that Department to maintain a registry of such reports; all under certain terms and conditions.

040132-A

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Miller and Clarke

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-800 of the Philadelphia Code, entitled "Safety," by adding a new section entitled "Prohibited Possession, Sale and Transfer of Firearms by Persons Subject to Protection From Abuse Orders."

040136-A

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke and Miller

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-800 of the Philadelphia Code, entitled "Safety," by adding a new section entitled "Acquisition or Transfer of Firearms" to regulate the acquiring or transferring of any firearm within the City of Philadelphia; all under certain terms and conditions.

040876-A

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke, Kenney, Miller, Krajewski, Kelly, Rizzo, Mariano, Blackwell, Reynolds Brown, O'Neill, Cohen and Ramos

Citizen Low Income Special Tax Provisions" by expanding the coverage of this Chapter to include senior citizens who are eligible to participate in the Commonwealth's Pharmaceutical Assistance Contract for the Elderly Needs Enhancement Tier ("PACENET") program.

050863-A

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending Section 12-1117 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Physically Handicapped and Disabled or Severely Disabled Veteran Parking," by amending the provision relating to metered parking for physically handicapped persons and severely-disabled veterans, and making such amendment contingent on the enactment of an ordinance relating to the establishment of parking for motor-driven cycles and similar motor vehicles, all under certain terms and conditions.

050341-A

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Miller

An Ordinance amending Title 14 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Zoning and Planning," by amending Chapter 14-1600, entitled "Miscellaneous," by adding a new Section, entitled "Lower and Central Germantown Special District Controls," all under certain terms and conditions.

BILLS ON SECOND READING AND FINAL PASSAGE

040061

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending the Ordinance approved January 3, 1992 (Bill No. 1205-AA), which, pursuant to subsection 9-204(8)(a) of The Philadelphia Code, designates the locations in Center City at which vending is permitted, by providing that all permitted vendor locations on both sides of Eleventh Street between Arch Street and Chestnut Street shall be assigned only to vendors licensed to sell prepared food, all under certain terms and conditions.

040062

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending the Ordinance approved January 3, 1992 (Bill No. 1205-AA), as amended, which, pursuant to subsection 9-204(8)(a) of The Philadelphia Code, designates the locations in Center City at which vending is permitted, by providing that all permitted vendor locations on both sides of Eighth Street and Ninth Street between Arch Street and Market Street shall be assigned only to vendors licensed to sell prepared food, all under certain terms and conditions.

<u>040063</u>

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending the Ordinance approved January 3, 1992 (Bill No. 1205-AA), which, pursuant to subsection 9-204(8)(a) of The Philadelphia Code, designates the locations in Center City at which vending is permitted, by providing that all permitted vendor locations on both sides of Twelfth Street between Arch Street and Chestnut Street shall be assigned only to vendors licensed to sell prepared food, all under certain terms and conditions.

040137

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke and Miller

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-800 of the Philadelphia Code, entitled "Safety," by adding a new section entitled "Reporting Requirements Upon the Application for or Renewal of a License to Carry a Firearm" to provide for certain reporting requirements for the issuance or renewal of licenses to carry firearms within the City of Philadelphia; all under certain terms and conditions.

040312

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Miller and Clarke

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-800 of the Philadelphia Code, entitled "Safety," by adding a new section entitled "Temporary Removal of Firearms of Persons Posing A Risk Of Imminent Personal Injury To Self or Others."

040315

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke and Miller

An Ordinance amending Section 10-800 of the Philadelphia Code, entitled "Safety" by adding a new Section 10-821a entitled "Contraband Weapons, Accessories and Ammunition," providing for the prohibition and registration of certain assault weapons and imposing penalties.

050067

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance authorizing Felix Penzarella, 618 S. Front Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147, owner of the property 618 S. Front Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147, his successors and assigns, to construct and maintain a rear building addition on Hancock Street, under certain terms and conditions.

050136

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending Section 9-204 of The Philadelphia Code by providing that all

permitted vendor locations on both sides of Twelfth Street between Arch Street and Chestnut Street shall be assigned only to vendors licensed to sell prepared food, all under certain terms and conditions.

050137

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending Section 9-204 of The Philadelphia Code by providing that all permitted vendor locations on both sides of Eleventh Street between Arch Street and Chestnut Street shall be assigned only to vendors licensed to sell prepared food, all under certain terms and conditions.

050138

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending Section 9-204 of The Philadelphia Code by providing that all permitted vendor locations on both sides of Eighth Street and Ninth Street between Arch Street and Market Street shall be assigned only to vendors licensed to sell prepared food, all under certain terms and conditions.

050377

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of Public Property to execute and deliver to the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development a deed conveying, for nominal consideration, fee simple title to certain tracts of City-owned land located at 230-234 Dickinson Street, with the improvements thereon, for further conveyance at fair market value.

040604

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Tasco, Miller, Mariano, O'Neill, Cohen, Krajewski, Blackwell, Reynolds Brown, Ramos, Goode, Nutter, DiCicco, Clarke, Kelly, Rizzo and Kenney

An Ordinance amending Section 19-2602 of The Philadelphia Code relating to Licenses to provide that the Department of Licenses and Inspections shall refrain from issuing or shall revoke the business privilege license of any person who operates any business without the requisite license, all under certain terms and conditions.

040470

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke, Ramos and O'Neill

An Ordinance amending Chapter 19-2500 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Real Estate Non-Utilization Tax," by clarifying and amending the tax on abandoned property and vacant lots; and by changing certain tax rates; all under certain terms and conditions.

050303

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke, Mariano, DiCicco, Ramos, Kelly, Goode and Reynolds Brown

An Ordinance amending Chapter 19-1300 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Real Estate Taxes," by providing for an Economic Opportunity Plan as a condition for the grant of certain tax abatements, under certain terms and conditions.

051102

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers O'Neill, Tasco, Krajewski, DiCicco, Nutter, Miller, Rizzo and Kelly

An Ordinance amending Chapter 19-1800 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "School Tax Authorization," by adding a new Section 19-1801.1 providing for a cap on tax increases, under certain terms and conditions.

060184

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember O'Neill

An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Cates Way, under certain terms and conditions.

060050

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Tasco, Goode, Rizzo, Reynolds Brown, O'Neill, Nutter, Miller and Ramos

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-600 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Public Places -- Prohibited Conduct," by prohibiting smoking in public places and in the workplace, and providing for penalties, all under certain terms and conditions.

060393

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance authorizing the revision of lines and grades on a portion of City Plan No. 238 by striking from the City Plan and vacating Swanson street from Catharine street northwardly to the Delaware Expressway (I-95), by reserving and placing a right-of-way for drainage purposes and Water Main purposes within the bed of Swanson street and by striking from the City Plan and vacating Fitzwater street from Christopher Columbus boulevard westwardly to the Delaware Expressway (I-95), all under certain terms and conditions.

060342

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

certain areas of land located within an area bounded by Delaware Avenue, Columbia Street, the Delaware River and Shackamaxon Street.

060448

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Kenney

Resolution proposing an amendment to the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter requiring district councilmembers to be residents of the districts from which they were elected for at least one year prior to their election, and providing for the submission of the amendment of the electors of Philadelphia.

060433

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Kenney

An Ordinance providing for the submission to the qualified electors of the City of Philadelphia of the proposal set forth in a Resolution approved by Council proposing amendment of the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter requiring district councilmembers to be residents of the districts from which they were elected for at least one year prior to their election; and authorizing the appropriate officers to publish notice and to make arrangements for the special election.

060113

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Miller

An Ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of Public Property to execute and deliver to the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development, for nominal consideration, a deed conveying fee simple title to a certain tract of City-owned land with buildings and improvements thereon, situate 5928-30 Germantown Avenue in the City of Philadelphia, for further conveyance at fair market value.

060432

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Kenney and DiCicco

An Ordinance amending Section 20-101 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Residence Requirements," by providing that an employee in the civil service need not be a bona fide resident of the City when appointed, but must establish and maintain bona fide residence in the City within six months after appointment.

060485

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke and Reynolds Brown

Resolution proposing an amendment to the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter relating to the appointment of the members of the Fairmount Park Commission, and providing for the

submission of the amendment of the electors of Philadelphia.

060474

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke and Reynolds Brown

An Ordinance providing for the submission to the qualified electors of the City of Philadelphia of the proposal set forth in a Resolution approved by Council proposing an amendment of the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter relating to the appointment of the members of the Fairmount Park Commission, and authorizing the appropriate officers to publish notice and to make arrangements for the special election.

060580

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Nutter

An Ordinance to amend the Philadelphia Zoning Maps by changing the zoning designations of certain areas of land located within an area bounded by W. Coulter Street, Stokely Street, Midvale Avenue and McMichael Street.

060583

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers DiCicco, Clarke, Ramos, Miller, Goode, Reynolds Brown, Kenney, Tasco and Nutter

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-600 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Public Places -- Prohibited Conduct," by prohibiting smoking in public places and in the workplace, and providing for penalties, all under certain terms and conditions.

051089

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell for Councilmember Council President Verna

An Ordinance authorizing the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development ("PAID") to file an application with the Office of the Budget, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program, in an amount not to exceed Six Million Dollars (\$6,000,000) to assist in the development of the Point Breeze Performing Arts Center; and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

060261

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell for Councilmember Council President Verna (By Request)

An Ordinance authorizing the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development ("PAID") to file an application with the Office of the Budget, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program, in an amount not to exceed Two Hundred Fifty

Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) to assist in the relocation of the Family Practice and Counseling Network; and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

060620

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell

An Ordinance constituting the Eleventh Supplemental Ordinance to the Restated General Water and Wastewater Revenue Bond Ordinance of 1989, as supplemented; authorizing the Bond Committee, or a majority of them, to issue and sell either at public or private sale in one or more series or subseries, Water and Wastewater Revenue Bonds of the City of Philadelphia (the "City"); authorizing approval of the form or forms of Bonds; providing that the Bonds shall bear interest at a prescribed fixed rate or rates or at variable rates which may be payable in different modes, and authorizing agreements to provide credit enhancement or payment or liquidity sources or swap payments (or any combination of the foregoing) for the Bonds and certain other actions; authorizing the Director of Finance of the City to take certain actions with regard to the sale of such Water and Wastewater Revenue Bonds, the investment of proceeds thereof and the City's continuing disclosure obligation; setting forth the use of proceeds and providing for the application of interest and income earned on such proceeds; determining the sufficiency of the Project Revenues; covenanting the payment of interest and principal (including the payment of any Qualified Swap payments); and supplementing the Restated General Water and Wastewater Revenue Bond Ordinance of 1989.

060627

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Krajewski and Kenney

An Ordinance amending Title 22 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Public Employees Retirement Code," by amending Section 22-1303, entitled "Exemption from Attachment," by adding Local 22 Fire Political Action Committee (FIREPAC) to the list of designated payees to whom a member may direct deductions from benefits payments, all under certain terms and conditions.

060688

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell for Councilmember Council President Verna

An Ordinance authorizing the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development ("PAID") to file an application with the Office of the Budget, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program, in an aggregate amount not to exceed Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) to assist in the development of Simeone Automotive Foundation Education Center; and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

060690

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell

An Ordinance constituting the Tenth Supplemental Ordinance to the Restated General Water and Wastewater Revenue Bond Ordinance of 1989, as supplemented; authorizing the Bond Committee, or a majority of them, to issue and sell, from time to time, either at public or private sale in one or more series or subseries, Water and Wastewater Revenue Refunding Bonds of the City of Philadelphia; authorizing approval of the form or forms of Bonds; providing that the Bonds shall bear interest at a prescribed fixed rate or rates or at variable rates which may be payable in different modes, and authorizing agreements to provide credit enhancement or payment or liquidity sources or swap payments (or any combination of the foregoing) for the Bonds and certain outstanding bonds and certain other actions; authorizing the Director of Finance of the City to take certain actions with regard to the sale of such Water and Wastewater Revenue Refunding Bonds, the investment of proceeds thereof and the City's continuing disclosure obligation; designating the obligations to be refunded from the proceeds of such Water and Wastewater Revenue Refunding Bonds and setting forth the use of proceeds and providing for the application of interest and income earned on such proceeds; determining the sufficiency of the Project Revenues; covenanting the payment of interest and principal (including the payment of any Qualified Swap payments); and supplementing the Restated General Water and Wastewater Revenue Bond Ordinance of 1989.

060691

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell

An Ordinance authorizing the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development ("PAID") to file an application with the Office of the Budget, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program, in an aggregate amount not to exceed One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) to assist in the development of Woodlands Arboretum & Botanical Gardens Revitalization Project; and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

060692

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell

An Ordinance authorizing and approving (i) the execution and delivery of a Service Agreement between the City of Philadelphia and the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development relating to a comprehensive program to improve and enhance the City of Philadelphia's cultural and commercial corridors for the benefit of the residents of the City of Philadelphia, (ii) the issuance by the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development of bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness in one or more series, to finance or refinance (for debt service savings) the costs of the cultural and commercial corridors program; and (iii) the obligation of the City of Philadelphia to pay in full when due the Service Fee and other amounts payable under the Service Agreement; authorizing certain City officers to take certain actions required to issue bonds, notes or other evidences of indebtedness; covenanting that the City of Philadelphia will make necessary appropriations in each of the City's fiscal years to provide for the Service Fee and other amounts due under the Service Agreement; and covenanting that the

City of Philadelphia will make timely payments of the Service Fee and other amounts due under the Service Agreement; all under certain terms and conditions.

<u>060693</u>

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Miller

An Ordinance authorizing the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development ("PAID") to file an application with the Office of the Budget, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program, in an aggregate amount not to exceed Five Million One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$5,150,000) to assist in the development of Germantown YWCA and Morris Arboretum; and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

060696

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Ramos

An Ordinance amending Title 22 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Public Employees Retirement Code," by amending Section 22-1303, entitled "Exemption from Attachment," to add AFSCME District Council 47 to the list of designated payees to whom a member may direct deductions from benefits payments, all under certain terms and conditions.

060701

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Clarke

An Ordinance authorizing the Philadelphia Authority for Industrial Development ("PAID") to file an application with the Office of the Budget, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the Redevelopment Assistance Capital Program, in an aggregate amount not to exceed Seven Million Dollars (\$7,000,000) to assist in the development of North Philadelphia Health System, the Old Metropolitan Opera House and Progress Plaza; and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

060638

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Kenney and Goode

Resolution proposing an amendment to the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter to repeal the "resign to run" provision, so that, effective January 1, 2008, City officers and employees may become candidates for nomination or election to public office without first resigning from their City office or employment, and providing for the submission of the amendment of the electors of Philadelphia.

060617

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Kenney and Goode

An Ordinance providing for the submission to the qualified electors of the City of Philadelphia of the proposal set forth in a Resolution approved by Council proposing amendment of the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter to repeal the "resign to run" provision, so that, effective January 1, 2008, City officers and employees may become candidates for nomination or election to public office without first resigning from their City office or employment; fixing the date of a special election for such purpose; prescribing the form of ballot question to be voted on; and authorizing the appropriate officers to publish notice and to make arrangements for the special election.

060629

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Goode and O'Neill

An Ordinance amending and clarifying the campaign finance provisions of Chapter 20-1000 of The Philadelphia Code; in particular, defining, for purposes of the Chapter, what it means to be a "candidate" for City elective office; prohibiting the acceptance of contributions in excess of the contribution limits; prohibiting candidates from spending the amount of any contribution in excess of the contribution limits, including any excess contributions made before a person became a candidate; providing that if one candidate makes contributions of his or her own resources in excess of a specified amount to his or her own campaign, then the contribution limits for all other candidates will be increased; providing for enforcement, including the imposition of civil penalties, by the Board of Ethics; and making certain technical changes; all under certain terms and conditions.

060619

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell

An Ordinance authorizing the revision of lines and grades on a portion of City Plan No. 105 by striking from the City Plan and vacating Ludwick Street from Haverford Avenue to Wallace Street, under certain terms and conditions.

060626

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Krajewski

An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Delaware Avenue from Levick Street to Magee Avenue and Magee Avenue from Delaware Avenue to New State Street, under certain terms and conditions.

060632

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending Section 9-212 of The Philadelphia Code by prohibiting newsstands within an area bounded by Passyunk Avenue, 13th Street and Mifflin Street.

060634

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance amending Section 9-212 of The Philadelphia Code by prohibiting newsstands on both sides of 6th Street between Chestnut Street and Sansom Street.

060694

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Miller

An Ordinance authorizing Commerce Bank to construct, operate and maintain a building facade located at 8600 Germantown Avenue at Evergreen Street, Philadelphia, PA 19118, under certain terms and conditions.

060702

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Kelly

An Ordinance authorizing the paving of Sunshine Lane and Solar Way, under certain terms and conditions.

060703

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Kelly

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the revision of lines and grades on a portion of City Plan No. 344 by placing on the City Plan Sunshine Lane and Solar Way and a 50' wide right-of-way for drainage purposes and a variable width right-of-way for drainage purposes under certain terms and conditions, including the dedication to the City, free and clear of all encumbrances, of the beds of Sunshine Lane and Solar Way.

060730

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Krajewski

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the revision of lines and grades on a portion of City Plan No. 278 by placing on the City Plan Delaware Avenue from Hellerman Street to Magee Avenue and by placing Magee Avenue from Delaware Avenue to New State Road, under certain terms and conditions, including the dedication to the City, free and clear of all encumbrances, of the beds of Delaware Avenue and Magee Avenue being placed under authority of this Ordinance and also dedication to the City, free and clear of all encumbrances of a portion of the bed of Delaware Avenue between Levick Street and Hellerman Street not previously opened.

060630

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Goode, Clarke, Reynolds Brown, Miller, Ramos and Blackwell

Credits, and Alternative Tax Computation," by amending the provisions of the new job creation tax credit with respect to businesses that create new jobs for ex-offenders; all under certain terms and conditions.