

City of Philadelphia
City Council Calendar
Thursday, March 29, 2007

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.

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.

060618-A

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-1200 of The Philadelphia Code entitled "Posting of Temporary Signs" by allowing signs to be posted on utility poles and streetlights, all under certain terms and conditions.

BILLS ON SECOND READING AND FINAL PASSAGE

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.

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.

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

An Ordinance to amend the Philadelphia Zoning Maps by changing the zoning designations of 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.

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.

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.

060743**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Clarke

An Ordinance to amend the Philadelphia Zoning Maps by changing the zoning designations of certain areas of land located within an area bounded by Master Street, Second Street, Thompson Street and American Street.

060700**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmembers Clarke and Miller

An Ordinance amending Chapter 10-800 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Safety," by adding a new Section entitled "Failure to Report Lost or Stolen Firearm," by requiring prompt notification of lost or stolen firearms and imposing penalties.

060962**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Clarke

An Ordinance to amend the Philadelphia Zoning Maps by changing the zoning designations of certain areas of land located within an area bounded by North Broad Street, Fairmount Avenue, North 13th Street, Wallace Street and Ridge Avenue.

060963**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Clarke

An Ordinance amending Chapter 14-1402 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Parking in Residential Districts" and by amending Chapter 14-305 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "C-4 Commercial and C-5 Commercial Districts," all to revise parking regulations and to increase the permitted floor area of lots designated C-4 in the area bounded by North Broad Street, Fairmount Avenue, North 13th Street, Wallace Street and Ridge Avenue.

060964**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Clarke

An Ordinance authorizing the revision of lines and grades on a portion of City Plan No. 58 by striking from the City Plan and vacating Melon Street from Ridge Avenue to Thirteenth Street and by reserving and placing on the City Plan a right-of-way for drainage and water main

purpose, by striking from the City Plan and vacating a portion of Park Avenue and abandoning a certain right-of-way for drainage and water main purposes, all under certain terms and conditions.

060965

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Clarke

An Ordinance to amend the Institutional Development District Master Plan of Temple University by allowing for the construction of a new building on Block B, of the Institutional Development District at the Northeast corner of 15th and Norris Streets for use as the Edward H. Rosen Center for Jewish Life.

060900

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember O'Neill

An Ordinance authorizing the paving of St. Thomas Drive, under certain terms and conditions.

070046

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

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the revision of lines and grades on a portion of City Plan Nos. 11-S, 42, 43, 97, 269 and 308 by placing on the City Plan South Street from its current terminus northwest of the northwesterly Pierhead and Bulkhead Line of the Schuylkill River to the northwesterly Pierhead and Bulkhead Line of the Schuylkill River, widening South Street by 8' on the northeasterly side from 32nd Street to the northwesterly Pierhead and Bulkhead Line of the Schuylkill River, widening South Street on the southwesterly side by 8' from Convention Avenue to the northwesterly Pierhead and Bulkhead Line of the Schuylkill River, placing a certain triangular portion on the westerly corner of Convention Avenue and South Street, placing a certain triangular portion at the intersection of the southwesterly side of South Street and the southeasterly side of the CSX Railroad Right-of-Way line, by widening the northeasterly side of South Street by a variable width from the southeasterly Pierhead and Bulkhead Line of the Schuylkill River to a point approximately 254' west of the westerly side of 27th Street and by Placing a 30' wide and variable width Right-of-Way for Drainage Purposes on the southwesterly side of South Street southeast of the southeasterly Pierhead and Bulkhead Line of the Schuylkill River.

060226

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Clarke, Reynolds Brown, Goode, Kenney, Miller, Nutter, Blackwell, Tasco, Ramos and Council President Verna

An Ordinance amending Title 17 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Contracts and Procurement," by adding a Chapter providing for the development of and setting forth provisions relating to Economic Opportunity Plans in connection with certain City contracts

and projects, all under certain terms and conditions.

060052

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Goode

An Ordinance amending Section 19-201 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "City Depositories," by revoking the depository status of Wachovia Bank, and revising the list of City depositories, under certain terms and conditions.

060389

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Ramos

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 Maria de los Santos Health Center; and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

070072

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Kenney

An Ordinance amending Chapter 19-2604 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Business Privilege Taxes," by providing a "Green Roofs Tax Credit" for costs incurred to erect a "green roof" that supports living vegetation, under certain terms and conditions.

070073

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmembers Kenney and DiCicco

An Ordinance amending Chapter 19-1300 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Real Estate Taxes," to provide a credit against the tax for owners of condominiums and cooperatives who do not receive regular City refuse, recycling and bulk item collection services; all under certain terms and conditions.

070089

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

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 conversion of the former Wills Eye Hospital in Philadelphia to the Jefferson Hospital for Neuroscience and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and

conditions.

070090

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember DiCicco

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 the WHYY Learning Lab, and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

070091

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Goode

An Ordinance amending Chapter 19-200 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "City Funds - Deposits, Investments, Disbursements," by amending Section 19-201, entitled "City Depositories," by authorizing the City Treasurer to deposit funds in Sovereign Bank, under certain terms and conditions.

070150

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Tasco

An Ordinance amending Bill No. 060378, entitled "An Ordinance approving the Fiscal Year 2007 Capital Budget providing for expenditures for the capital purposes of the Philadelphia Gas Works (including the supplying of funds in connection therewith) subject to certain constraints and conditions, and acknowledging receipt of the Forecast of Capital Budgets for Fiscal Years 2008 through 2012," by approving a revised Capital Budget for Fiscal Year 2007.

070169

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember O'Neill

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 One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,100,000) to assist in the development of the Jewish Employment and Vocational Services (JEVS), the Jewish Community Center of Philadelphia, and the Pilgrim Gardens Retirement Community; and authorizing the City to enter into an agreement with PAID in furtherance of grant requirements; all under certain terms and conditions.

070129

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell

Resolution proposing an amendment to Article VIII, Chapter 5 of the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter, entitled "Referenda Approved by the Voters," by adding a new section providing that the citizens of Philadelphia urge the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to deny the Philadelphia Gas Works' 2006 Request for a Base Rate Increase.

070117

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell

An Ordinance providing for the submission to the qualified electors of the City of Philadelphia of an amendment to Article VIII, Chapter 5 of the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter, entitled "Referenda Approved by the Voters," by adding a new section providing that the citizens of Philadelphia urge the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to deny the Philadelphia Gas Works' 2006 Request for a Base Rate Increase; fixing the date of a special election for such purpose; prescribing the form of ballot questions to be voted on; and authorizing the appropriate officers to publish notice and to make arrangements for the special election.