

City of Philadelphia
City Council Calendar
Thursday, February 22, 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.

060901**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 Girard Avenue, Pennsylvania Avenue, 32nd Street, a Railroad Right-of-Way, Oxford Street, and 30th Street.

060902**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Clarke

An Ordinance amending Title 14 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Zoning and Planning," by amending Chapter 14-200, entitled "Residential Districts," by adopting a new Section 14-217, entitled "Industrial Transformation District," under certain terms and conditions.

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.

060590**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 calling on the citizens of Philadelphia to urge the Philadelphia Board of Revision of Taxes (BRT) to retain its current method of real estate tax assessment and not change the method as proposed under the BRT's Full Valuation Initiative.

060576**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmembers Blackwell and O'Neill

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 calling on the citizens of Philadelphia to urge the Philadelphia Board of Revision of Taxes (BRT) to retain its current method of real estate tax assessment and not change the method as proposed under the BRT's

Full Valuation Initiative; 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.

060861

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 United States to make year 2007 the time to redeploy U.S. troops out of harm's way in Iraq.

060849

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 United States to make year 2007 the time to redeploy U.S. troops out of harm's way in Iraq; 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.

060894

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Blackwell for Councilmember Council President Verna

An Ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of Public Property, on behalf of the City of Philadelphia, to acquire by condemnation or by purchase in lieu of condemnation certain easements for the purpose of a public right-of-way for a new bridge crossing the Schuylkill River through South street.

060852

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Miller

An Ordinance authorizing and directing the revision of lines and grades on a portion of City Plan No. 129 by striking from the City Plan 25th Street from Stokley Street to Westmoreland Street, under certain terms and conditions

060929

INTRODUCED BY: Councilmember Tasco

An Ordinance regulating the direction of movement of traffic on Cedarbrook Avenue between Greenwood Street and Vernon Road.

060930**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Tasco

An Ordinance regulating the direction of movement of traffic on Cederbrook Avenue between Phil-Ellena Street to Greenwood Avenue.

060931**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Tasco

An Ordinance establishing a "No Truck Parking Anytime" regulation on the 5500 block of Tabor Road, both sides.

060932**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Tasco

An Ordinance establishing a "No Truck Parking Anytime" regulation on the 5600 block of Tabor Road, both sides.

060933**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Tasco

An Ordinance establishing a "No Truck Parking Anytime" regulation on the 1500 block of Upsal Street between 80th Avenue/Pickering Avenue and Limekilm Pike/Michener Avenue, both sides.

060935**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance granting permission to Aruna Patel, owner and operator of the newsstand located on the northeast corner of Ninth and Chestnut Streets, to construct, use and maintain conduits for fiber optic facilities in, under and across the northeast corner of Ninth and Chestnut Streets, for the purpose of supplying telephone service to said newsstand.

060937**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance granting permission to Ashwin B. Patel and Rams Newsstand, owner and operator of the newsstand located on the southwest corner of Tenth and Chestnut Streets, to construct, use and maintain conduits for fiber optic facilities in, under and across the southwest corner of Tenth and Chestnut Streets, for the purpose of supplying electrical service and telephone service to said newsstand.

060938**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember DiCicco

An Ordinance granting permission to Mohammed A. Ahamed, owner and operator of the newsstand located on the southeast corner of Seventh and Market Streets, to construct, use and maintain conduits for fiber optic facilities in, under and across the southeast corner of Seventh and Market Streets, for the purpose of supplying electrical service and telephone service to said newsstand.

060941**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Clarke

An Ordinance authorizing the installation of all-way stop signs at the intersection of 11th Street and Tioga Street.

060960**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmembers Ramos and Savage

An Ordinance authorizing Wachovia Bank, its successors and assigns, to place a freestanding ATM kiosk on the north sidewalk of E. Allegheny Avenue adjacent to the bank entrance at the Wachovia Bank located at 861 E. Allegheny Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19134, under certain terms and conditions.

070045**INTRODUCED BY:** Councilmember Blackwell for Councilmember Council President Verna (By Request)

An Ordinance granting permission to Marilyn T. Stroud, 1543 Dickinson Street, Philadelphia, PA 19146 to operate and maintain an open-air sidewalk café on the northeast corner of S. 16th and Dickinson Streets, under certain terms and conditions.