

NIAGARA FALLS CITY COUNCIL
AGENDA FOR SEPTEMBER 4, 2019

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

COUNCIL CHAMBERS

6:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL - COUNCIL MEMBERS

KENNEDY X SCOTT X TOMPKINS X VOCCIO X TOUMA X

PRAYER - VOCCIO

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Approval of Minutes from the Council Meeting of July 24, 2019

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	absent			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	4	0		

PUBLIC HEARING

Relative to adopting a Local Law to establish a Sustainable Energy Loan Program (Open C-Pace) in the City of Niagara Falls, New York
THERE WERE NO SPEAKERS

PUBLIC SPEAKERS

1. AGENDA ITEMS

Michael Esposito	Agenda Item #19
Troy Livesay	Agenda Item #18
Ken Hamilton	Agenda Item #20

2. FOR THE GOOD OF THE COMMUNITY

Ron Anderluh	Niagara Business Association
Gloria Dolson	19 th Street
Leonard Ciccone	Dead Trees
Dan Davis	Suspension Bridge
Johnny Carr	Taxes
Ken Hamilton	Police

PRESENTATIONS:

Pat Whalen, Global Tourism Institute

ADMINISTRATIVE UPDATE:

CONTROLLERS REPORT

REVIEW OF AGENDA ITEMS

LEGISLATIVE MEETING

INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

FROM THE CITY CLERK

1. City Clerk's Claim Report for the Month of July 2019

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2. City Clerk's Report for the Month of July 2019

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ITEMS FOR COUNCIL ACTION

FROM THE MAYOR

3. Approval of Lease Agreement for Copiers to Brian Parisi Copier Systems VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

4. Approval of utilization of 333 First Street and 492 Main Street by Niagara Falls Police Dept. ("NFPD") for training

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

5. Approval of acceptance of grant award for NFPD to improve and develop tactical team capabilities

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

6. Approval of 440-10th St., 462-10th St., 929 Ferry Ave. for Economic Development

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

7. Approval of the Contract for Liberty Park fence replacement project to New York State Fence Co., Inc.

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

8. Approval of City participation in funding for Niagara Global Tourism Institute ("NGTI")

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

9. Approval of funding for emergency demolitions through Code Enforcement

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

10. Approval of purchase of hardware to support AS/400 System

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

11. Approval of Reprogram of HUD CDBG Funds for Completion of Niagara Falls dog Park

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

12. Approval of Community Development Block Grant Contract Extension for Pinnacle Community Services

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

ADDITIONAL ITEMSFROM THE CITY CLERK

13. Approval of Second Hand Dealer to Niagara Coin & Collectables

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

14. Approval of Commissioner of Deeds appointments

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

FROM THE CITY ASSESSOR

15. Informational Item: 2019 General Assessment Roll

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FROM THE CORPORATION COUNSEL

16. Approval to settle and pay claim of Liberty Mutual Inc. Corp a/s/o Lorrilie Mundier in the amount of \$5,042.31

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

17. Approval of recommendation to authorize the reconveyance of title to former owners of parcels acquired in the 2016 In Rem

VOTE

	yea	nay	yea	nay
Council Member Kennedy	X			
Council Member Scott	X			
Council Member Tompkins	X			
Council Member Voccio	X			
Council Chairman Touma	X			
Total:	5	0		

RESOLUTIONS

18. Relative to fee waiver for Cayuga Gamblers Travel Softball Organization

BY: Council Members Kennedy, Scott, Tompkins, Chairman Touma

VOTE

2019- 68 Council Member Kennedy
 Council Member Scott
 Council Member Tompkins
 Council Member Voccio
 Council Chairman Touma

Total:

yea	nay	yea	nay
X			
X			
X			
X			
X			
5	0		

19. Relative to fee waiver for Pediatric Cancer Awareness Walk

BY: Council Member Tompkins, Chairman Touma

VOTE

2019- 69 Council Member Kennedy
 Council Member Scott
 Council Member Tompkins
 Council Member Voccio
 Council Chairman Touma

Total:

yea	nay	yea	nay
X			
X			
X			
X			
X			
5	0		

20. Relative to the Amendment of the Local Civil Service rules to allow Lateral Transfers for Police Officers from other jurisdictions

BY: Council Member Kennedy

VOTE

Council Member Kennedy
Council Member Scott
Council Member Tompkins
Council Member Voccio
Council Chairman Touma

Total:

yea	nay	yea	nay

THIS ITEM WAS PULLED

NO ACTION TAKEN

21. Relative to removal of the Niagara Scenic (Robert Moses) Parkway and improvements to the Parkland and adjacent area, reconstruction of Discovery Way, reconstruction of the Trolley Path and construction of new bicycle/pedestrian paths, City of Niagara Falls, PINS 5761.9B and 5761.90
BY: Council Member Kennedy, Chairman Touma

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
	Council Member Kennedy	X			
2019--	Council Member Scott	X			
70	Council Member Tompkins	X			
	Council Member Voccio	X			
	Council Chairman Touma	X			
	Total:	5	0		

22. Relative to adoption of a Local Law to establish a sustainable Energy Loan Program (Open C-Pace) in the City of Niagara Falls, NY

BY: Council Member Tompkins, Chairman Touma

VOTE

		yea	nay	yea	nay
	Council Member Kennedy	X			
2019-	Council Member Scott	X			
71	Council Member Tompkins	X			
	Council Member Voccio	X			
	Council Chairman Touma	X			
	Total:	5	0		