

OFFICE OF THE COMMON COUNCIL
CITY HALL – ROME, NEW YORK 13440



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CITY CLERK
Louise S. Glasso

COMMON COUNCIL MEETING
REGULAR SESSION

MARCH 25, 2009
7:30PM

1. CALLING THE ROLL OF MEMBERS BY THE CLERK

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. INVOCATION

4. GENERAL PUBLIC HEARING

The time limit for speakers at the general public hearing shall be limited to (5) continuous minutes. The President of the Common Council may extend this time up to an additional five (5) minutes at his discretion; and further extensions must be approved by a majority of the council.

5. RECOGNITION/APPRECIATION

6. READING OF THE MINUTES OF THE PRECEDING SESSION

(Motion in order that the reading of the minutes of the preceding session be dispensed with and that they be approved.)

7. PRESENTING OF PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

A. PETITIONS

B. COMMUNICATIONS.

The following businesses have notified the City Clerk's Office of their intention to renew liquor licenses:

Scotty's Hot Dogs
The Cove Sports Bar & Grill
China House Restaurant

6700 Martin St.
8530 Rome Westernville Rd.
503 N. James St. (Received & Filed)

8. NOTICES

Members of the Council to meet for GLDC update – March 25, 2009 @ 6:00pm

9. REPORT OF CITY OFFICIALS

10. REPORT OF COUNCILORS AND GENERAL CITY AFFAIRS

11. PRESENTING OF REPORT OF COMMITTEES

12. RESOLUTIONS

RES. NO. 60

A

AUTHORIZING CITY OF ROME POLICE DEPARTMENT PERSONNEL TO ATTEND CONFERENCE. Beach

RES. NO. 61

B

AUTHORIZING CITY OF ROME POLICE DEPARTMENT SENIOR INVESTIGATOR TO ATTEND CONFERENCE. Beach

RES. NO. 62

C

EXPRESSING THE CITY OF ROME COMMON COUNCIL'S SUPPORT OF INCREASED FREIGHT RAIL HAULING CAPACITY. Mazzafarro

RES. NO. 63

D

AUTHORIZING CITY OF ROME DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS PERSONNEL TO ATTEND TRAINING CONFERENCE. Tallarino

RES. NO. 64

E

ACCEPTING DONATION PRESENTED TO THE CITY OF ROME'S DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION RELATIVE TO VOGEL PARK. Miller

RES. NO. 65

F

ACCEPTING DONATION PRESENTED TO THE CITY OF ROME POLICE DEPARTMENT. Beach

RES. NO. 66

G

AUTHORIZING AN APPOINTMENT TO THE BOARD OF ASSESSMENT REVIEW FOR THE CITY OF ROME, NEW YORK. Surace

RES. NO. 67

K

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN INTER-MUNICIPAL AGREEMENT WITH ONEIDA COUNTY, ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DIVISION, RELATIVE TO COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL AND STATE REGULATIONS FOR THE CITY'S UNCOVERED WATER RESERVOIRS. Tallarino

RES. NO. 68

O

RENAMING PORTIONS OF THE JOHN F. KENNEDY CIVIC ARENA/MUNICIPAL POOL COMPLEX TO RECOGNIZE DONORS. Miller

RES. NO. 69

P

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH THE COUNTY OF ONEIDA TO CONTRACT FOR ELECTRICITY AND NATURAL GAS PRODUCTS. Piekarski

13. ORDINANCES

A. %Lacking Unanimous Consent

B. Current Legislation

ORD. NO. 8473

L

AUTHORIZING THE CLOSING OF A PORTION OF NORTH JAMES STREET FROM ERIE BOULEVARD TO WEST LIBERTY STREET ON JUNE 6, 2009. Petty

ORD. NO. 8474

M

**AUTHORIZING THE SUSPENSION OF PARKING FEES APPLICABLE AT THE FORT STANWIX PARKING GARAGE FOR A SET TIME PERIOD ON JUNE 6, 2009
Petty**

ORD. NO. 8475

K

**AUTHORIZING THE PLACEMENT OF NO PARKING SIGNS ON BOUCK STREET,
NORTH OF ACE PLACE. Petty**

ORD. NO. 8476

J

**AMENDING ROME CODE OF ORDINANCES ARTICLE VI CHAPTER 18
APPENDIX B TO INCREASE THE FEES FOR PEDDLERS AND TRANSIENT
MERCHANTS. Vescio, Glasso**

ORD. NO. 8477

I

**AMENDING ROME CODE OF ORDINANCES ARTICLE VI CHAPTER 18
SECTION 268 TO REQUIRE INSURANCE FROM PEDDLERS AND TRANSIENT
MERCHANTS AS A CONDITION TO THE ISSUANCE OF PERMITS. Vescio, Glasso**

14. LOCAL LAWS

15. TABLED LEGISLATION

ORD. NO. 8472

L

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**AUTHORIZING AN AMENDMENT TO THE OFFICIAL ZONING MAP OF THE
CITY OF ROME TO CHANGE THE ZONING DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN
PROPERTY FROM NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL TO SINGLE FAMILY
RESIDENTIAL. Vescio**

16. VETOED LEGISLATION

17. ADJOURNMENT

**% Ordinances require unanimous consent to be acted upon when first introduced
NEXT SCHEDULED COMMON COUNCIL MEETING ~~ April 8, 2009**