

City Council Agenda- Council Meeting – July 7, 2009 @ 7:00 p.m.

Roll Call- Moment of Silence–Pledge of Allegiance

Acceptance of Minutes: 4/7/09, 4/21/09, 5/5/09, 5/19/09, 5/21/09, 6/2/09 & 6/16/09

**Public Participation**

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**Public Hearing**

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**Communication from Mayor, City Officials and City Attorney**

- 235/09 Appointment – Lawrence Housing Authority’s Board of Commissioner – Zorayda Geronimo- 25 Duckett Avenue- Mayor Sullivan
- 236/09 Appointment – Bellevue Cemetery Board – Lawrence J. Smith – 8 Burke Street – Mayor Sullivan
- 237/09 Outdoor Café Seating – proposed ordinance to regulate the use – City Attorney Charles D. Boddy, Jr.
- 117/09 City Take Home Vehicles – regulating the use of Municipal Vehicles – ordinance – City Atty. Charles D. Boddy, Jr.
- 245/09 Audit Bid Process – Council Pres. Blanchette
- 246/09 City Council Chamber – Technology Update “Vote Cast” Software – First City in the Commonwealth – Council Pres. Blanchette
- 247/09 VETO Legal Opinion – Mayor’s inappropriate use – Council Pres. Blanchette
- 248/09 Elimination of 2010 Primary – to be discussed – cost savings \$100k – Council Pres. Blanchette

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**Appropriations-Orders-Resolutions**

- 234/09 Year End Appropriation Transfers – Budget and Finance Comm.
- 250/09 Proclamation – Sgt. Donald Cronin – Council Pres. Blanchette

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**Committee Reports**

- 198/09 Handicapped Parking – 8 Portland Street – Ord. Comm. & Hearing to be ordered – Ord. Comm.
- 200/09 Heavenly Donuts – request for tables and chairs on sidewalk – Ord. Comm.
- 205/09 Dedication – Pvt. Joseph Giregenti @ Allen and General Streets – Ord. Comm.
- 207/09 Transient Vendor License – Frederick E. Worthington – 11 Winthrop Avenue – Ord. Comm.
- 226/09 Transient Vendor License – Felix Jimenez – 121 Union Street – Ord. Comm.
- 229/09 Town of Andover requests the Right of Entry – to place pipe – Ord. Comm.
- 230/09 Lawrence National Night Out 2009 - Ord. Comm.
- 232/09 Eli’s Restaurant – tables and chairs on sidewalk– Ord. Comm.
- 233/09 Yawkey Children Hospital – Pemberton Park – July 19, 2009 from 10:00 a.m to 8:00 p.m. – Ord. Comm.
- 228A/09 Surplus Declaration – 327-333 Lowell Street – Hous. Comm.

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**Withdrawn**

- 90/09 Resolution – New Pecora Commission Act of 2009 – Hous. Comm.

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**Old Business**

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**Tabled Matters**

- 275/07 Marion Avenue – park to be named – Ord. Comm.
- 6B/08 City Contract Ordinance – Section 3.04.230- Ord. Comm.
- 22/08 Personnel Department – Re-organization
- 236/08 National Grid–req. permission to place underground electric conduits on Green St.-hear.
- 256/08 Parking – Prospect St/East Haverhill St- - removal of a 20 minute parking sign
- 39/09 Water Commissioner – lay off – compliance with MGL Chapter 111 Section 160- City Attorney invited to attend
- 141/09 Resolution – Delila Rivera – Council Pres. Blanchette
- 281/08 Revised Zoning Ordinance – Political Signs – hearing
- 219/09 FOIA Request Ignored by Administration – copy of all bills and documents related to payment to Mintz Levin Law Firm–Budget and Finance Director Mark Andrews and Comptroller Dir. Cammaso to attend to answer questions
- 227/09 Cell Towers – Presence requested of Land Use Planner Dan McCarthy and City Attorney Richard D’Agostino to Explain process in securing cells towers and the appeal process if denied

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**New Business**

- 238/09 Community Service Agency – 447 Essex Street – requests permission to use the Campagnone Common Park on August 29, 2009 from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – Counc. Moran
- 239/09 Saint Alfio Society – requests permission to conduct their 85<sup>th</sup> Annual Feast of the Three Saints on Labor Day

Weekend – Sept. 4th, 5th, & 6<sup>th</sup>, 2009 – Jack A. Roy, Treasurer  
240/09 National Grid and Verizon New England, Inc. – requests permission to locate poles, wires and fixture on  
Springfield Street

241/09 Transient Vendor License – Carlos N. Alba – Amesbury Street  
242/09 Transient Vendor License – Olga Jimenez – 43 Texas Avenue  
243/09 Transient Vendor License – Romeo Tellez – 43 Texas Avenue  
249/09 Transient Vendor License – Eric A. Morales -21 Dartmouth Street  
251/09 Loading Zone – Senator William X. Wall Experiment Station – 37 Shattuck Street – Ann Marie Allen,  
Acting Deputy Director

252/09 Team ECR – request permission to use the Pemberton Park for their 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Car Show on July 25<sup>th</sup>, 2009  
from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. – David Medina, President

253/09 Greater Lawrence Technical High School – transfer of ball park lights – Counc. Twomey  
254/09 Community Service Agency, Inc. – 447 Essex Street – request to use the Campagnone Common Park for  
Their 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Youth Festival for the after school program on August 29, 2009 from 11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.-  
Michelle Polanco