

MINUTES OF THE MEETING
OF THE LAWRENCE CITY COUNCIL

DATE: Thursday, November 30, 2006

A SPECIAL MEETING of the City Council was held on **Thursday, November 30, 2006** at 6:23 p.m. in the City Council Chamber with all Members present except for Councilor Gonzalez, Councilor DiMarca, Councilor Alvarez-Rodriguez and Councilor Silva. Council President Blanchette presided over the meeting.

No [0] persons were present.

A Moment of Silence was held.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

I. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES: - None

II. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION: - None

III. PUBLIC HEARINGS: - None

IV. COMMUNICATIONS FROM MAYOR, CITY OFFICIALS & CITY ATTORNEY: - None

V. APPROPRIATIONS-ORDERS-RESOLUTION: - None

VI. COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Doc. 353/06: FY 2007 Tax Classification Factor – John L. Griffin, Budget and Finance Director – Public Hearing Ordered

At the request of Council President Blanchette, Councilor Parolisi presented the report from the Budget & Finance Committee in the form of a motion to order a public hearing on the FY 2007 Tax Classification Factor which was duly seconded by Councilor Frechette.

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Upon being recognized Councilor Kolofoles stated that he only does what is good for the public. He also stated that there was enough time at regular meetings to address the item.

Council President Blanchette called the motion and the Council Member present voted unanimously [5-0] to order a public hearing on the FY 2007 Tax Classification Factor.

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VII. WITHDRAWALS: - None

VIII. OLD BUSINESS: - None

IX. TABLED MATTERS:

The following items remained “tabled” without further action:

60/06	Zoning Board of Appeals, Planning Board, Lawrence Redevelopment Authority & Conservation Commission – hearing held
99/06	National Grid and Verizon New England, Inc. – request permission to locate poles, wires and fixtures on East Gilbert Street – hearing held
146/06	Captain Pizza-262 Essex St. –permission to place tables and chairs on sidewalk
215/06	Good Citizenship Award – Mayor
128/06	Acting Jobs Positions and Consultants – on more than 90 days
257/06	Resolution – Dr. Claire Paradiso
301/06	Appointment – Council on Aging – Ms. Lola Nelson – 54 Groton St.- Pers. Comm.

X. NEW BUSINESS: - None

XI. ADJOURNMENT:

Upon Motion of Councilor Kolofoles seconded by Councilor Parolisi, the Council Members present voted unanimously [5-0] to Adjourn.

**ADJOURNED
(6:26p.m.)**

Attest:

William J. Maloney
City Clerk