

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA
STATED MEETING

Room 400, City Hall
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Thursday, October 28, 2010
10:15 a.m.

PRESENT:

- COUNCIL PRESIDENT ANNA C. VERNA
- COUNCILWOMAN JANNIE BLACKWELL
- COUNCILMAN DARRELL CLARKE
- COUNCILMAN FRANK DiCICCO
- COUNCILMAN W. WILSON GOODE, JR.
- COUNCILMAN BILL GREEN
- COUNCILMAN WILLIAM K. GREENLEE
- COUNCILMAN CURTIS JONES, JR.
- COUNCILMAN JACK KELLY
- COUNCILMAN JAMES KENNEY
- COUNCILWOMAN JOAN L. KRAJEWSKI
- COUNCILWOMAN DONNA REED MILLER
- COUNCILMAN BRIAN J. O'NEILL
- COUNCILWOMAN MARIA D. QUINONES-SANCHEZ
- COUNCILWOMAN BLONDELL REYNOLDS BROWN
- COUNCILMAN FRANK RIZZO, JR.
- COUNCILWOMAN MARIAN B. TASCO
- MICHAEL A. DECKER, CHIEF CLERK

- - -

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25

COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Good morning. I note that the hour has come and that a quorum of this Council is present.

Council will come to order. Members will take their seats, and visitors will retire to the seats outside the rails.

To give our invocation this morning, the Chair recognizes Elder Andre Stanton, Senior Pastor of the Revelation Baptist Church of God. He is here today as the guest of Councilwoman Blackwell.

I would ask all members and guests to please rise.

(Members and guests rise.)

ELDER STANTON: Let us pray.

Most gracious and honorable God, we thank you for allowing us to see another day that we have never seen before in our lifetime. We thank you for another opportunity to bear witness to your grace and your mercy.

We thank you for this

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INVOCATION

2 auspicious occasion, these individuals
3 that you have blessed to be here today,
4 these elected officials. We pray that
5 you would allow them to embrace their
6 differences. Some have different race,
7 creed and other belief and religion, but
8 today they're coming together to be a
9 voice for the people. So we pray that
10 you would give them insight, touch their
11 hearts and their minds, let them know
12 that there is a greater cause, and, that
13 is, to be the best Councilperson that
14 they can be.

15 We pray all these prayers, we
16 ask in the name of the Father.

17 Amen.

18 (Amen.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 Chair thanks the Pastor for his
21 invocation.

22 Council will be at ease.

23 (Council at ease.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 next order of business is the approval of

1 10/28/10 - STATED - APPROVAL OF JOURNAL
2 the Journal of the meeting of Thursday,
3 October 21st, 2010.

4 The Chair recognizes
5 Councilwoman Tasco.

6 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
7 Madam President. I move that the Journal
8 of the meeting of Thursday, October 21st,
9 2010 stand as approved.

10 (Duly seconded.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
12 has been moved and properly seconded that
13 the Journal of the meeting of Thursday,
14 October 21st, 2010 stand approved.

15 All in favor will indicate by
16 saying aye.

17 (Aye.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
19 opposed?

20 (No response.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
22 ayes have it, and the Journal is
23 approved.

24 The next order of business is
25 requests for leaves of absence, and the

1 10/28/10 - STATED - LEAVES

2 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Tasco.

3 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Madam
4 President, on behalf of the majority,
5 there are no requests for leave of
6 absence today.

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
8 Chair thanks the Councilwoman.

9 The Chair recognizes Councilman
10 O'Neill.

11 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Madam
12 President, on behalf of the republicans,
13 there are no requests for leave of
14 absence.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
16 you.

17 The Chair will dispense with
18 the regular order of business to
19 recognize the guests and visitors joining
20 us in Chambers this morning. On behalf
21 of all members of City Council, I welcome
22 you to our Council session. We
23 appreciate your taking the time to join
24 us as we attend to the legislative
25 affairs of our city. We certainly invite

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 you to come again.

3 The Chair now recognizes

4 Councilman Rizzo.

5 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Thank you,
6 Madam President. Madam President, I'd
7 like to take this opportunity to
8 acknowledge the group from the
9 Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce, members
10 of the Chamber and their affiliates.
11 They're here in Council today.

12 Could they please stand.

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: If
14 they would stand, we'd like to recognize
15 you. Welcome.

16 (Applause.)

17 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Madam
18 President, and also I'd like to
19 acknowledge a young man that has
20 expressed interest in Philadelphia
21 politics. He's a Cheyney student and a
22 resident of our city, Rahim Dawkins.
23 He's here visiting with me today.

24 (Applause.)

25 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Thank you,

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 Madam President.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

4 You're welcome.

5 The Chair recognizes Councilman
6 Jones.

7 COUNCILMAN JONES: Thank you,
8 Madam President. I'd like to welcome
9 members of the W.B. Saul High School and
10 alumni who are visiting Council today to
11 watch the legislative process in action.

12 (Applause.)

13 COUNCILMAN JONES: In
14 particular, I'd like to welcome Emilio
15 Garcia, who is the President of the
16 entire Student Government for the School
17 District.

18 (Applause.)

19 COUNCILMAN JONES: And Mr. Sean
20 Jones, who is President of the Future
21 Farmers of America at Saul.

22 (Applause.)

23 COUNCILMAN JONES: Thank you,
24 Madam President.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 you, and welcome to all of you.

3 Councilwoman Blackwell, did you
4 want to be recognized?

5 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL:

6 Absolutely. Thank you, Madam President.
7 We have enjoyed the service of an intern
8 who has been doing all he can to help us
9 with people in need of our office. His
10 name is Abdul Muhammad. We're asking you
11 to recognize Abdul Muhammad, II, his son.
12 He has been selected to travel to Japan
13 in the summer of 2011 with People to
14 People International. So we want to
15 thank him and thank his father for their
16 contribution.

17 (Applause.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: At
19 this time, the Chair recognizes
20 Councilwoman Miller, who will present a
21 resolution proclaiming October 28th, 2010
22 as "Diabetes Awareness and Glucose
23 Control Day."

24 Would Kathryn Lavriha and those
25 accompanying her please join the

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 Councilwoman at the podium.

3 I see Councilwoman Miller is
4 being joined by Councilmembers Tasco and
5 Rizzo.

6 The Chair recognizes
7 Councilwoman Miller.

8 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Thank
9 you. Thank you, Madam President.

10 Proclaiming October 28th, 2010
11 as "Diabetes Awareness and Glucose
12 Control Day."

13 Whereas, diabetes is the sixth
14 leading cause of death in the United
15 States behind heart disease, cancer,
16 stroke, chronic lower respiratory
17 diseases and accidents; and

18 Whereas, the American Diabetic
19 Association estimates that 23.6 million
20 adults and children in the U.S. have
21 diabetes and many more are still
22 undiagnosed; and

23 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Whereas,
24 recognizing the at-risk patient
25 population is a significant concern,

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS
2 there is an equal concern of epidemic
3 proportions. Nearly half of those who
4 have already been diagnosed with the
5 disease are not reaching their blood
6 glucose target levels; and

7 Whereas, not gaining control of
8 blood glucose levels and not achieving
9 target ALC levels puts these patients at
10 risk for serious complications, including
11 cardiovascular disease, blindness, kidney
12 disease and dialysis, and nerve damage
13 and amputation; and

14 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Whereas, be
15 it resolved that the Philadelphia City
16 Council supports awareness campaigns and
17 public education programs on how to
18 manage and recognize the symptoms of
19 diabetes; and

20 Further resolved, that once an
21 individual is diagnosed, City Council
22 urges them to work with their healthcare
23 provider to gain control of their blood
24 glucose levels, and to manage and prevent
25 complications caused by diabetes.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 Now, therefore

3 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Be it

4 resolved, by the City Council of
5 Philadelphia, that October 28th, 2010
6 forevermore be declared "Diabetes
7 Awareness and Glucose Control Day," and
8 that we honor Sanofi-Aventis for their
9 tireless efforts in helping those
10 diagnosed with diabetes lead healthy
11 lives as they manage this disease.

12 Further resolved, that an
13 engrossed copy of this resolution be
14 presented to Sanofi-Aventis as further
15 evidencing the sincere admiration and
16 gratitude of this legislative body.

17 This is a true and correct copy
18 of the original resolution, adopted by
19 the Council of the City of Philadelphia
20 on the 16th day of September 2010.

21 Signed by Anna C. Verna, President, City
22 Council. Introduced by Donna Reed Miller
23 and co-sponsored by all members of City
24 Council.

25 (Applause.)

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 Chair recognizes Ms. Lavriha for remarks.

4 MS. LAVRIHA: Thank you. I'm
5 Kathryn Lavriha with Sanofi-Aventis. I'm
6 a State Government Affairs Manager. We
7 want to thank Councilmember Miller and
8 Tasco and other colleagues for their
9 support of diabetes and glucose control
10 awareness.

11 We're going to be doing a
12 screening across the hall for all City
13 Council members, their employees and
14 other folks that are in the City Council
15 Chambers. We invite you all to attend
16 that event.

17 I want to thank the
18 Councilmember for the proclamation and
19 introduce my team that helped bring that
20 resolution with us today. Chris Jones,
21 Regional Sales Director with
22 Sanofi-Aventis; Andy Boyle, who is our
23 Director of Diabetes Marketing; Anthony
24 Facello, who is our Area Account Manager;
25 and Teresa Oliveria, our Regional Medical

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 Liaison for Metabolism. Teresa is just
3 going to say one or two few words about
4 diabetes.

5 Thank you.

6 MS. OLIVERIA: Thank you. Good
7 morning, everybody. I'm Teresa Oliveria.
8 I'm a pharmacist and also a Regional
9 Medical Liaison with Sanofi-Aventis. And
10 just to give you a few quick comments as
11 to why today is so important, to bring
12 this to the level of Philadelphia
13 residents, 11 percent of our residents in
14 Philadelphia have diabetes. That's
15 higher than the average in Pennsylvania,
16 which is currently at eight percent. Our
17 diabetics are diagnosed younger, which
18 means that they have more complications,
19 are at more risk for complications. Our
20 diabetic patients also cost more to
21 treat. One in ten healthcare dollars is
22 currently spent on treating diabetes, and
23 that number is growing immensely. In
24 Philadelphia, both our inpatient and
25 outpatient costs are higher than the

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 national average, and that cost is
3 significant, and our Medicaid costs are
4 significantly higher than the rest of the
5 nation.

6 So that's why this proclamation
7 and what we're doing here today is so
8 important, not only nationally but to the
9 City of Philadelphia.

10 So thank you very much.

11 (Applause.)

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

13 Council will be at ease.

14 (Council at ease.)

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

16 Chair now recognizes Councilmembers
17 Clarke, Miller, Sanchez, Blackwell and
18 Goode, who will present a resolution
19 recognizing the X-Offenders for Community
20 Empowerment.

21 Would Wayne Jacobs and those
22 accompanying him please join the
23 Councilmembers at the podium.

24 I see that Councilman Green is
25 also joining the Councilmembers.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: The Chair
3 recognizes Councilman Clarke.

4 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Thank you,
5 Madam Chair.

6 Good morning. It gives me a
7 pleasure, great pleasure, to issue this
8 resolution for a couple of reasons. One,
9 because I think these folks are
10 well-deserving, but the other reason is
11 that they're, what we call, unsung
12 heroes, people that are out in the
13 streets every day doing good work and, in
14 particular, individuals that we're
15 talking about today who in some points in
16 their life may have gone astray, to some
17 degree, but realize the error of their
18 way and they have now turned their
19 personal lives around, and they are
20 aggressively ensuring that we continue to
21 have safe communities, aggressively
22 making sure that young people in
23 particular understand the direction that
24 they should take in their lives.

25 So I would like to say it's a

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 pleasure to be in a position to do this
3 today.

4 On behalf of City Council of
5 Philadelphia, we offer this resolution
6 recognizing the X-Offenders for Community
7 Empowerment for their positive community
8 activism, services for the ex-offender
9 community and their efforts in reducing
10 gun violence in the City of Philadelphia.

11 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Whereas, the
12 X-Offenders for Community Empowerment was
13 founded in 2000 by Wayne Jacobs and
14 Steven Blackburn to positively affect the
15 lives of formerly convicted persons and
16 the community at large; and

17 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Whereas,
18 it is the mission of the X-Offenders for
19 Community Empowerment (XCE) to empower
20 formerly convicted people to become
21 change agents in mobilizing the community
22 to address issues threatening healthy
23 families and community life; and

24 COUNCILMAN JONES: Whereas, XCE
25 implements programs for education and

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 social activism that further the
3 organization's three objectives: One,
4 stop illegal transfer of guns; two, end
5 economic and social practices that
6 unfairly affect formerly convicted
7 people; and, three, protecting the voting
8 rights of the formerly convicted; and

9 Whereas, XCE, through monthly
10 self-help "Pardon Me Clinics," assists
11 formerly convicted people, no longer on
12 probation or parole, to obtain pardons
13 and expungements to help restore their
14 full citizenship rights; and

15 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Whereas, XCE
16 has successfully advocated a number of
17 measures that promote their objectives,
18 including laws requiring the reporting of
19 lost and stolen guns, legislation
20 allowing summary offenses to be placed in
21 the expungement process, and thwarting
22 provisions that would have denied the
23 vote to anyone formerly on probation or
24 parole.

25 Now, therefore, be it

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Resolved,
3 by the Council of the City of
4 Philadelphia, that the X-Offenders for
5 Community Empowerment be recognized for
6 their positive community activism,
7 services for the ex-offender community
8 and their efforts in reducing gun
9 violence in the City of Philadelphia.

10 Further resolved, that an
11 engrossed copy of this legislation be
12 presented to Wayne Jacobs and Steve
13 Blackburn evidencing the sincere
14 appreciation of this legislative body for
15 their efforts. Signed and supported by
16 all members of Council.

17 Gentlemen, congratulations and
18 thank you so much.

19 (Applause.)

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
21 Chair recognizes Mr. Jacobs for remarks.

22 MR. JACOBS: First I'd like to
23 thank Councilman for recognizing us for
24 this effort. Normally we normally is a
25 group that usually work under the radar.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 A lot of the things, a lot of the work we
3 do, we don't be getting a lot of press
4 for, because we're more concerned about
5 doing the work than getting recognition,
6 because the recognition come from the
7 people that we help. And the work that
8 we work on, no one else works on it in
9 this city or in this state in reference
10 to stopping the illegal movement of guns.
11 Councilman Darrell Clarke was the first
12 legislator in this city to introduce that
13 legislation, and that legislation took on
14 a life of its own. Right now the NRA
15 done made it its number one objective not
16 to have that bill passed, because they
17 support crime guns and they support the
18 crime that goes on within this city.

19 And I also support what
20 Councilman Darrell Clarke is getting
21 ready to introduce in terms of closing
22 the loopholes that now exist with the gun
23 owners -- gun dealers being able to --
24 excuse me; where gun owners -- where
25 people who want to own guns can go down

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS

2 to Florida and get a license to carry.

3 And I really think that that is a
4 miscarriage of justice. It only going to
5 increase more crime in the City, and we
6 need to address that issue as well. But
7 also we need to address the issue of
8 helping the formerly convicted people to
9 reintegrate back into this community.

10 Right now we have over 300,000
11 formerly convicted people living in this
12 city, and 200,000 is no longer on
13 probation and parole, who need a second
14 chance, and this election may be able to
15 help them if the right person get in.

16 No politics? Okay. Can't talk
17 politics. But anyway, I'd like to say
18 that our next campaign that we're going
19 to be working on will be supporting
20 Councilwoman Donna Reed Miller bill to
21 ban the box that now appears on all job
22 applications that automatically
23 discriminate against formerly convicted
24 people, and we want that box off so
25 one-fifth of this population can come out

1 10/28/10 - STATED - PRESENTATIONS
2 of poverty because of the fact of their
3 criminal background and not because they
4 have a lack of skills.

5 Thank you.

6 (Applause.)

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

8 Council will be at ease.

9 MR. BLACKBURN: I would like to
10 thank the City Council for recognizing
11 X-Offenders for Community Empowerment and
12 for our work. As Wayne mentioned, we
13 have over 300,000 formerly convicted in
14 this city, and this represents a great
15 talent pool for persons who can return to
16 their communities and make a positive
17 difference. If given the opportunity,
18 the formerly convicted can return to the
19 communities as gainfully employed people
20 to help raise their families and help
21 change some of the conditions in the
22 inner city. So that's our mission, and
23 thank you very much.

24 (Applause.)

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

1 10/28/10 - STATED - COMMUNICATIONS

2 Council will be at ease.

3 (Council at ease.)

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
5 next order of business is communications.
6 The Chair requests that the
7 Sergeant-At-Arms deliver the messages
8 from the Mayor to the Chief Clerk.

9 The Chief Clerk will please
10 read the messages from the Mayor.

11 CHIEF CLERK: To the President
12 and members of the Council of the City of
13 Philadelphia, pursuant to Sections 4-604
14 and 2-307 of the Home Rule Charter, I am
15 today transmitting to the Council the
16 recommendation of the City Planning
17 Commission regarding the following bills:
18 Bill No. 100498, 100546, 100552 and
19 100656; and

20 I am transmitting for the
21 consideration of your honorable body a
22 resolution approving the redevelopment
23 contract and disposition supplement of
24 the Redevelopment Authority of the City
25 of Philadelphia for the redevelopment and

1 10/28/10 - STATED - COMMUNICATIONS
2 urban renewal of a portion of the Mantua
3 Urban Renewal Area, designated as Parcel
4 Nos. 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283
5 and 284; and

6 Also an ordinance authorizing
7 transfers in appropriations for Fiscal
8 Year 2010 within the General Fund; and

9 An ordinance authorizing
10 transfers in appropriations for Fiscal
11 Year 2010 within the Water Fund; and

12 An ordinance authorizing
13 transfers in appropriations for Fiscal
14 Year 2010 within the Grants Revenue Fund;
15 and

16 An ordinance approving the
17 first amendment of the redevelopment
18 proposal for the Center City
19 Redevelopment Area, Franklin Town
20 Project, being the area beginning in the
21 vicinity of Spring Garden and
22 Twenty-First Streets; and

23 An ordinance authorizing Mt.
24 Airy USA to install, and the Mt. Airy
25 Business Improvement District to own and

1 10/28/10 - STATED - COMMUNICATIONS

2 maintain, four benches on the east and
3 west footway of Germantown Avenue; and

4 An ordinance authorizing Mike
5 Scotese, owner of Grey Lodge Pub, to
6 construct, own and maintain an open-air
7 sidewalk cafe at 6235 Frankford Avenue;
8 and

9 An ordinance authorizing
10 Rameshchandra Patel, owner and operator
11 of the newsstand located on the northwest
12 corner of Sixteenth Street and Chestnut
13 Street, to construct, use and maintain
14 conduits in, under and across the
15 northwest corner of Sixteenth Street and
16 Chestnut Street; and

17 An ordinance authorizing BIBA
18 Wine Bar, 3131 Walnut Street, Suite 1A,
19 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19104, to
20 legalize various existing encroachments;
21 and

22 An ordinance authorizing Fabio
23 Scarpelli, owner of La Golosa, Inc., to
24 construct, own and maintain an open-air
25 sidewalk cafe at 806 South Sixth Street;

1 10/28/10 - STATED - COMMUNICATIONS

2 and

3 An ordinance authorizing CM123,
4 trading as The Wishing Well, to
5 construct, own and maintain an open-air
6 sidewalk cafe at 767 South Ninth Street;
7 and

8 An ordinance authorizing Frank
9 Borda, owner of Francoluigi's Restaurant,
10 to construct, own and maintain an
11 open-air sidewalk cafe at 1549 South
12 Thirteenth Street, all under certain
13 terms and conditions.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
15 you. The messages will be printed in the
16 Journal.

17 The Chief Clerk will please
18 read any other communications in his
19 possession.

20 CHIEF CLERK: I have none,
21 Madam President.

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
23 you.

24 The next order of business is
25 the introduction of bills and

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 resolutions, and at this time, the Chair
3 recognizes Councilman Kenney.

4 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Thank you,
5 Madam President. I offer one bill and
6 two resolutions.

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
8 you.

9 The Chief Clerk will please
10 read the title of the bill.

11 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
12 amending Section 9-605 of The
13 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Towing," by
14 revising the requirements for signs that
15 give notice that unauthorized parking is
16 prohibited.

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
18 bill will be referred to the appropriate
19 committee.

20 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
21 authorizing City Council's Committee on
22 Legislative Oversight to hold public
23 hearings to investigate how the Risk
24 Management Division of the Finance
25 Department manages its relationships with

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 Third Party Administrators.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
4 Chair recognizes Councilman Kenney for a
5 motion.

6 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: I move the
7 adoption of the resolution.

8 (Duly seconded.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
10 has been moved and properly seconded that
11 the resolution be adopted.

12 All in favor will indicate by
13 saying aye.

14 (Aye.)

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
16 opposed?

17 (No response.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
19 ayes have it, and the resolution will be
20 referred to the appropriate committee.

21 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
22 congratulating William Beck on being
23 formally awarded the Silver Star for his
24 immeasurable contribution to one of the
25 most significant and the first major

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 engagement by the United States Army in
3 the Vietnam War.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
5 Chair recognizes Councilman Kenney.

6 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: I move the
7 adoption of the resolution.

8 (Duly seconded.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
10 has been moved and properly seconded that
11 the resolution be adopted.

12 All in favor will say aye.

13 (Aye.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
15 opposed?

16 (No response.)

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
18 ayes have it and the resolution is
19 adopted.

20 The Chair recognizes
21 Councilwoman Blackwell.

22 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
23 you, Madam President. Today I introduce
24 three bills and one -- no; just the
25 opposite. Three resolutions and one

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 bill, and one of the resolutions is
3 co-sponsored by Councilman Greenlee and
4 Councilman Clarke.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
6 you.

7 The Chief Clerk will please
8 read the title of the bill.

9 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
10 authorizing BIBA UC Limited Liability
11 Company, doing business as BIBA Wine Bar,
12 3131 Walnut Street, Suite 1A,
13 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19104, to
14 legalize various existing encroachments.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
16 bill will be referred to the appropriate
17 committee.

18 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
19 honoring and congratulating State
20 Representative Frank Louis Oliver on the
21 occasion of his retirement from the
22 Pennsylvania General Assembly after
23 thirty-six years of service.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
3 you, Madam President. I move for the
4 adoption of the resolution.

5 (Duly seconded.)

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
7 has been moved and properly seconded that
8 the resolution be adopted.

9 All in favor will indicate by
10 saying aye.

11 (Aye.)

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
13 opposed?

14 (No response.)

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
16 ayes have it and the resolution is
17 adopted.

18 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
19 honoring and congratulating Commonwealth
20 Court Judge Doris Smith-Ribner on
21 receiving the Thaddeus Stevens Award
22 recognizing her work to provide equal
23 educational opportunity to all students
24 in the School District of Philadelphia.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 Again, the Chair recognizes Councilwoman
3 Blackwell.

4 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
5 you, Madam President. I move for the
6 adoption of the resolution.

7 (Duly seconded.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
9 has been moved and properly seconded that
10 the resolution be adopted.

11 All in favor will say aye.

12 (Aye.)

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
14 opposed?

15 (No response.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 ayes have it and the resolution is
18 adopted.

19 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
20 approving the redevelopment contract and
21 disposition supplement of the
22 Redevelopment Authority of the City of
23 Philadelphia for the redevelopment and
24 urban renewal of a portion of the Mantua
25 Urban Renewal Area.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 Chair again recognizes Councilwoman
4 Blackwell.

5 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
6 you, Madam President. I move for the
7 adoption of the resolution.

8 (Duly seconded.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
10 has been moved and properly seconded that
11 the resolution be adopted.

12 All in favor will say aye.

13 (Aye.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
15 opposed?

16 (No response.)

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
18 ayes have it and the resolution is
19 adopted.

20 The Chair recognizes Councilman
21 Greenlee.

22 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Thank
23 you, Madam President. I got no bills or
24 resolutions.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 you.

3 The Chair recognizes

4 Councilwoman Krajewski.

5 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Thank

6 you, Madam President. I offer four

7 bills.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

9 you.

10 The Chief Clerk will please

11 read the title of the first bill.

12 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

13 authorizing transfers in appropriations

14 for Fiscal Year 2010 within the Water

15 Fund.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

17 bill will be referred to the appropriate

18 committee.

19 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance

20 authorizing transfers in appropriations

21 for Fiscal Year 2010 within the Grants

22 Revenue Fund.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This

24 bill will be referred to the appropriate

25 committee.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
3 authorizing transfers in appropriations
4 for Fiscal Year 2010 within the General
5 Fund.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
7 bill will be referred to the appropriate
8 committee.

9 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
10 authorizing Mike Scotese, owner of Grey
11 Lodge Pub, to construct, own and maintain
12 an open-air sidewalk cafe at 6235
13 Frankford Avenue.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
15 bill will be referred to the appropriate
16 committee.

17 The Chair recognizes
18 Councilwoman Tasco.

19 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Madam
20 President, I offer one resolution.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
22 you.

23 The Chief Clerk will please
24 read the title of the resolution.

25 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 honoring the Urban Affairs Coalition and
3 its 41 years of service to the great
4 citizens of Southeastern Pennsylvania.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
6 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Tasco for a
7 motion.

8 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: I move for
9 the adoption of the resolution.

10 (Duly seconded.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
12 has been moved and properly seconded that
13 the resolution be adopted.

14 All in favor will say aye.

15 (Aye.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
17 opposed?

18 (No response.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 ayes have it and the resolution is
21 adopted.

22 The Chair recognizes
23 Councilwoman Miller.

24 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Thank
25 you, Madam President. Today I offer one

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 bill and one resolution co-sponsored by
3 Councilman Jones.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
5 you.

6 The Chief Clerk will please
7 read the title of the bill.

8 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
9 authorizing Mt. Airy USA to install, and
10 the Mt. Airy Business Improvement
11 District to own and maintain, four
12 benches on the east and west footway of
13 Germantown Avenue, from Mt. Airy Avenue
14 to East Phil-Ellena Street.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
16 bill will be referred to the appropriate
17 committee.

18 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
19 authorizing City Council's Committee on
20 Public Safety to hold a public hearing to
21 consider and evaluate the issues
22 surfacing around the Philadelphia Police
23 Department and the conduct of its
24 officers.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Miller.

3 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: I move

4 for the adoption of the resolution.

5 (Duly seconded.)

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Do I

7 hear a second?

8 (Duly seconded.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It

10 has been moved and properly seconded that

11 this resolution be adopted.

12 All in favor will say aye.

13 (Aye.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those

15 opposed?

16 (No response.)

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

18 ayes have it. The resolution is adopted

19 and will be referred to the appropriate

20 committee.

21 The Chair recognizes

22 Councilwoman Sanchez.

23 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Thank

24 you, Madam President. I have three

25 resolutions.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
3 you.

4 The Chief Clerk will please
5 read the title of the first resolution.

6 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
7 recognizing and honoring Asociacion
8 Puertorriquenos en Marcha on the occasion
9 of its 40th Anniversary.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Sanchez.

12 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Thank
13 you. I move for the adoption of the
14 resolution.

15 (Duly seconded.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
17 has been moved and properly seconded that
18 the resolution be adopted.

19 All in favor will say aye.

20 (Aye.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
22 opposed?

23 (No response.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 ayes have it and the resolution is

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 adopted.

3 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
4 naming North Lawrence Street between West
5 Westmoreland Street and West Ontario
6 Street in honor of Guillermo "Bill"
7 Salas, Jr.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:
9 Again, the Chair recognizes Councilwoman
10 Sanchez.

11 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: I
12 believe that has to be moved to
13 committee.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: I beg
15 your pardon?

16 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: I think
17 that has to go to committee, the naming.

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Would
19 you read that again, please.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Naming North
21 Lawrence Street -- a resolution naming
22 North Lawrence Street between West
23 Westmoreland Street and West Ontario
24 Street in honor of Guillermo "Bill"
25 Salas, Jr.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It's
3 a resolution.

4 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Okay. I
5 move for the adoption of the resolution.

6 (Duly seconded.)

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
8 has been moved and seconded that the
9 resolution be adopted.

10 All in favor will say aye.

11 (Aye.)

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: I
13 hear one person saying aye. Can we try
14 this again, please.

15 All in favor of the adoption of
16 the resolution will indicate by saying
17 aye.

18 (Aye.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
20 opposed?

21 (No response.)

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
23 you. That's much better.

24 Those opposed?

25 (No response.)

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 ayes have it and the resolution is
4 adopted.

5 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
6 authorizing the Council Committee on
7 Streets and Services to hold a hearing to
8 investigate traffic safety and the needs
9 for additional traffic controls on the
10 North 5th Street Corridor.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Sanchez.

13 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: I move
14 for the adoption of the resolution.

15 (Duly seconded.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
17 has been moved and properly seconded that
18 the resolution be adopted.

19 All in favor will say aye.

20 (Aye.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
22 opposed?

23 (No response.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 ayes have it, and the resolution will be

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 referred to the appropriate committee.

3 The Chair recognizes Councilman
4 Green.

5 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Thank you,
6 Madam President. I have no bills or
7 resolutions.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
9 Chair thanks the gentleman.

10 The Chair recognizes Councilman
11 Jones.

12 COUNCILMAN JONES: I have no
13 bills or resolutions today, Madam
14 President.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
16 you.

17 The Chair recognizes Councilman
18 Goode.

19 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Thank you,
20 Madam President. I offer no bills or
21 resolutions.

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
23 Chair thanks the Councilman.

24 The Chair recognizes
25 Councilwoman Brown.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Thank you,
3 Madam President. No bills or resolutions
4 today.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
6 you.

7 The Chair recognizes Councilman
8 DiCicco.

9 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Thank you,
10 Madam President. I have four bills and
11 one resolution.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
13 you.

14 The Chief Clerk will please
15 read the title of the first bill.

16 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
17 authorizing CM123 Limited Liability
18 Company, trading as The Wishing Well, to
19 construct, own and maintain an open-air
20 sidewalk cafe at 767 South Ninth Street.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
22 bill will be referred to the appropriate
23 committee.

24 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
25 authorizing Fabio Scarpelli, owner of La

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 Golosa, Inc., to construct, own and
3 maintain an open-air sidewalk cafe at 806
4 South Sixth Street.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
6 bill will be referred to the appropriate
7 committee.

8 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
9 authorizing Frank Borda, owner of
10 Francoluigi's Restaurant, to construct,
11 own and maintain an open-air sidewalk
12 cafe at 1549 South Thirteenth Street.

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
14 bill will be referred to the appropriate
15 committee.

16 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
17 amending Title 9 of The Philadelphia
18 Code, entitled "Regulation of Businesses,
19 Trades and Professions," and Title 14 of
20 The Philadelphia Code, entitled "Zoning
21 and Planning," by adding special
22 provisions regulating advertising signs
23 in designated Commercial Advertising
24 Districts.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 bill will be referred to the appropriate
3 committee.

4 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
5 also naming Broad Street from Spruce
6 Street to Pine Street as "Gamble and Huff
7 Walk."

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
9 Chair recognizes Councilman DiCicco.

10 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Thank you,
11 Madam President. I move for the adoption
12 of the resolution.

13 (Duly seconded.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
15 has been moved and properly seconded that
16 the resolution be adopted.

17 All in favor will say aye.

18 (Aye.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
20 opposed?

21 (No response.)

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
23 ayes have it and the resolution is
24 adopted.

25 The Chair recognizes Councilman

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 O'Neill.

3 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Madam

4 President, I offer one bill.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

6 you.

7 The Chief Clerk will please

8 read the title of the bill.

9 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

10 amending Title 14 of The Philadelphia

11 Code, entitled "Zoning and Planning," by

12 amending Chapter 14-1600, entitled

13 "Miscellaneous," by adding a new Section

14 establishing the Fox Chase Environmental

15 Control District.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

17 bill will be referred to the appropriate

18 committee.

19 The Chair recognizes Councilman

20 Clarke.

21 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Thank you,

22 Madam President. I have four bills.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

24 you.

25 The Chief Clerk will read the

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 title of the first bill, please.

3 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
4 approving the first amendment of the
5 redevelopment proposal for the Center
6 City Redevelopment Area, Franklin Town
7 Project, being the area beginning in the
8 vicinity of Spring Garden and
9 Twenty-First Streets.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 bill will be referred to the appropriate
12 committee.

13 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
14 amending Chapter 10-818 of The
15 Philadelphia Code to provide that no
16 person shall carry a firearm on public
17 streets or public property unless the
18 person is licensed to carry such firearm
19 by a political subdivision of the
20 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
22 bill will be referred to the appropriate
23 committee.

24 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
25 authorizing Rameshchandra Patel, owner

1 10/28/10 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 and operator of the newsstand located on
3 the northwest corner of Sixteenth Street
4 and Chestnut Street, to construct, use
5 and maintain conduits in, under and
6 across the northwest corner of Sixteenth
7 and Chestnut Street.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
9 bill will be referred to the appropriate
10 committee.

11 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
12 renaming and designating Franklinton
13 Park located between North 18th and North
14 19th Street and between Hamilton Street
15 and Shamokin Street as "Matthias Baldwin
16 Park."

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
18 bill will be referred to the appropriate
19 committee.

20 The Chair recognizes Councilman
21 Kelly.

22 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Madam
23 President, no bills or resolutions today.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
25 you.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 1ST READING

2 The Chair recognizes Councilman
3 Rizzo.

4 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Madam
5 President, I have nothing today.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
7 you.

8 I understand that there are no
9 reports from committees today.
10 Therefore, the next order of business is
11 the consideration of the Calendar.

12 The Chief Clerk will please
13 read the bills on the First Reading
14 Calendar.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Bill No. 100654,
16 entitled "An ordinance authorizing the
17 issuance of one or more series of general
18 obligation bonds to provide funds to
19 refund certain outstanding general
20 obligation bonds of the City of
21 Philadelphia."

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
23 Chair agrees.

24 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
25 100546, entitled "An ordinance repealing

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 Bill No. 090741, entitled 'An ordinance
3 authorizing the revision of lines and
4 grades on a portion of City Plan No. 296,
5 in the area laying northwest of Shawmont
6 Avenue and southwest of Eva Street, by
7 striking from the City Plan and
8 abandoning a portion of a right-of-way
9 for sewers.' "

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 Chair agrees.

12 The bills just read will be
13 placed on our Second Reading and Final
14 Passage Calendar for our next session of
15 Council.

16 The Chair now recognizes
17 Councilwoman Tasco for the purpose of
18 calling up the bills to be read on the
19 Second Reading and Final Passage Calendar
20 today.

21 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
22 Madam President. Bill Nos. 100541,
23 100498, 100538, 100554, 100548, 100549,
24 100612, 100545, 100551, 100636, 100652,
25 100653 and 100547 are being called up for

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Second Reading and Final Passage Calendar
3 today. All other bills are being held.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
5 you.

6 The Chief Clerk will please
7 read the title of Bill No. 100541.

8 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
9 authorizing transfers in appropriations
10 for Fiscal Year 2011 within the Grants
11 Revenue Fund from the Director of
12 Finance - Provision for Other Grants -
13 Federal Stimulus Funding to certain or
14 all City offices, departments, boards and
15 commissions.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
17 bill having been read on two different
18 days, the question now is shall the bill
19 pass finally.

20 The Chief Clerk will please
21 call the roll.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
23 Blackwell.

24 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Clarke.

3 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

5 DiCicco.

6 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

8 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

10 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

12 Greenlee.

13 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

15 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

17 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

19 Kenney.

20 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

22 Krajewski.

23 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

25 Miller.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

4 O'Neill.

5 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

7 Reynolds Brown.

8 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

10 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

12 Sanchez.

13 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

15 Tasco.

16 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

18 Verna.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

20 The ayes are 17; the nays are

21 zero. A majority of all members having

22 voted in the affirmative, the bill

23 passes.

24 We will now consider Bill No.

25 100498.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
3 amending Title 14 of The Philadelphia
4 Code, entitled "Zoning and Planning," by
5 amending Chapter 14-1600, entitled
6 "Miscellaneous," by adding a new Section
7 establishing the Roxborough Environmental
8 Control District.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
10 bill having been read on two different
11 days, the question now is shall the bill
12 pass finally.

13 The Chief Clerk will please
14 call the roll.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
16 Blackwell.

17 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 Clarke.

20 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 DiCicco.

23 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

25 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

3 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

5 Greenlee.

6 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

8 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

10 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

12 Kenney.

13 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

15 Krajewski.

16 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

18 Miller.

19 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

21 O'Neill.

22 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

24 Reynolds Brown.

25 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

3 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

5 Sanchez.

6 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

8 Tasco.

9 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

11 Verna.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

13 The ayes are 17; the nays are

14 zero. A majority of all members having

15 voted in the affirmative, the bill

16 passes.

17 (Applause.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

19 Chief Clerk will please read the title of

20 Bill No. 100538.

21 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

22 amending Section 9-605 of The

23 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Towing," by

24 providing that a vehicle may be relocated

25 from the premises of a hospital without

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 first being ticketed.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
4 bill having been read on two different
5 days, the question now is shall the bill
6 pass finally.

7 The Chief Clerk will please
8 call the roll.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
10 Blackwell.

11 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
13 Clarke.

14 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 DiCicco.

17 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

19 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

21 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
23 Greenlee.

24 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

4 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

6 Kenney.

7 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

9 Krajewski.

10 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

12 Miller.

13 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

15 O'Neill.

16 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

18 Reynolds Brown.

19 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

21 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

23 Sanchez.

24 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Tasco.

3 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

5 Verna.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

7 The ayes are 17; the nays are

8 zero. A majority of all members having

9 voted in the affirmative, the bill

10 passes.

11 We will now consider Bill No.

12 100554.

13 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance to

14 amend the Institutional Development

15 District Master Plan of the Aria Health

16 System-Torresdale Campus (formerly

17 Frankford Hospital), located at 10800

18 Knights Road.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This

20 bill having been read on two different

21 days, the question now is shall the bill

22 pass finally.

23 The Chief Clerk will please

24 call the roll.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Blackwell.

3 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

5 Clarke.

6 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

8 DiCicco.

9 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

11 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

13 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

15 Greenlee.

16 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

18 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

20 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

22 Kenney.

23 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

25 Krajewski.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

4 Miller.

5 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

7 O'Neill.

8 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

10 Reynolds Brown.

11 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

13 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

15 Sanchez.

16 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

18 Tasco.

19 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

21 Verna.

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

23 The ayes are 17; the nays are

24 zero. A majority of all members having

25 voted in the affirmative, the bill

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 passes.

3 The Chief Clerk will please
4 read the title of Bill No. 100548.

5 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
6 amending Chapter 19-200 of The
7 Philadelphia Code, entitled "City Funds -
8 Deposits, Investments, Disbursements," by
9 revising the list of City depositories
10 because of non-compliance with certain
11 provisions of that Chapter.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
13 bill having been read on two different
14 days, the question now is shall the bill
15 pass finally.

16 The Chief Clerk will please
17 call the roll.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
19 Blackwell.

20 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 Clarke.

23 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 DiCicco.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

4 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

6 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

8 Greenlee.

9 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

11 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

13 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

15 Kenney.

16 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

18 Krajewski.

19 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

21 Miller.

22 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

24 O'Neill.

25 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

3 Reynolds Brown.

4 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

6 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

8 Sanchez.

9 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

11 Tasco.

12 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

14 Verna.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

16 The ayes are 17; the nays are

17 zero. A majority of all members having

18 voted in the affirmative, the bill

19 passes.

20 We will now consider Bill No.

21 100549.

22 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

23 amending Section 19-201 of The

24 Philadelphia Code, entitled "City

25 Depositories," by amending the process

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 for the selection of City payroll

3 depositories.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This

5 bill having been read on two different

6 days, the question now is shall the bill

7 pass finally.

8 The Chief Clerk will please

9 call the roll.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

11 Blackwell.

12 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

14 Clarke.

15 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

17 DiCicco.

18 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

20 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

22 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

24 Greenlee.

25 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

3 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

5 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

7 Kenney.

8 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

10 Krajewski.

11 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

13 Miller.

14 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

16 O'Neill.

17 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

19 Reynolds Brown.

20 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

22 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

24 Sanchez.

25 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

3 Tasco.

4 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

6 Verna.

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

8 The ayes are 17; the nays are
9 zero. A majority of all members having
10 voted in the affirmative, the bill
11 passes.

12 The Chief Clerk will please
13 read the title of Bill No. 100612.

14 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
15 amending Chapter 19-200 of The
16 Philadelphia Code, entitled "City Funds -
17 Deposits, Investments, Disbursements," by
18 amending Section 19-201, entitled "City
19 Depositories," by authorizing the City
20 Treasurer to deposit funds in Wells Fargo
21 Bank, National Association.

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
23 bill having been read on two different
24 days, the question now is shall the bill
25 pass finally.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 The Chief Clerk will please
3 call the roll.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
5 Blackwell.

6 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 Clarke.

9 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
11 DiCicco.

12 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

14 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

16 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

18 Greenlee.

19 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

21 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

23 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

25 Kenney.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

4 Krajewski.

5 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

7 Miller.

8 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

10 O'Neill.

11 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

13 Reynolds Brown.

14 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

16 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

18 Sanchez.

19 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

21 Tasco.

22 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

24 Verna.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 The ayes are 17; the nays are
3 zero. A majority of all members having
4 voted in the affirmative, the bill
5 passes.

6 We will now consider Bill No.
7 100545.

8 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
9 authorizing Francisco Hernandez to
10 construct, own and maintain an enclosed
11 set of stairs attached to 657 East
12 Allegheny Avenue, Philadelphia,
13 Pennsylvania, that will encroach upon the
14 sidewalk of "F" Street.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
16 bill having been read on two different
17 days, the question now is shall the bill
18 pass finally.

19 The Chief Clerk will please
20 call the roll.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Blackwell.

23 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 Clarke.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

4 DiCicco.

5 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

7 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

9 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

11 Greenlee.

12 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

14 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

16 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

18 Kenney.

19 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

21 Krajewski.

22 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

24 Miller.

25 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

3 O'Neill.

4 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

6 Reynolds Brown.

7 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

9 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

11 Sanchez.

12 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

14 Tasco.

15 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

16 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

17 Verna.

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

19 The ayes are 17; the nays are

20 zero. A majority of all members having

21 voted in the affirmative, the bill

22 passes.

23 We will now consider Bill No.

24 100551.

25 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 authorizing the Veteran Boxers
3 Association to construct, own and
4 maintain a pedestal with a sculpture of
5 Joey Giardello on the traffic median
6 created by the intersection of Passyunk
7 Avenue, Mifflin Street and Thirteenth
8 Street.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
10 bill having been read on two different
11 days, the question now is shall the bill
12 pass finally.

13 The Chief Clerk will please
14 call the roll.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
16 Blackwell.

17 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 Clarke.

20 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 DiCicco.

23 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

25 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

3 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

5 Greenlee.

6 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

8 (No response.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

10 Councilman Jones, how are you voting on

11 this bill, sir?

12 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

14 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

16 Kenney.

17 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

19 Krajewski.

20 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

22 Miller.

23 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

25 O'Neill.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

4 Reynolds Brown.

5 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

7 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

9 Sanchez.

10 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

12 Tasco.

13 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

15 Verna.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

17 The ayes are 17; the nays are
18 zero. A majority of members having voted
19 in the affirmative, the bill passes.

20 The Chief Clerk will please
21 read the title of Bill No. 100636.

22 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
23 authorizing Thomas and Arlene Leschak,
24 owners of Epicure Cafe, to construct, own
25 and maintain an open-air sidewalk cafe at

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 3479 Bowman Street.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
4 bill having been read on two different
5 days, the question now is shall the bill
6 pass finally.

7 The Chief Clerk will please
8 call the roll.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
10 Blackwell.

11 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
13 Clarke.

14 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 DiCicco.

17 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

19 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

21 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
23 Greenlee.

24 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

4 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

6 Kenney.

7 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

9 Krajewski.

10 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

12 Miller.

13 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

15 O'Neill.

16 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

18 Reynolds Brown.

19 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

21 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

23 Sanchez.

24 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Tasco.

3 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

5 Verna.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

7 The ayes are 17; the nays are
8 zero. A majority of members having voted
9 in the affirmative, the bill passes.

10 The Chief Clerk will please
11 read the title of Bill No. 100652.

12 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
13 authorizing the Federal Reserve Bank of
14 Philadelphia, located at Ten Independence
15 Mall West, to construct, own and maintain
16 various encroachments in the right-of-way
17 adjacent to the Federal Reserve Bank
18 building on the 6th Street Entry.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
20 bill having been read on two different
21 days, the question now is shall the bill
22 pass finally.

23 The Chief Clerk will please
24 call the roll.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Blackwell.

3 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

5 Clarke.

6 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

8 DiCicco.

9 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

11 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

13 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

15 Greenlee.

16 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

18 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

20 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

22 Kenney.

23 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

25 Krajewski.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

4 Miller.

5 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

7 O'Neill.

8 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

10 Reynolds Brown.

11 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

13 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

15 Sanchez.

16 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

18 Tasco.

19 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

21 Verna.

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

23 The ayes are 17; the nays are

24 zero. A majority of all members having

25 voted in the affirmative, the bill

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 passes.

3 We will now consider Bill No.

4 100653.

5 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
6 authorizing Ashwin Patel, owner and
7 operator of the newsstand located on the
8 southwest corner of Chestnut Street and
9 Tenth Street, to construct, use and
10 maintain conduits in, under and across
11 the southwest corner of Chestnut Street
12 and Tenth Street.

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
14 bill having been read on two different
15 days, the question now is shall the bill
16 pass finally.

17 The Chief Clerk will please
18 call the roll.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
20 Blackwell.

21 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
23 Clarke.

24 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 DiCicco.

3 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

5 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

7 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

9 Greenlee.

10 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

12 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

14 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

16 Kenney.

17 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

19 Krajewski.

20 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

22 Miller.

23 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

25 O'Neill.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

4 Reynolds Brown.

5 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

7 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

9 Sanchez.

10 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

12 Tasco.

13 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

15 Verna.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

17 The ayes are 17; the nays are

18 zero. A majority of all members having

19 voted in the affirmative, the bill

20 passes.

21 We will now consider Bill No.

22 100547.

23 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

24 amending Section 19-2604 of The

25 Philadelphia Code, relating to tax rates

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 and credits for the business privilege
3 tax, by amending the provisions providing
4 a credit for contributions to community
5 development corporations to add certain
6 non-profit intermediaries as eligible
7 recipients of contributions.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
9 bill having been read on two different
10 days, the question now is shall the bill
11 pass finally.

12 The Chief Clerk will please
13 call the roll.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
15 Blackwell.

16 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
18 Clarke.

19 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 DiCicco.

22 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

24 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

4 Greenlee.

5 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

7 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

9 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

11 Kenney.

12 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

14 Krajewski.

15 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.

16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

17 Miller.

18 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

20 O'Neill.

21 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

23 Reynolds Brown.

24 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
4 Sanchez.

5 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
7 Tasco.

8 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
10 Verna.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

12 The ayes are 17; the nays are
13 zero. A majority of all members having
14 voted in the affirmative, the bill
15 passes.

16 This concludes our Calendar for
17 today.

18 Are there speeches on the part
19 of the minority?

20 (No response.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Are
22 there speeches on the part of the
23 majority?

24 The Chair recognizes
25 Councilwoman Tasco.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
3 Madam President.

4 Madam President and colleagues,
5 today I congratulate Superintendent
6 Arlene Ackerman, the 2010 winner of the
7 Richard R. Green Award, the nation's
8 highest individual award in urban
9 education. The Council of the Great City
10 Schools has awarded her that status, and
11 they did so at their annual conference in
12 Tampa, Florida last week.

13 In voting her the prize,
14 considered the top honor in the country
15 for urban education leadership, the
16 citation noted her reform blueprint,
17 Imagine 2014, her plan to increase
18 resources to the neediest schools through
19 weighted school funding, the renaissance
20 schools' turnaround initiative and the
21 creation of Parent University to increase
22 community engagement.

23 Nine superintendents of
24 big-city school systems competed for the
25 top award for an urban educator, which is

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 given in alternating years to an
3 outstanding school board member and
4 superintendent from 65 of the largest
5 urban school districts in the country.

6 Arlene Ackerman quoted -- this
7 is a quote from the award -- the people
8 who gave her the award, and I quote,
9 "Arlene Ackerman is one of the best
10 big-city school superintendents in the
11 country and is most worthy of the
12 nation's highest individual award in
13 urban education," says Council Executive
14 Director Michael Casserly. "She is
15 smart, dedicated, innovative, effective
16 and completely committed to our urban
17 school children," and they sincerely
18 congratulated her.

19 It is gratifying to know that
20 the rest of the country recognizes the
21 gem that we have here in Philadelphia.
22 Dr. Ackerman's blueprint for education
23 reform, Imagine 2014, is working. For
24 the first time since records have been
25 kept under the federal No Child Left

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 Behind law, half of Philadelphia students
3 met standards on state exams. I look
4 forward to more successful outcomes from
5 Dr. Ackerman and Philadelphia's children
6 under her leadership.

7 And I also want to state that I
8 appreciate the School District's quick
9 support and turnaround of retrofitting
10 the F.S. Edmonds school at Sedgwick and
11 Thouron Avenue last week after we had had
12 an incident of bullying on the school
13 grounds. Vernon Price from the DA's
14 Office and I and the staff, School
15 District staff, toured the school, kind
16 of evaluated what was needed, and in a
17 week's time, they had cut brush back,
18 enhanced the lighting, so it's now a safe
19 place for not only students who attend
20 that school, but residents at the
21 neighborhood who use the school's
22 playground for their children.

23 So I appreciate the work that
24 she has done. I congratulate her on this
25 award. We continue to support her, and

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 we thank the School District for their
3 very much cooperation with us.

4 Thank you.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
6 you.

7 The Chair recognizes Councilman
8 Goode.

9 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Thank you,
10 Madam President. I'm going to allow
11 Councilwoman Brown to go before me.

12 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Thank you,
13 Councilman Goode.

14 My topic is the same, Madam
15 President, in that Councilman Jim Kenney
16 often acknowledges how we do not
17 celebrate what is well in our city. Our
18 city is a city of firsts, and today, as
19 Councilwoman Tasco has indicated, another
20 first has happened. She's already stated
21 that, yes, Dr. Ackerman is smart,
22 innovative and I would add to that that
23 she has handled adversity with grace. We
24 are aware of 2014, the blueprint, and the
25 beauty of that strategy is that

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 Dr. Ackerman made it her goal to funnel
3 more resources to the more needier
4 schools, more resources to the more
5 needier schools, contrary to popular
6 opinion.

7 Another first for the District
8 under her leadership is that records --
9 since records have been kept, our young
10 people are doing better over the last
11 five years. We must acknowledge that
12 that upward climb started under the
13 leadership of Paul Vallas and Chair Lady
14 Sandra Dungee Glenn, who actually should
15 be credited for recruiting Dr. Ackerman.
16 Sandra Dungee Glenn refused to take no
17 from Dr. Ackerman and actually went to
18 San Francisco to have multiple sit-downs
19 with her.

20 Our own President, Barack
21 Obama, gave Dr. Ackerman a shout-out at
22 Masterman for what she has accomplished.

23 So I join Majority Leader Tasco
24 and others in saluting, congratulating
25 and lifting up Philadelphia school's

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 chief for being named the nation's top
3 urban school leader, another first for
4 Philadelphia.

5 Thank you, Madam President, and
6 thank you, Councilman Goode.

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

8 You're welcome.

9 Councilman Goode.

10 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Thank you,
11 Madam President.

12 I have sad news to report. I
13 regret to inform my colleagues and the
14 general public that the Committee of
15 Seventy doesn't care about the working
16 poor. In a city with a 25 percent
17 poverty rate, the issue of fighting
18 poverty is not one of the Committee of
19 Seventy's core objections. In fact, the
20 Committee of Seventy is supporting
21 poverty wages because of its big-business
22 board members.

23 Since 2005, the City has had a
24 local minimum wage standard. Since 2009,
25 this City has also had a minimum benefits

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 standard. The standard applies to the
3 City government, agencies, certain City
4 contractors and financial aid recipients.
5 This spring this Council decided to
6 codify that policymaking within the
7 Philadelphia Home Rule Charter. It is
8 Ballot Question No. 1 on Election Day,
9 but the Committee of Seventy opposes that
10 ballot question, which is co-sponsored by
11 Councilwoman Sanchez.

12 This proposed Charter change
13 would confirm City Council's power to
14 require certain companies to pay their
15 employees a certain minimum level of pay,
16 to provide their employees with a certain
17 minimum level of benefits. The Charter
18 change allows for the standard to be
19 applied to professional services
20 contracts as well. The new minimum wage
21 and benefits ordinance currently requires
22 certain City-supported employers to pay
23 at least 150 percent of the federal
24 minimum wage to its employees. It also
25 mandates that if the employer provides

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 healthcare benefits to any of its
3 employees, the employer shall provide
4 each full-time employee healthcare
5 benefits. There is an exemption for
6 small businesses with annual gross
7 receipts of less than \$1 million. A
8 company may also request a waiver, if
9 necessary.

10 The current standard is at
11 least \$10.88 per hour, which means that a
12 person who works 40 hours per week for
13 all 52 weeks of the year should make at
14 least \$22,600 for working full time year
15 round.

16 The purpose of this legislation
17 is to assure that as many employees as
18 possible within the City of Philadelphia
19 earn an hourly wage that enables them to
20 live with more dignity and increase
21 economic self-sufficiency. The standard
22 is based on existing local and state job
23 creation tax credit laws.

24 So what's up with the Committee
25 of Seventy? Once again, it didn't do its

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 homework. The Committee of Seventy says
3 it's concerned about the costs. Whose
4 costs? The Administration can offer a
5 waiver to social service agencies or
6 others that can't afford the standard.
7 And there is already, as I mentioned, an
8 exemption for small businesses. So whose
9 costs? The cost of Seventy's
10 big-business board members that make the
11 decision to oppose livable wages, an
12 unethical decision, because many could be
13 impacted by the Charter change and be
14 forced to pay more livable wages. It is
15 a conflict of interest for them to make
16 that decision.

17 But the same big-business board
18 pays Seventy's President and CEO a
19 quarter of a million dollars. Once
20 again, our standard is at least \$10.88
21 per hour, which means that a person who
22 works 40 hours per week for all 52 weeks
23 in a year should make at least \$22,600
24 working full time all year. But the
25 big-business board of the Committee of

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 Seventy pays its President and CEO more
3 than ten times that to ride his Jaguar
4 into Philadelphia from the suburbs to
5 protect their big-business greedy
6 interests.

7 As former editor of the Daily
8 News, he should know that his former
9 paper actually endorsed the standard, not
10 once but twice. The Philadelphia
11 Inquirer endorsed the standard today, to
12 their credit. The Committee of Seventy
13 calls their opposition to this ballot
14 question a non-partisan recommendation.

15 What do we already know about
16 the Committee of Seventy's board? We
17 know that it lacks diversity, thanks to
18 Councilwoman Reynolds Brown. It lacks
19 racial diversity. It lacks gender
20 diversity. It lacks diversity with
21 regard to economic class, and I'm willing
22 to bet it even lacks political diversity.

23 So I urge voters to vote yes on
24 Ballot Question No. 1, fight poverty and
25 tell the rich guys to drive their Jaguars

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 back to the suburbs and shut up when it
3 comes to our economic opportunity.

4 Thank you, Madam President.

5 (Applause.)

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
7 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Miller.

8 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Thank
9 you, Madam President. I just want to
10 remind folk about the diabetic screening
11 today and the diabetic education
12 awareness event immediately following --
13 well, it starts at 11:30 in the Caucus
14 Room, and anyone in City Hall is invited
15 to come over and get screened.

16 Thank you.

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
18 you.

19 The Chair recognizes
20 Councilwoman Blackwell.

21 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
22 you, Madam President.

23 I certainly agree with all the
24 comments made regarding Dr. Arlene
25 Ackerman, and we do commend her for her

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 leadership. We know we're going through
3 some issues these days with regard to
4 charter schools, but nonetheless, we are
5 proud of her leadership and of her
6 creative programs.

7 I would also like to note that
8 in addition to the screening that
9 Councilwoman Miller noted, that Abdul
10 Muhammad, father and son, have provided
11 some sandwiches and snacks in 476, if
12 anybody would like to partake in them.

13 Thank you.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
15 you.

16 The Chair recognizes
17 Councilwoman Sanchez.

18 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Thank
19 you, Madam President.

20 I wanted to add to my
21 colleague's, Wilson Goode's, comment and
22 just say that the most disappointing
23 issue related to this is the fact that
24 they did not meet with the bill sponsor.
25 And it's very important as we create

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 policy and for the independent groups who
3 want to help shape policy that part of it
4 is working together, and we've proven
5 with the Board of Ethics and others that
6 we can work in collaboration to the same
7 goal. So I just for the record wanted to
8 note the fact that they did not call us
9 and they did not meet with us, and we're
10 very disappointed with that.

11 I wanted to take a moment, we
12 distributed a copy of the Sunday article
13 written by Mark Zandi, the Chief
14 Economist of Moody's, regarding our
15 Philadelphia business tax reform and just
16 wanted to add and remind people that for
17 the last two years, we've been working
18 really hard and thanks to the leadership,
19 as I mentioned when I introduced this
20 bill, and the consultation of Econsult on
21 this piece of legislation. I think
22 Zandi's article is as self-explanatory as
23 it can be in terms of what our intentions
24 are, the benefits of this and whatever
25 foreseeable unintended consequences there

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 may be, which at this point appear to be
3 none.

4 We continue to work with the
5 Administration on this. We've met with
6 dozens of businesses, small businesses,
7 accountants representing thousands of
8 businesses. We've met with the editorial
9 boards of both the Philadelphia Daily
10 News and the Inquirer, which led the
11 Inquirer editorial board to ask Mr. Zandi
12 to review our proposal in an objective
13 manner and come up with his review of it,
14 and as you could see from his article, he
15 glowingly endorses our out-of-the-box
16 thinking.

17 So to ensure that folks are
18 aware of our work and give folks an
19 update before we go into the public
20 hearing sessions, which we intend to have
21 in November, next Thursday at 1 o'clock
22 we will do a briefing for Council and for
23 its staff after Council so that we can
24 give you the presentation we've given
25 others, the lessons that we've learned in

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 our conversations with our many
3 stakeholders.

4 We continue to meet with those
5 stakeholders who have questions, some
6 which have been answered, I believe so,
7 by Mr. Zandi's objective presentation,
8 but we will continue to meet with them,
9 with the chambers and others as we move
10 this forward, and I want to thank all my
11 colleagues for their help, their support.
12 And we, from the beginning, are willing
13 to meet with anybody else who is
14 concerned about this or has any questions
15 as we try to move forth what we believe
16 to be the best small business and
17 business reform initiative this city has
18 seen in the last few decades.

19 So thank you very much.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

21 You're welcome.

22 The Chair recognizes Councilman
23 Jones.

24 COUNCILMAN JONES: Thank you,
25 Madam President.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 Councilman Kenney was right to
3 acknowledge things we do right and also
4 things we need to do better, and I want
5 to stand today to thank my colleague
6 Donna Reed Miller for introducing the
7 resolution to look into allegations of
8 police abuse, misconduct and
9 confrontations with the public. It is a
10 courageous stance. It is a difficult --

11 (Applause.)

12 COUNCILMAN JONES: It is a
13 difficult task to balance the right of
14 police officers, their right to go home
15 to their families in the evening, and the
16 right for every citizen to believe that
17 they should be treated with dignity and
18 respect. And this process that she is
19 undertaking, and I will join in with her,
20 is a delicate effort to assure citizens
21 that the rules for me and you are the
22 same for those who happen to wear blue,
23 and it's an important concept that this
24 body needs to make sure that the public
25 knows exists.

1 10/28/10 - STATED - SPEECHES

2 Thank you, Madam President.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

4 You're welcome.

5 The Chair recognizes

6 Councilwoman Tasco.

7 (Applause.)

8 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,

9 Madam President.

10 I'd just like to remind
11 everyone that Tuesday, November the 2nd
12 is Election Day. It is a very important
13 day, and I remind people if they don't
14 vote, they don't count. It's a very
15 important election. We can't tell you
16 how to vote, but we ask them to peruse
17 the candidates who are running, vote for
18 their candidate of their choice, but the
19 important thing is that they vote. The
20 polls are open from 7:00 a.m. until 8:00
21 p.m.

22 Thank you very much.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

24 you.

25 Councilman Jones, your light is

1 10/28/10 - STATED - ADJOURNMENT

2 on. Did you want to be recognized?

3 COUNCILMAN JONES: Not at all.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
5 you.

6 Are there any other speeches on
7 the part of the majority?

8 (No response.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

10 Seeing none, the Chair recognizes
11 Councilman Clarke for a motion to
12 adjourn.

13 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Thank you,
14 Madam President. I move that Council
15 stand adjourned until Thursday, November
16 the 4th, 2010, 10:00 a.m.

17 (Duly seconded.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
19 has been moved and properly seconded that
20 Council stand adjourned until Thursday,
21 November 4th.

22 All in favor will say aye.

23 (Aye.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
25 opposed?

1 10/28/10 - STATED - ADJOURNMENT

2 (No response.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
4 ayes have it, and Council will be
5 adjourned until Thursday, November 4th.

6 Thank you.

7 (Stated Meeting adjourned at
8 11:20 a.m.)

9 - - -

10

11

12

13

14

15

16

17

18

19

20

21

22

23

24

25

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25

CERTIFICATE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the proceedings, evidence and objections are contained fully and accurately in the stenographic notes taken by me upon the foregoing matter on October 28, 2010, and that this is a true and correct transcript of same.

MICHELE L. MURPHY
RPR-Notary Public

(The foregoing certification of this transcript does not apply to any reproduction of the same by any means, unless under the direct control and/or supervision of the certifying reporter.)