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SUSPENSION
ACCEPTED AND FILED

Chelsea, Massachusetts, December 14, 2015

A Regular meeting of the Chelsea City Council was held. The meeting was held at the Chelsea City Hall located at 500 Broadway Chelsea Massachusetts. The following Councilors were present: Councilors Robinson, Hatleberg, Murphy, Cataldo, Cunningham, Brown, Frank, Barton, and Cortell. Councilors Perlatonda and Recupero were absent. Council President Robinson presided over the meeting. The meeting opened at 7:00 P.M.

Memoriums and celebratory resolutions.

The following resolution was introduced by Councillor Murphy and all members of the Chelsea City Council. A motion from Councillor Murphy to adopt under suspension was adopted.

RESOLUTION

Whereas, In the performance of their duties, firefighters not only face the dangers that face them every time the bell sounds, but also the unforeseen circumstances that may occur, and;

Whereas, These unforeseen circumstances that may occur, such as, rescuing jumpers from the Tobin Bridge, saving the life of a fellow firefighter from falling off a roof while fighting a fire, rescuing people trapped in a burning building, now therefore be it,

Resolved, That, we the members of the Chelsea City Council, on behalf of the Citizens of Chelsea wish to go on record as to recognizing those that have been actually confronted with the above mentioned: Brian Bermudez, David Bishop, Janine Romano, Angel Arrieta, and Miguel Acosta whom all went above and beyond the call of duty in the performance of their duties. "Congratulations and Thank You."

Public Speaking.

The public speaking opened at 7:20 p.m. The following came forward to speak.

Robert Perera, informed the Council that on January 16, 2016 the Dodge Ball event will be held.

Damali Vidot, spoke about looking forward to working with the City Council.

Richard Maronski, thanked the outgoing City Councilors for their services.

The public speaking portion closed at 7:25 p.m.

The minutes of the City Council meeting dated November 23, 2015 were approved at the request of Councillor Barton under suspension.

Communications and petitions:

A copy of a communication was received from the Addison Orange Neighborhood Group. A motion from Councillor Hatleberg to accept and file was adopted under suspension.

A copy of a communication was received from Deborah A. Clayman, City Clerk/Parking Clerk regarding the following actions that were approved at the December 8, 2015 Traffic and Parking Commission Meeting. A motion from Councillor Cortell to accept and file was adopted under suspension.

Second Readings:

The following order was introduced by Councillor Robinson and read for the second time. A motion from Councillor Cortell to adopt by roll call passed 9-0-2-0. Voting yes were Councilors Robinson, Hatleberg, Murphy, Cataldo, Cunningham, Brown, Frank, Barton, and Cortell. Councilors Perlatonda and Recupero were absent.

ORDERED, that the Chelsea City Council adopt the recommendation of the Chelsea Retirement System to increase the benefits of widows receiving Chapter 32, Section 101 benefits from the current \$6000 allowance to \$12,000 annually.

The following order was introduced by Councillor Robinson and read for the second time. A motion from Councillor Hatleberg adopted the order as amended 9-0-2-0. The amendment includes the Office Staff in the City Council office. Voting yes were Councilors Robinson, Hatleberg, Murphy, Cataldo, Cunningham, Brown, Frank, Barton, and Cortell. Councilors Perlatonda and Recupero were absent. ORDERED, that the Chelsea City Council authorize the transfer of \$38,912.31 from the Salary Reserve #0199959-598000 to the FY 2016 Salaries Account 510200 to fund the FY2016 Exempt Employee Cost of Living Adjustment, such payments to be allocated by Department in the following manner
Department: 123 \$4,991.25 135 \$2,791.70, 145 \$2,727.40, 151 \$8,579.42, 152 \$6,024.91, 155 \$2,804.98, 175 \$2,658.32, 230 \$2,543.80, 240 \$2,530.23, 421 \$3,260.31.

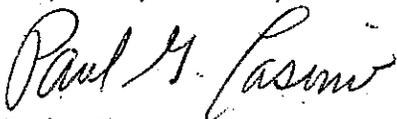
New Business

The following order was introduced by Councillor Cunningham. A motion from Councillor Cunningham adopted the order under suspension.

ORDERED, that the City Manager instruct the Police Department, Department of Inspectional Services, and other relevant municipal agencies to use all resources available to compel the property owners of 40 Orange Street to resolve outstanding issues with his tenants that are impacting the quality of life in the neighborhood.

The meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,



Paul G. Casino,
Clerk of the Chelsea City Council