

**ROCHESTER CITY COUNCIL**

**REGULAR MEETING**

**February 20, 2024**

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- MEETING WILL COME TO ORDER AND THE CLERK WILL CALL THE ROLL.**

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- REQUEST COUNCIL TO PAUSE FOR A MOMENT OF SILENCE.**

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG.**  
Councilmember Lightfoot

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- RECOGNITION CEREMONIES.**

**Special Recognitions:**

- Edgerton Model Railroad Club:  
Philip Cozzo  
Bill Lowe  
Rich Mohrmann  
Michael Nolan  
Lee Wood
- The Northeast Bulldogs Pop Warner Football Team

**Retirement:**

**DES:**

John Monds  
Steven Pilotte

**Finance:**

Virginia Fox  
Morticia Gunn-Graham

**APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

By Vice President Harris

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Regular Meeting on January 23, 2024 be approved as published in the official sheets of the Proceedings.

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

**THE CITY CLERK---THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE HEREBY DIRECTED TO BE RECEIVED AND FILED:**

The Council submits Disclosure of Interest Forms from **Councilmemer Gruber** on Int. Nos. 41 & 58; and **Vice President Harris** on Int. No. 49.

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- PRESENTATION AND REFERENCE OF PETITIONS AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS**

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND ACTION THEREON**

**By Councilmember Patterson**

**Neighborhoods, Jobs & Housing Committee Report**

Authorizing the sale of real estate      Int. No. 37  
**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing the sale of real estate, grant agreement and appropriation for the third phase of the Beechwood infill project  
Int. No. 38  
**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing a lead agency agreement between the City Council and the Mayor regarding Environmental Review      Int. No. 39  
**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Amending Ordinance No. 2023-363 relating to funding for the 2024 NY Statewide Preservation Conference      Int. No. 40  
**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Amending the 2023-24 Budget and authorizing agreements for the Healthy Food Accessibility Program      Int. No. 58  
**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- RECEIVED, FILED AND PUBLISHED**

**By Vice President Harris**

**People, Parks & Public Works Committee Report**

Bond Ordinance of the City of Rochester, New York authorizing the issuance of \$224,000 Bonds of said City to finance the Bausch and Lomb Library Roof Replacement Int. No. 41

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- ROLL CALL**

Bond Ordinance of the City of Rochester, New York authorizing the issuance of \$288,000 Bonds of said City to finance the Lake Riley Lodge Structural Remediation Int. No. 42

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- ROLL CALL**

Authorizing the alteration of pavement widths for the 2024 Milling & Resurfacing Project Int. No. 43

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Appropriating funds for the 2024 Preventive Maintenance Project Int. No. 44

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Bond Ordinance of the City of Rochester, New York authorizing the issuance of \$982,000 Bonds of said City to finance the 2024 Preventive Maintenance Project for State Street (Inner Loop to Lyell Avenue), Exchange Boulevard (Ford Street to Basin Street), and Ford Street (South Plymouth Avenue to Ford Street Bridge) Int. No. 45

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- ROLL CALL**

Authorizing an agreement for the 2024 Preventive Maintenance  
Project Int. No. 46

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Resolution authorizing the implementation, and funding in the first  
instance 100% of the federal-aid and State "Marchiselli" Program-  
aid eligible costs, of the State/Exchange/Ford Preventive  
Maintenance transportation federal-aid project, and appropriating  
funds therefor Int. No. 47

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing receipt and use of reimbursement funds from the  
Rochester Pure Waters District for street improvement projects  
Int. No. 48

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing funding and agreements for the Home Electrification  
and Revitalization Opportunity Program Int. No. 49

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing an agreement for dredging services in the Genesee River  
Int. No. 50

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing an agreement relating to the 2024 Highland Reservoir  
LT2 Compliance Project Int. No. 51

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Resolution granting the State of New York authority to perform the adjustment for the Owner and agreeing to maintain facilities adjusted via State-let contract for the Route 15A (NYS Thruway to I-390) project Int. No. 52

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing an agreement for a tour of Historically Black Colleges and Universities for City youth Int. No. 53

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- RECEIVED, FILED AND PUBLISHED**

**By Councilmember Gruber**

**Budget, Finance, & Governance Committee Report**

Authorizing a professional services agreement for the Employee Assistance Program Int. No. 54

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Resolution approving appointment to the Rochester Civil Service Commission Int. No. 55

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Appropriating Firefighters' Insurance Funds Int. No. 56

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing an agreement for the Child Savings Account program  
Int. No. 57

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Authorizing agreements for Neighborhood Ambassador Programs  
Int. No. 60

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

Resolution relating to appointments to the Board of Assessment  
Review Int. No. 62

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- RECEIVED, FILED AND PUBLISHED**

**By Councilmember Lightfoot**

**Public Safety Committee Report**

Resolution reappointing members of the Police Accountability Board  
Int. No. 61

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- AYES OR NAYS**

**THE COUNCIL PRESIDENT --- RECEIVED, FILED AND PUBLISHED**

**Adjourned**

**ROCHESTER URBAN RENEWAL AGENCY**

**February 20, 2024**

**THE CHAIRPERSON --- MEETING WILL COME TO ORDER AND THE CLERK WILL CALL THE ROLL.**

**THE CHAIRPERSON --- REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES AND ACTION THEREON.**

**By Agent Patterson**

**The Rochester Urban Renewal Agency**

**Neighborhoods, Jobs & Housing Committee Report**

Rochester Urban Renewal Agency Resolution approving the 2022-23  
Rochester Urban Renewal Agency Annual Report Int. No. URA-1

**THE CHAIRPERSON --- AYES OR NAYS**

**THE CHAIRPERSON --- RECEIVED, FILED AND PUBLISHED.**

**THE CHAIRPERSON --- MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.**

**Adjourned**

**ITEMS HELD IN COMMITTEE**

Int. No. 59      Authorizing an amendatory agreement for labor and employment  
law services      BFG (02/20/2024)