

NEW PHILADELPHIA CITY COUNCIL MET IN SPECIAL SESSION IN COUNCIL CHAMBERS ON DECEMBER 18, 2023 WITH PRESIDENT KEMP PRESIDING. PRESIDENT KEMP OFFERED A PRAYER, AND ALL IN ATTENDANCE RECITED THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.

COUNCIL MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE

MR. DEAN HOLLAND
MR. DAN LANZER
MRS. AIMEE MAY
MR. MITCH PACE
MR. STEVE RIPPETH

EXCUSED ABSENSES:

MRS. CHERYL RAMOS
MR. KELLY RICKLIC

- MR. RIPPETH MOTIONED TO BYPASS ALL SECTIONS ON TONIGHT'S MEETING AGENDA UP TO THE LEGISLATIVE AGENDA
MRS. MAY SECONDED THE MOTION
5 YEAS
ALL SECTIONS OF TONIGHT'S MEETING PROCEEDING THE LEGISLATIVE AGENDA WILL BE BYPASSED

READING OF ORDINANCES AND RESOLUTIONS

ORDINANCES:

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| 9-2023 | AN ORDINANCE BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO, TO ENACT CODIFIED ORDINANCE 1343 VACANT PROPERTY REGISTRATION, WITH REGARDS TO THE REGISTRATION AND MAINTENANCE OF VACANT RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL, AND INDUSTRIAL PROPERTIES.
2 nd Reading |
| 29-2023 | AN ORDINANCE BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO, AMENDING AND ADJUSTING THE PERMANENT APPROPRIATIONS ORDINANCE FOR THE YEAR 2023.
2 nd Reading |
| 30-2023 | AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 197 OF THE CODIFIED ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO REGARDING MUNICIPAL INCOME TAX FOR THE TAX YEARS AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2023 AND AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2022 OR AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN HOUSE BILL 33.
2 nd Reading |

RESOLUTIONS:

- 21-2023 A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO, TO COMMEND KELLY RICKLIC FOR HIS THIRTY-THREE (33) YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE CITIZENS OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, SERVING EIGHT (8) AS THE CITY'S AT LARGE COUNCIL MEMBER, AND 25 YEARS SERVING IN THE NEW PHILADELPHIA WATER DEPARTMENT.
3rd Reading
- 22-2023 A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO, TO COMMEND DEAN HOLLAND FOR HIS EIGHT (8) YEARS OF SERVICE AND DEDICATION TO THE CITIZENS OF NEW PHILADELPHIA AS THE CITY'S AT LARGE COUNCIL MEMBER.
3rd Reading
- 23-2023 A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO, TO COMMEND AIMEE MAY FOR HER EIGHT (8) YEARS OF SERVICE AND DEDICATION TO THE CITIZENS OF NEW PHILADELPHIA AS THE CITY'S AT LARGE COUNCIL MEMBER.
3rd Reading
- 24-2023 A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO, TO AUTHORIZE A RATE INCREASE FOR AMBULANCE SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE NEW PHILADELPHIA FIRE DEPARTMENT FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR 2024.
2nd Reading
- 25-2023 A RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NEW PHILADELPHIA TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR OF THE CITY TO ENTER INTO A USE AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE NEW PHILADELPHIA CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR USE OF THE TENNIS COURTS LOCATED AT TUSCORA PARK LOCATED AT 161 TUSCORA AVE. NW IN NEW PHILADELPHIA, OHIO FOR USE BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S TENNIS TEAMS DURING THEIR ATHLETIC COMPETITIONS AND PRACTICES.
2nd Reading

UNFINISHED OR OLD BUSINESS: NONE

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. Holland had the following comment:

I've really had a wonderful time serving as a member of this body. I have learned so very much from my colleagues beginning day one. I thought that I had a great deal of knowledge and experience in Muncipal Government, but this has given me an entirely different perspective. I used to think when I was a department head "how could a Council make those decisions?" It made me wonder from time to time what they were using for their information, but getting a different perspective I'm very thankful. I'm thankful for this opportunity. I'm thankful to be here tonight. What a wonderful, wonderful blessing.

With no other business to discuss Mr. Holland motioned to adjourn at 6:37 PM.

CLERK OF COUNCIL _____
Julie Courtright

APPROVED _____

PRESIDENT OF COUNCIL _____
Don Kemp