



CITY OF HARTFORD

OFFICE OF THE TOWN AND CITY CLERK

550 MAIN STREET

HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT 06103

JOHN V. BAZZANO
TOWN & CITY CLERK
REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS

April 14, 2015

Honorable Pedro E. Segarra, Mayor

Dear Mayor Segarra:

Please find attached the following resolutions that were passed at a regular meeting of the Court of Common Council on April 13, 2015. I have duly certified these documents and respectfully send it to you for your review.

John V. Bazzano, City Clerk

RESOLUTIONS

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Veto	
Date	4/15/2015

Pedro E. Segarra, Mayor

ORDINANCES

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, April 13, 2015 the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, Since 2006, the City of Hartford, through the Town Clerk's Office, has been implementing the City Archives Project, through which historic documents and records, dating back to 1640, are being preserved, sorted, and inventoried and made available to the public; and

WHEREAS, Grant funds to support this work are available from the Connecticut State Library through its Historic Documents Preservation Program for Connecticut Municipalities; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the City is hereby authorized to apply for and accept a grant of \$6,500 for the fiscal year 2015-16 through the above program; and be it further

RESOLVED, That Pedro E. Segarra, Mayor of the City of Hartford, is empowered to execute and deliver, in the name of and on behalf of the municipality, a contract with the CT State Library for a Historic Documents Preservation Program grant; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is authorized to accept such further sums as may be additionally awarded by the grantor under the same program, for the same authorized contract period, and for the same purposes; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to receive, contract and expend the above referenced grant funds; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned agreement or other documents, or to take any of the aforesaid actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the parties executing such documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

Attest:

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, April 13, 2015 the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Connecticut Department of Economic and Community Development (DECD) offered a \$750,000 grant to the City of Hartford for construction of streetscape improvements on Wethersfield Avenue between Eaton Street and Victoria Road; and

WHEREAS, The City bid out the Wethersfield Avenue Streetscape Improvement Project (Project) in the fall of 2013 and entered into a construction contract for a total cost of \$2,416,262.50; and

WHEREAS, The Project was funded entirely through Municipal Bonds and was completed in the fall of 2014; and

WHEREAS, Due to coordination issues between the City and the Metropolitan District Commission, the grant agreement was not executed prior to construction, but DECD will permit the City to execute the grant agreement and receive reimbursement for the previously completed work; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Hartford Court of Common Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to apply for and accept a grant of \$750,000 from the Connecticut Department of Economic and Community Development, and to enter into a contract with DECD to accept \$750,000 for the purpose of constructing Wethersfield Avenue streetscape improvements between Eaton Street and Victoria Road; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is authorized to accept any further sums as may be additionally awarded by the grantor under the same program, for the same authorized contract period, and for the same purposes; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute any and all manner of documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem

appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to receive, contract and expend the DECD funds; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned agreements or other documents, or to take any of the aforementioned actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the Mayor executing such agreements and documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, April 13, 2015 the following RESOLUTION was passed AS AMENDED.

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford maintains more than fifty athletic fields at City parks for the use and enjoyment of children, adults and families; and

WHEREAS, The City intends to make its athletic fields accessible for use by its residents, their guests, and others in an equitable manner; and

WHEREAS, The City has established rules and regulations for the proper use and upkeep of its athletic fields and park amenities, including the charging of fees for use of its athletic fields; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the following categories of users shall be incorporated into the fee schedule for athletic fees,

First Priority Users: Hartford-based youth athletic leagues, Department of Families, Children, Youth, and Recreation, and Hartford public and charter schools.

Second Priority Users: Hartford-based adult athletic leagues, locally-organized non-profit groups whose membership is composed entirely of Hartford residents, Hartford-based businesses, and other non-profit organizations and individuals that have been approved by the Parks Superintendent or his/her designee. (All adult and youth league team rosters must have at least 80% Hartford residents.)

Third Priority Users: For-profit clubs, groups, businesses and associations, non-residents, and others; and be it further

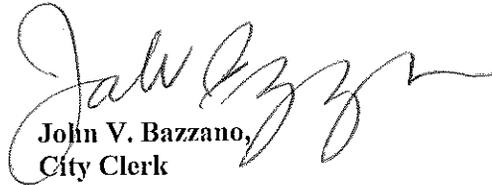
RESOLVED, That, in accordance with Section 26-7.2 of the Municipal Code, the Court of Common Council hereby adopts the following fee schedule for the use of City-owned athletic fields:

First Priority Users: No fees required

Second Priority Users: For grass fields: \$25 for 4 hours plus \$25 for each additional hour. For artificial turf fields: \$50 for 4 hours plus \$25 for each additional hour. For electronic scoreboards: \$25 per hour plus \$25 for each additional hour plus \$100 deposit

Third Priority Users: For grass fields: \$300 for 4 hours plus \$100 for each additional hour. For artificial turf fields: \$500 for 4 hours plus \$200 for each additional hour. For electronic scoreboards: \$25 per hour plus \$25 for each additional hour plus \$100 deposit

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, April 13, 2015 the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford has been notified by the United Way of Central and Northeastern Connecticut of the availability of approximately \$28,804 in Phase 32 Emergency Food and Shelter Program (EFSP) grant funds provided by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA); and

WHEREAS, The City proposes to use these grant funds to pay for utilities and other costs of the operation of the City-owned Stewart B. McKinney Shelter which serves homeless men by providing beds, dinner, breakfast, and showers; and

WHEREAS, The EFSP funds are to be used for expenses between October 1, 2014 and October 31, 2015; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is hereby authorized to apply for and accept the Phase 32 EFSP grant funds of approximately \$28,804, through the United Way of Central and Northeastern Connecticut, such funds to be used to pay for utilities and other costs of operation of the McKinney Shelter; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is authorized to accept such further sums as may be additionally awarded by the grantor under the same program, for the same authorized contract period, and for the same purposes; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to receive, contract and expend the above referenced grant funds; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned agreement or other documents, or to take any of the aforesaid actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the parties executing such documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

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**John V. Bazzano,
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WHEREAS, The City of Hartford has one of the highest infant mortality rates and the highest rate of teenage pregnancy in the State of CT and there is a clear connection between health disparities among children and family income, including an infant's ability to thrive; and

WHEREAS, The Hartford Department of Health and Human Services has successfully addressed these disparities within Hartford and the region through a partnership with the Hispanic Health Council through the Healthy Start Program and has been asked by the Connecticut Department of Public Health to partner with the Bristol Community Organization for a similar program; and

WHEREAS, DPH has notified the City that a grant in the amount of \$285,855 is available for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016 to continue to provide Healthy Start Services; and

WHEREAS, The City will execute a contract with the Hispanic Health Council for \$235,713 and with the Bristol Community Organization for \$47,442 and will utilize \$2,700 for program materials, curriculum, and supplies; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, The Hartford Court of Common Council hereby authorizes the Mayor to accept a grant of \$285,855 from the Connecticut Department of Public Health for the period of July 1, 2014 through June 30, 2015; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is authorized to contract with the Hispanic Health Council in the amount of \$235,713 and the Bristol Community Organization in the amount of \$47,442 to provide services through the Healthy Start Program for the period July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is authorized to accept such further sums as may be additionally awarded by the grantor under the same program, for the same authorized contract period, and for the same purposes; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to receive, contract and expend the above referenced grant funds; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned agreement or other documents, or to take any of the aforesaid actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the parties executing such documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel; and be it further

RESOLVED, That City of Hartford hereby affirms as its policy to support the Non-Discrimination Agreements and Warranties required under Connecticut General Statute § 4a-60(a)(1) and § 4a-60a(a)(1), as amended in State of Connecticut Public Act 07-245 and Sections 9(a)(1) and 10(a)(1) of Public Act 07-142, as those statutes may be amended from time to time.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, April 13, 2015 the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Hartford Planning and Zoning Commission is responsible for adopting the City's Plan of Conservation and Development, preparing the Capital Improvement Program, and making decisions on planning and zoning within the city; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Pedro E. Segarra has reappointed Sandra B. Bobowski as a member of the Planning & Zoning Commission; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council hereby confirms the appointment of the following individual to the Planning & Zoning Commission as follows:

Sandra B. Bobowski (R) 45 Terry Road, 06105
Reappointed to a term expiring on the first Monday in February 2019.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, April 13, 2015 the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Connecticut State Statutes provide that the Housing Authority of the City of Hartford (HACH) shall be governed by five Commissioners who serve five-year staggered terms, one of whom represents the tenants of HACH; and

WHEREAS, Erica Diaz Rodriguez has been elected by HACH tenants to serve as a member of the Board of Commissioners and has been appointed by Mayor Pedro Segarra; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council hereby confirms the following individual as a Commissioner of the Hartford Housing Authority:

Erica Diaz Rodriguez (D) 30 Fenwick Street, 2nd Floor, Hartford 06114
Appointed to a term to expire on May 31, 2020.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, April 13, 2015 the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, By resolution adopted August 11, 2014, the Council created the Hartford Hires Task Force and charged it to determine whether or not the city is in compliance with existing ordinances and/or contract objectives to hire Hartford residents; and

WHEREAS, The Task Force has made substantive and much-appreciated recommendations as to improving the City's performance in assuring the hiring of Hartford residents, which have been adopted in connection with recent major development projects; and

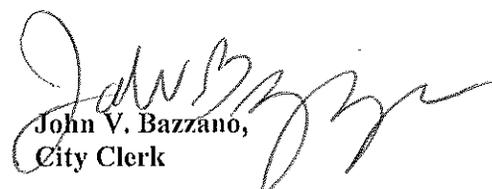
WHEREAS, Task forces are intended to be temporary bodies called together for specific tasks; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Hartford Hires Task Force shall submit a Final Report to be placed on the Council agenda for May 11, 2015, which report shall include any recommendations for future steps by the City and shall specifically identify any recommended implementation actions the Task Force recommends to the Council for consideration in connection with the FY 2016 budget; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Council expresses its great appreciation to the members of the Task Force for their efforts and their thoughtfulness; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Task Force's work will be complete upon submission of its Final Report and the Task Force's final meeting will be the meeting at which it adopts and forwards its Final Report to the Council.

Attest:


John V. Bazzano,
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