

# Court of Common Council



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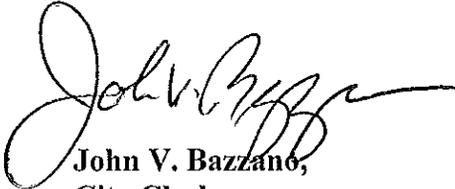
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APONTE - 1

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Resolved,** That the Mayor request the Town and City Clerk to explore the possibility of making the land records available on line to the public at a reasonable fee.

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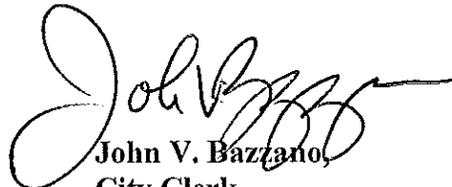
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**BOUCHER - 1**

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Resolved,** That within the next 90 days that there be a city plan and outreach made through the Mayor and Court of Common Council to the top tax-exempt property owners, with market value over \$50-million, to provide a voluntary PILOT payment to the City of Hartford modeled after similar programs in such municipalities as Boston, New York and a number of other cities. Special consideration should be given to establishing a 'development trust fund' from these voluntary contributions to further grow the City's grand list.

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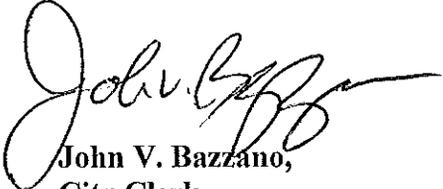
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**BOUCHER - 2**

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Resolved,** That a plan be developed by December 2011 for cost sharing (and sharing of services) between the Board of Education and City of Hartford most notably regarding buildings and ground, recreation and security. Special consideration should be given to a task force between the Mayor, Hartford Board of Education and City Council, with the Council Education Committee providing some level of convening and authorization to support this effort.

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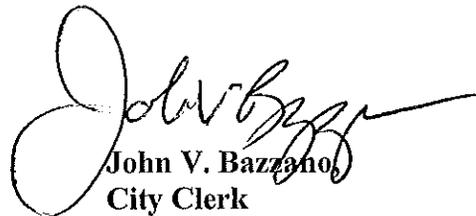
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BRINSON - 1

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Resolved,** That the Court of Common Council create a Young Professional Task Force with the mission to attract and retain young professionals in the City of Hartford, the Task Force should be comprised of representatives from the Office of the Mayor, Human Resources, the Business Community, and Educational Institutions. This Task Force should create a report on innovative ways the City of Hartford can attract and retain young professionals.

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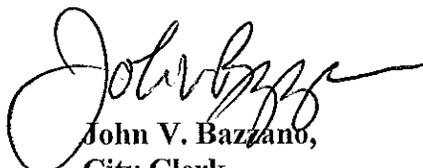
**KENNEDY - 1**

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Whereas,** The City Council would like to increase City revenues and specifically believes the City can increase revenue through its recycling program; therefore be it

**Resolved,** That City reviews its contractual obligations and determine when recycling services can go out to a competitive bid/request for proposal. Said study is to be completed by October 1, 2011

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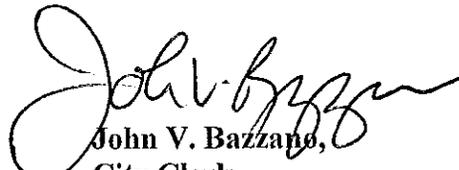
**KENNEDY - 2**

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Whereas,** The City Council would like to provide more recreational services to its residents, particularly its youth; therefore be it

**Resolved,** That City conduct a study on the cost of building an indoor recreational multi purpose field / facility in Colt Park and behind Weaver High School. Said study is to be completed by December 1, 2011.

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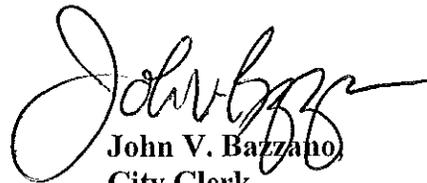
**KENNEDY - 3**

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Whereas,** The City Council would like to provide more recreational services to its residents, particularly its youth; therefore be it

**Resolved,** That City conduct a study on the cost of building an indoor recreational multi purpose field in the rear of Simpson Waverly Park behind the baseball field. Said study is to be completed by December 1, 2011.

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**KENNEDY - 4**

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Whereas,** Dillion Stadium is in need of general maintenance repairs; and

**Whereas,** The locker rooms and bathroom facilities need repairs at Dillion Stadium to be functional; and

**Whereas,** The request for use of Dillon Stadium puts a heavy burden on its natural surface resulting in some form of damage by mid summer; therefore be it

**Resolved,** That City develop a plan and determine the cost to renovate Dillion Stadium including repair / replacement of its locker rooms, bathrooms, and general structure. Additionally, the plan should determine the cost of replacing the natural surface with a multi purpose artificial turf field and a rubberized track around the field. Said study is to be completed by November 1, 2011.

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**WINCH - 1**

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

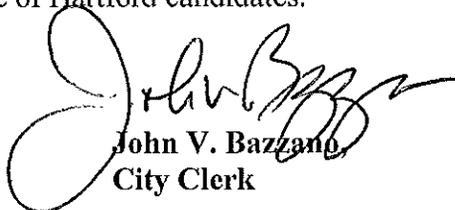
**Whereas,** The City of Hartford routinely announces city vacancies simultaneously to internal and external candidates, and

**Whereas,** It is the belief of the maker of this resolution that the more Hartford residents hired the better rate of tax collection, and

**Whereas,** Opportunities equate to happier residents, economic development and more home ownership; therefore be it

**Resolved,** That the climate of the Human Resources Department of the City of Hartford and other hiring authorities of the City of Hartford's municipality commit to making a conscious decision to promote current employees as a way of upward mobility prior to offering employment opportunities to outside of Hartford candidates.

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WINCH - 2

## NON-FINANCIAL RESOLUTION

**Whereas,** The Hartford Schools, Board of Education Budget reflects an alarming cost of over \$260,000,000 which includes salaries of their reported 95% teaching staff who are non-residents of the City of Hartford, and

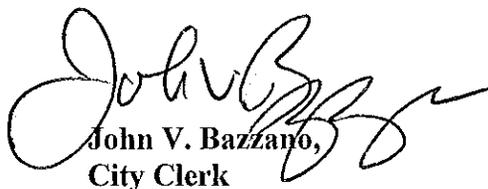
**Whereas,** Hartford continues to be one of the poorest city in the State of Connecticut and cannot afford to continue these hiring practices, and

**Whereas,** Many unemployed Hartford residents are expected to bear the burden of Hartford's non taxed proprieties and lack of services due to the cost of the Board of Education's Budget, and

**Whereas,** It should be the responsibility of every Hartford Resident to ensure our hiring practices benefit the City of Hartford: Therefore be it

**Resolved,** That the Court of Common Council request the Board of Education and Superintendent of Hartford Schools to make every effort to increase Hartford residency teachers by encouraging Hartford High School Students to become teachers who also commit to residing in the City of Harford.

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