

Allegheny County Council

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Agenda Synopsis

Tuesday, September 22, 2026

5:00 PM

Regular Meeting, Fourth Floor, Gold Room

County Council

Michelle Naccarati-Chapkis - President; Aaron Adams, Jordan Botta, Patrick Catena, Suzanne Filiaggi, Nick Futules, Dan Grzybek, Bethany Hallam, Paul Klein, Kathleen Madonna-Emmerling, John Palmiere, Robert Palmosina, Alex Rose, Lissa Geiger Shulman, and DeWitt Walton - Members

I. Call To Order**II. Pledge of Allegiance****III. Silent Prayer or Reflection****IV. Roll Call**

Council Members Present: 13 - Council Member Adams, Council Member Botta, Council Member Filiaggi, Council Member Futules, Council Member Grzybek, Council Member Hallam, Council Member Madonna-Emmerling, Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis, Council Member Palmiere, Council Member Palmosina, Council Member Rose, Council Member Geiger Shulman and Council Member Walton

Council Members Absent: 1 - Council Member Klein

Council Members Phone: 1 - Council Member Catena

V. Proclamations/Certificates[14064-26](#)

A proclamation recognizing Mission of Mercy Pittsburgh for their exemplary service and humanitarian mission.

Sponsors: Council Member Hallam, Council Member Futules, Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis, Council Member Madonna-Emmerling, Council Member Palmiere, Council Member Palmosina and Council Member Rose

This proclamation was presented.

[14065-26](#)

A proclamation supporting CCAC's Full-time Faculty and AFT Local 2067.

Sponsors: Council Member Hallam and All Members of Council

This proclamation was presented.

[14066-26](#)

A proclamation proclaiming September 20-26, 2026 as "National Forensic Science Week" in Allegheny County.

Sponsors: Council Member Adams, Council Member Grzybek, Council Member Palmiere and Council Member Palmosina

This proclamation was presented.

[14067-26](#)

A proclamation proclaiming September as "Suicide Awareness Month" in Allegheny County.

Sponsors: Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis, Council Member Grzybek and Council Member Botta

This proclamation was presented.

[14068-26](#)

A proclamation declaring September 25, 2026 as "Dolly Parton Day" in Allegheny County.

Sponsors: Council Member Botta and All Members of Council

This proclamation was read into the record.

[14069-26](#)

A proclamation recognizing the Pittsburgh Charities and Bob Nutting on the 20th Anniversary of Pittsburgh Charities.

Sponsors: Council Member Botta

This proclamation was read into the record.

[14070-26](#)

A proclamation recognizing Annie "Lois" Carter on the occasion of her 90th Birthday.

Sponsors: Council Member Botta

This proclamation was read into the record.

[14071-26](#)

A proclamation congratulating Allegheny County Budo-Kai on the occasion of its 40th anniversary at the South Park Fairgrounds.

Sponsors: Council Member Grzybek

This proclamation was read into the record.

[14072-26](#)

A proclamation honoring Betty Campau for her dedication to Bloomfield and the Pleasure Bar.

Sponsors: Council Member Botta

This proclamation was read into the record.

VI. Public Comment On Agenda Items

VII. Approval of Minutes

[14073-26](#)

Motion to approve the minutes of the August 21, 2026 special meeting of Council.

A motion was made by Council Member Hallam, seconded by Council Member Palmosina, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

VIII. Presentation of Appointments

IX. Unfinished Business

Committee on Appointment Review - Second Reading

[14041-26](#) Approving the appointment of Michael Suley to the Board of Property Assessment Appeals and Review for a term to be effective through September 25, 2029.

Sponsors: Council Member Catena

A motion was made by Council Member Madonna-Emmerling, seconded by Council Member Hallam, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 11 - Council Member Botta, Council Member Filiaggi, Council Member Futules, Council Member Grzybek, Council Member Hallam, Council Member Madonna-Emmerling, Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis, Council Member Palmiere, Council Member Palmosina, Council Member Rose and Council Member Geiger Shulman

Council Members 2 - Council Member Adams and Council Member Walton

Abstain:

Council Members 1 - Council Member Klein

Absent:

Council Members Yes 1 - Catena

Phone:

Committee on Sustainability & Green Initiatives - Second Reading

[14044-26](#) An Ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending and supplementing Part 7 of the Administrative Code of Allegheny County, entitled "Properties," through the creation of a new Article 707, entitled "County-Owned Property Usage," in order to prohibit the usage of County-owned property for certain purposes relating to data centers.

Sponsors: Council Member Hallam, Council Member Grzybek, Council Member Madonna-Emmerling, Council Member Rose, Council Member Geiger Shulman, Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis, Council Member Catena, Council Member Klein and Council Member Botta

A motion was made by Council Member Rose, seconded by Council Member Hallam, that this matter be Passed for Chief Executive Signature. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 13 - Council Member Adams, Council Member Botta, Council Member Filiaggi, Council Member Futules, Council Member Grzybek, Council Member Hallam, Council Member Madonna-Emmerling, Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis, Council Member Palmiere, Council Member Palmosina, Council Member Rose, Council Member Geiger Shulman and Council Member Walton

Council Members 1 - Council Member Klein

Absent:

Council Members Yes 1 - Catena

Phone:

X. Liaison Reports

XI. New Business - Ordinances & Resolutions

[14074-26](#)

An ordinance of the County of Allegheny, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, amending Ordinance 11-26-OR in order to clarify the protocol for distributing funding pursuant to the appropriations relating to Emergency Medical System operational support made in the County's Grants & Special Accounts budget.

Sponsors: Council Member Filiaggi, Council Member Catena, Council Member Geiger Shulman, Council Member Grzybek, Council Member Hallam and Council Member Rose

Ms. Filiaggi moved to waive the second reading for Bill No. 14074-26, Mr. Futules seconded, and the motion passed with Mr. Klein absent and all other members voting in favor via voice vote.

A motion was made by Council Member Filiaggi, seconded by Council Member Grzybek, that this matter be Passed for Chief Executive Signature. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 13 - Council Member Adams, Council Member Botta, Council Member Filiaggi, Council Member Futules, Council Member Grzybek, Council Member Hallam, Council Member Madonna-Emmerling, Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis, Council Member Palmiere, Council Member Palmosina, Council Member Rose, Council Member Geiger Shulman and Council Member Walton

Council Members Absent: 1 - Council Member Klein

Council Members Yes Phone: 1 - Catena

XII. New Business - Motions

[14075-26](#)

Motion of the Council of Allegheny County authorizing Council's solicitor to file the pleadings necessary to establish Allegheny County Council as an intervenor in *Commonwealth v. Retirement Board of Allegheny County and Allegheny County*, GD-24-014536.

Sponsors: Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis and Council Member Catena

A motion was made by Council Member Filiaggi, seconded by Council Member Palmiere, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by the following vote:

Council Members Yes: 13 - Council Member Adams, Council Member Botta, Council Member Filiaggi, Council Member Futules, Council Member Grzybek, Council Member Hallam, Council Member Madonna-Emmerling, Council Member Naccarati-Chapkis, Council Member Palmiere, Council Member Palmosina, Council Member Rose, Council Member Geiger Shulman and Council Member Walton

Council Members Absent: 1 - Council Member Klein

Council Members Yes Phone: 1 - Catena

XIII. Notification of Contracts

XIV. Public Comment on General Items

XV. Adjournment

A motion was made by Council Member Hallam, seconded by Council Member Grzybek, that this matter be Approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.