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COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

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STATED MEETING

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Room 400, City Hall
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Thursday, December 1, 2005
10:10 a.m.

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PRESENT:

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COUNCIL PRESIDENT ANNA C. VERNA

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COUNCILWOMAN JANNIE BLACKWELL

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COUNCILMAN DARRELL L. CLARKE

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COUNCILMAN FRANK DiCICCO

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COUNCILMAN W. WILSON GOODE, JR.

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COUNCILMAN JACK KELLY

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COUNCILMAN JAMES F. KENNEY

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COUNCILWOMAN JOAN L. KRAJEWSKI

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COUNCILMAN RICHARD T. MARIANO

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COUNCILWOMAN DONNA REED MILLER

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COUNCILMAN MICHAEL A. NUTTER

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COUNCILMAN BRIAN J. O'NEILL

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COUNCILMAN JUAN RAMOS

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COUNCILWOMAN BLONDELL REYNOLDS BROWN

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COUNCILMAN FRANK RIZZO

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COUNCILWOMAN MARIAN B. TASCO

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COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Good morning, everyone. I note that the hour has come to convene today's Council session.

I would like to announce that an Executive Session of Council will now be held in the Caucus Room for the purpose of deliberating on applications for take-out beer permits under Act 39. Council will reconvene immediately after the conclusion of that Executive Session. I assure you we will not be more than five or ten minutes. So we will be back very shortly.

Thank you.

(Short recess.)

COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: I note that a quorum of this Council is present. This Council session shall now reconvene, and the Council will come to order. Members will take their seats, and visitors will retire to the seats outside the rails.

To give our invocation this

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2 morning, the Chair welcomes Pastor Samuel
3 Peterson of the Sharon Baptist Church.
4 He is here today as the guest of
5 Councilwoman Blackwell.

6 I would ask all members and
7 guests to please rise.

8 (Everyone rises.)

9 PASTOR PETERSON: Good morning.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Good
11 morning.

12 PASTOR PETERSON: Good morning
13 to all of you at City Council and to the
14 President of City Council and to one of
15 our great members at Sharon Baptist
16 Church, Councilman Jannie Blackwell.

17 It's a privilege and honor to
18 be able to stand before you this morning
19 for us to be able to go to God in prayer
20 to ask his blessings on this session. If
21 you would, let us go to the Lord.

22 Dear Gracious and Eternal
23 Heavenly Father, once again, God, we come
24 to you just to say thank you, Lord.
25 Thank you for this opportunity for

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2 allowing us to come to you, God.

3 We come asking right now, God,

4 that you would bless this session, God.

5 We ask that you would bless all of those

6 that make the great decisions here in the

7 City of Philadelphia. God, we ask that

8 you would give them the wisdom, God, the

9 wisdom that they need to make those

10 decisions, God.

11 We pray, God, right now for the

12 schools, God, for those schools existing

13 in Philadelphia. We pray for the

14 students, God. We pray right now, God,

15 that your hand would guide those going to

16 schools so that those in the schools will

17 be safe each and every day that they go

18 to school.

19 We pray, God, for this great

20 City, God. We pray that you continue to

21 keep your hands upon it, God. We pray

22 that you can continue to do what you do

23 best, and we pray, God, that you would

24 just have your way each and every day in

25 the City, God.

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2 We pray that we will make
3 decisions that are good for those that
4 need it and, God, we just ask that you
5 just continue to bless us and keep us,
6 for we ask these things in Christ's name.
7 Amen.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Amen.

9 The Chair thanks Pastor
10 Peterson for his very inspiring
11 invocation.

12 Council will be at ease.

13 Deacon Wayne Johns is also with
14 the Pastor.

15 (Council at ease.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 next order of business is the approval of
18 the Journal of the meeting of Thursday,
19 November 17, 2005, and the Chair
20 recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

21 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
22 you, Madam President. I move that the
23 Journal of the meeting of Thursday,
24 November 17, 2005 stand approved.

25 (Duly seconded.)

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
3 has been moved and properly seconded that
4 the Journal of the meeting of Thursday,
5 November 17, 2005 stand approved.

6 All in favor will please
7 indicate by saying aye.

8 (Aye.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
10 opposed?

11 (No response.)

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
13 ayes have it, and the Journal of the
14 meeting of Thursday, November 17, 2005 is
15 approved.

16 The next order of business is
17 requests for leave of absence, and the
18 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

19 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
20 you, Madam President. There are no
21 requests for leaves of absence on the
22 part of the Majority.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
24 Chair thanks the Councilwoman.

25 The Chair recognizes Councilman

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2 O'Neill.

3 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Madam
4 President, on behalf of the republicans,
5 there are no requests for leave of
6 absence.

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
8 you.

9 The Chair will dispense with
10 the regular order of business to
11 recognize the guests and visitors joining
12 us in Chambers this morning. On behalf
13 of all members of Council, I welcome you
14 to our session. We appreciate your
15 taking the time to join us as we attend
16 to the legislative affairs of our City.
17 We certainly invite you to come again.

18 At this time, the Chair
19 recognizes Councilman Rizzo, who will
20 present a resolution honoring the
21 Philadelphia Film Office.

22 Will Ms. Sharon Pinkenson and
23 those accompanying her please join the
24 Councilman at the podium.

25 I understand that Councilwoman

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2 Brown and Councilman DiCicco will be
3 joining Councilman Rizzo in the
4 presentation.

5 The Chair recognizes Councilman
6 Rizzo.

7 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Good
8 morning. Thank you, Madam President.

9 Good morning, everyone.

10 Recognizing, honoring and
11 celebrating the 20th anniversary of the
12 Greater Philadelphia Film Office, which
13 has done such excellent work attracting
14 and facilitating films and television
15 productions in the Philadelphia area.

16 Whereas, since 1985, the film
17 industry in the Greater Philadelphia
18 region has experienced enormous growth;
19 and

20 Whereas, the total economic
21 impact from the film and TV production
22 attracted and facilitated by the Greater
23 Philadelphia Film Office to the region
24 since 1992 exceeds a billion; and

25 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Whereas,

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2 the Greater Philadelphia Film Office
3 facilitated the production of TV series
4 such as Hack, Philly and It's Always
5 Sunny in Philadelphia; and also
6 facilitated movie block busters such as
7 National Treasure, In Her Shoes, 12
8 Monkeys, The Italian Job, Unbreakable,
9 The Sixth Sense, The Rocky Film Series
10 and Philadelphia; and

11 Whereas, the Greater
12 Philadelphia Film Office is a film
13 commission representing Southeastern
14 Pennsylvania that officially serves the
15 counties of Philadelphia, Bucks, Chester,
16 Delaware and Montgomery; and

17 COUNCILMAN DICICCO: And
18 whereas, the Greater Philadelphia Film
19 Office serves to attract film video
20 production to the region, including
21 everything from feature films to TV
22 commercial to music videos and industrial
23 films; and

24 Whereas, the Philadelphia Film
25 Office provided the producer free

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2 assistance with parking, permits, hotels,
3 labor, locations and generally acts as a
4 liaison between the production and the
5 local community, cutting red tape as they
6 go; and

7 Whereas, the Philadelphia Film
8 Office serves to grow the local film and
9 video industry in every way possible,
10 recognizing its huge economic impact in
11 job creation and its unparalleled public
12 relations effect in the region; and

13 COUNCILMAN RIZZIO: Whereas, the
14 Greater Philadelphia Film Office meets
15 the needs of local media artists and
16 technicians through seminars, business
17 and technical training to improve the
18 skills of professionals that help launch
19 careers.

20 Resolved, by the Council of the
21 City of Philadelphia, the City Council
22 hereby recognizes, honors and celebrates
23 the 20th anniversary of the Greater
24 Philadelphia Film Office, which has done
25 such excellent work attracting,

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2 facilitating film and TV production in
3 the Philadelphia area.

4 Further resolved, that an
5 engrossed copy of this resolution be
6 presented to the Greater Philadelphia
7 Film Office as further evidence, sincere
8 admiration and gratitude of this
9 legislative body.

10 Congratulations.

11 (Applause.)

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
13 Chair recognizes Ms. Pinkenson for
14 remarks.

15 MS. PICKENSON: Yes, Rocky is
16 coming back, Councilman.

17 Thank you, all. Thank you to
18 Councilman Rizzo and to all of City
19 Council, thank you, and President Verna.
20 The entire film office staff is with us
21 today. I'm very proud of this loyal and
22 wonderful group, without whom we would
23 not be able to have achieved so much. So
24 thank you for this recognition, and we're
25 going back to work. Thanks.

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2 (Applause.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

4 Council will be at ease.

5 (Council at ease.)

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
7 Chair now recognizes Councilwoman Tasco,
8 who will present a resolution honoring
9 the Fisher Park Alliance.

10 Will Ms. Laurel Sweeney and
11 those accompanying her please join the
12 Councilwoman at the podium.

13 The Chair recognizes
14 Councilwoman Tasco.

15 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you
16 very much, Madam President.

17 I'd just like to say that we
18 are recognizing this wonderful group this
19 morning for their participation in the
20 Horticultural Society competition, but I
21 want to let the world know that this is
22 one of the finest community organizations
23 in the City of Philadelphia. They have
24 taken on the responsibility of
25 maintaining Fisher Park, working with the

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2 community and embracing the School
3 District and the children in the
4 neighborhood, and they have done many,
5 many wonderful projects, and I'm proud of
6 them. I'm proud to have them in my
7 district. I enjoy working with them, and
8 they keep me busy. So I want to say
9 thank you to them.

10 But today we're presenting this
11 resolution honoring the Fisher Park
12 Community Alliance for their
13 award-winning performance in Pennsylvania
14 Horticultural Society competitions.

15 Whereas, the Fisher Park
16 Community Alliance is an organization of
17 committed and concerned neighbors
18 residing in the Olney section of
19 Philadelphia who maintain and support
20 Fisher Park; and

21 Whereas, three years ago, the
22 Fisher Park Community Alliance created a
23 mid-sized vegetable and flower community
24 garden affectionately known as Roots
25 Garden in Fisher Park, which has improved

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2 the aesthetics of the surrounding
3 community; and

4 Whereas, from its inception,
5 the Roots Garden has been successful in
6 the Philadelphia Horticultural Society's
7 garden contest, winning first prize the
8 first two years and second prize this
9 year; and

10 Whereas, the gardeners who care
11 for Roots Garden were invited to
12 participate in this year's flower show in
13 the Garden Competition Class where the
14 theme was America the Beautiful and the
15 category was Community Pride, and the
16 gardeners' exhibit won second prize for
17 the depiction of a party scene at a
18 community garden that was based on the
19 real Roots Garden in Olney; and

20 Whereas, the Fisher Park
21 Community Alliance continues to maintain
22 the Roots Garden at Marshall and Spencer
23 Streets, where there are approximately
24 six four-foot-by-eight-foot plots being
25 gardened by individuals, families and

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2 Grover Washington Middle School students,
3 and through the garden, the community
4 provides an important cultural component
5 to community services in their
6 neighborhood; and

7 Whereas, the Olney residents
8 participating in the Roots Garden have
9 enjoyed learning to garden and sharing
10 their new gardening techniques with each
11 other and their families, and the
12 residents have received the added benefit
13 of getting to know each other through the
14 garden, a valuable and pleasant unifier
15 of the community.

16 Now, therefore resolved, by the
17 Council of the City of Philadelphia, that
18 we hereby honor and commend the Fisher
19 Park Community Alliance for their
20 award-winning performance in Pennsylvania
21 Horticultural Society competitions and
22 for developing the Roots Garden as a
23 positive vehicle for neighbors to
24 socialize while enhancing the aesthetics
25 of their community.

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2 Certification that this is a
3 true and correct copy of the original
4 resolution adopted by the Council of the
5 City of Philadelphia on the 28th day of
6 October 2005, and supported by all
7 members of City Council.

8 Congratulations and thank you.
9 (Applause.)

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 Chair recognizes Ms. Sweeney for remarks.

12 MS. SWEENEY: Good morning,
13 Councilmembers. Thank you for having us
14 here. That was incredible.

15 On behalf of the Fisher Park
16 Community Alliance, I thank Councilwoman
17 Tasco for her support during our trials
18 and tribulations as we were reorganizing
19 the Friends of Fisher Park to become the
20 alliance seven years ago. You helped us
21 in so many ways, none the least of which
22 through the Philadelphia Activities grant
23 each year, which is what helped us to
24 build that garden.

25 You've attended many of our

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2 larger events and said very encouraging
3 words to us about our work in the Park.
4 We know you understand the value of
5 having the land remain clean, safe and
6 healthy, and this is the mission of our
7 Alliance.

8 So I thought since I'm not much
9 of a speech-maker, I'm going to read an
10 editorial that I wrote that ran in the
11 Olney Times last week, because this
12 describes the partnerships that have
13 breathed life into Fisher Park over the
14 years.

15 Fisher Park used to be a place
16 that had little soul in terms of
17 neighborhood connection. As anyone knows
18 who has lived in that area, it was a
19 pretty forbidden place for many, many
20 years. Very few healthy activities
21 happened there. That has changed, and
22 it's time to share the progress report.

23 In the past three years, under
24 the direction of the Fisher Park
25 Community Alliance, a community garden,

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2 an arboretum, a contemplative meditation
3 garden and a native plant garden have
4 been built by neighbors, friends and
5 Middle School students.

6 The group also participated in
7 the Flower Show this year with a
8 22-by-22-foot garden depicting something
9 that looked like Roots. It was a lot of
10 work and a lot of fun, and we were very
11 excited about it.

12 Fisher has developed growing
13 relationships with the Olney Times, the
14 Pennsylvania Horticultural Society's
15 Philadelphia Green Program, the
16 Recreation Department and the Fairmount
17 Park Commission, the offices of
18 Councilwoman Marian Tasco and
19 Representative Dwight Evans, the 35th
20 Police District, the Family Court
21 Community Service Program, Mayor John
22 Street's Office of Community Relations
23 and Grover Washington, Jr. Middle School,
24 the large base of residents who enjoy the
25 park for its ability to provide a

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2 naturally beautiful setting for outdoor
3 recreation and social activities.

4 These important additions have
5 infused new life into the Park's
6 usefulness and overall safety. Fisher
7 Park is a 23-acre oasis from the stress,
8 noise and tons of concrete that harden
9 our lives around us. Statistics show
10 that the presence of trees cleanses the
11 atmosphere, reduces blood pressure and
12 increases attention span.

13 When Joseph Wharton offered
14 this land to the City in 1908, his plan
15 was to provide residents with a healthy
16 alternative to a rapidly changing
17 environment, and here we are nearly 100
18 years later with even more reasons to
19 enjoy a peaceful setting.

20 In the spring, the Park will
21 improve even more when a new basketball
22 and tennis court are developed.
23 Playground equipment is going in and more
24 lighting will be added. Very exciting.

25 Plans are being made to bring

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2 live music back to the Park in the
3 summer. We have a bandstand there.

4 Thanks and congratulations go
5 out to the Fisher Park Board behind me.
6 There are many more of us that couldn't
7 make it. They had to work. And to the
8 many Park partners for their vision for a
9 safer, more useful and pleasant place to
10 enjoy nature at its finest.

11 And on that note, I took some
12 pictures of our park. You can't see that
13 probably too well, but this is for you.
14 This is just a couple of weeks ago. And
15 Fisher Park is absolutely stunningly
16 gorgeous in the fall, so this is for
17 Councilwoman Tasco's office.

18 And on that note, I will
19 introduce those whom I know. This is
20 Allysane Manning, is my first attendant.
21 Loretta Moss has been with us all these
22 years. Brian O'Neill is a teacher at
23 Grover Washington Middle School, and Mary
24 Black has been with us for the entire
25 duration.

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2 And if you could introduce your
3 students.

4 This is Brian O'Neill. He's
5 going to explain a little more about what
6 Grover Washington has done.

7 MR. O'NEILL: Just briefly.
8 Thank you. I just wanted to introduce
9 some future stewards of the park system.
10 These folks are with my Science Club.
11 They've worked hard over the last three
12 years identifying trees in the Park, and
13 it's good to see them take an interest in
14 the environment, since that affects all
15 other aspects of our life, I think.
16 Thank you very much.

17 ROY BOUSER: Hello. My name is
18 Roy Bouser. I am Treasurer of the Grover
19 Washington, Jr. Middle School Science
20 Club, and what I do is, I balance the
21 money. Any trips that we go on, I
22 collect money to give to the people who
23 are taking the trip to.

24 TRACY LLOYD: Hi. I'm Tracy
25 Lloyd. I'm the Vice-President for the

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2 Science Club. I help and assist the
3 President and manage transportation and
4 research also.

5 JENNY NUIA: My name is Jenny
6 Nuia (ph) and I'm the President of the
7 Science Club, and I have my assistant
8 with me to help plan trips and community
9 service.

10 (Applause.)

11 MS. SWEENEY: We have one more.

12 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: We have
13 one more.

14 And we also want to thank our
15 Commissioner, Victor Richards, for
16 working so hard with the Fisher Park.
17 He's really been a true leader in
18 revitalizing Fisher Park.

19 ABDUL HAKEEN ZUDAN: Hi. I'm
20 Abdul Hakeen Zudan (ph). I'm
21 Sergeant-at-Arms for Grover Washington,
22 Jr. Middle School. Thank you.

23 (Applause.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

25 Council will be at ease.

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2 (Council at ease.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
4 Chair now recognizes Councilman Mariano,
5 who will present a resolution honoring
6 St. Christopher's Hospital of
7 Philadelphia.

8 At this time, I would ask
9 Ms. Jill Tillman and those accompanying
10 her to please join the Councilman at the
11 podium.

12 I see that the Councilman is
13 being joined by Councilmembers Krajewski,
14 Ramos and Kelly.

15 The Chair recognizes Councilman
16 Mariano.

17 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Thank you,
18 Madam President.

19 Resolution honoring St.
20 Christopher's Hospital for Children on
21 the occasion of its 130th anniversary.

22 Whereas, on November 30th,
23 1875, St. Christopher's Hospital for
24 Children opened its doors; and

25 Whereas, St. Christopher's

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2 Hospital began as a charitable one-room
3 clinic mainly for children of mill
4 workers in North Philadelphia; and

5 Whereas, today St.
6 Christopher's serves the entire region as
7 one of the leading pediatric medical
8 centers in the United States; and

9 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI:

10 Whereas, St. Christopher's Hospital for
11 Children has built a reputation for
12 leadership, innovation and compassion;
13 and

14 Whereas, the hospital also has
15 established set standards of excellence
16 for other pediatric facilities in the
17 country to follow.

18 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Whereas, St.
19 Christopher's Hospital for Children will
20 continue their 130-year-old tradition of
21 providing specialized pediatric care for
22 children both living in the Delaware
23 Valley and those around the world.

24 Now, therefore

25 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Whereas,

5 Whereas, St. Christopher's
6 Hospital for Children will continue their
7 130-year-old tradition of providing
8 specialized pediatric care for children
9 both living in the Delaware Valley and
10 those around the world.

12 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Now,
13 therefore be it resolved further, that an
14 engrossed copy of this resolution has
15 been presented to the representatives of
16 St. Christopher's Hospital for Children
17 as further evidence of the sincere
18 respect and admiration of this
19 legislative body, signed by Councilman
20 Rick Mariano and everyone else in City
21 Council. Thank you.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
24 Chair recognizes Ms. Tillman for remarks.

25 MS. TILLMAN: Thank you. On

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2 behalf of St. Christopher's, I'd like to
3 thank all of the Councilmembers, not just
4 for today's resolution, but for you and
5 for your predecessors for 130 years of
6 support in helping us to meet our goal of
7 caring for the children.

8 We grew from a one-room
9 hospital to today a vibrant 161-bed
10 hospital that admits more than 8,000
11 children every year and sees more than
12 48,000 children every year in our
13 emergency room.

14 We look forward to your
15 continued support and our next 130 years
16 with our vision of what we can be in the
17 future. Thank you.

18 (Applause.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:
20 Council will be at ease.

21 (Council at ease.)

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
23 next order of business is communications.
24 The Chair requests that the
25 Sergeant-At-Arms deliver the messages

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2 from the Mayor to the Chief Clerk.

3 The Chief Clerk will please
4 read the messages from the Mayor.

5 CHIEF CLERK: To the President
6 and members of the Council of the City of
7 Philadelphia, I am pleased to advise you
8 that on December 1, 2005 I signed all the
9 bills that were passed by Council at its
10 sessions on November 10th and November
11 17th, 2005, and I am transmitting
12 herewith for the consideration of your
13 honorable body a proposed resolution,
14 entitled "A resolution authorizing the
15 Director of Commerce, on behalf of the
16 City of Philadelphia, to file an
17 application to obtain a grant from the
18 Department of Community and Economic
19 Development, the Commonwealth of
20 Pennsylvania, in the Huntington Park West
21 Enterprise Zone"; and

22 An ordinance authorizing,
23 generally, the continued issuance and
24 sale by the City of Philadelphia of the
25 Gas Works Revenue Notes of the City; and

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2 An ordinance constituting the
3 Seventh Supplemental Ordinance to the
4 General Gas Works Revenue Bond Ordinance
5 of 1998; and

6 An ordinance authorizing an
7 amendment of the Philadelphia Facilities
8 Management Corporation Agreement to
9 extend the repayment period for temporary
10 financing that the City may provide the
11 Philadelphia Gas Works; and

12 An ordinance authorizing the
13 transfers in appropriation for Fiscal
14 Year 2006 within the General Fund from
15 certain or all City offices, departments,
16 boards and commissions to certain or all
17 City offices, departments, boards and
18 commissions.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT Verna: Thank
20 you. The messages will be printed in the
21 Journal.

22 The Chief Clerk will please
23 read any other communications in her
24 possession.

25 CHIEF CLERK: That's all I

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2 have, Madam President.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
4 you.

5 At this time, the Chair
6 recognizes Councilwoman Krajewski.

7 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Thank
8 you, Madam President.

9 I'd like to welcome the City
10 Year Berwyn team serving the Harding
11 Middle School, which is in my district.
12 This team of young people provides
13 tutoring and in-class support in Harding.
14 I'd like to welcome them to City Council.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
16 you. If they're here, if they'd stand,
17 we'd like to recognize you.

18 Welcome. Welcome.

19 (Applause.)

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
21 next order of business is the
22 introduction of bills and resolutions,
23 and the Chair recognizes Councilwoman
24 Blackwell for a motion.

25 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank

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2 you, Madam President. I move that the
3 rules of Council be suspended in order to
4 permit the immediate consideration of
5 resolutions at their time of
6 introduction.

7 (Duly seconded.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
9 has been moved and properly seconded that
10 the rules of Council be suspended so as
11 to permit immediate consideration of
12 resolutions at the time of introduction.

13 All in favor of the motion will
14 please say aye.

15 (Aye.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
17 opposed?

18 (No response.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 ayes have it and the motion carries.

21 The Chair recognizes Councilman
22 Kenney.

23 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Thank you,
24 Madam President. On behalf of myself and
25 Councilwoman Reynolds Brown, I offer one

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2 bill.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
4 you.

5 The Chief Clerk will please
6 read the title of the bill.

7 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
8 amending Title 17 of The Philadelphia
9 Code, entitled "Contracts and
10 Procurement," by providing for a price
11 preference for hybrid-electric or
12 alternative fuel vehicles when the City
13 purchases vehicles, and by making
14 technical amendments; all under certain
15 terms and conditions.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
17 you. This bill will be referred to the
18 appropriate committee.

19 The Chair recognizes
20 Councilwoman Blackwell.

21 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
22 you, Madam President. Today I introduce
23 three PGW bills, four resolutions on my
24 behalf and two resolutions on your
25 behalf.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 Chief Clerk will please read the title of
4 the first bill.

5 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
6 constituting the Seventh Supplemental
7 Ordinance to the General Gas Works
8 Revenue Bond Ordinance of 1998.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
10 bill will be referred to the appropriate
11 committee.

12 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
13 authorizing, generally, the continued
14 issuance and sale by the City of
15 Philadelphia of Gas Works Revenue Notes
16 of the City.

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
18 bill will also be referred to the
19 appropriate committee.

20 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
21 authorizing an amendment of the
22 Philadelphia Facilities Management
23 Corporation Agreement to extend the
24 repayment period for temporary financing
25 that the City may provide the

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2 Philadelphia Gas Works.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
4 bill will be referred to the appropriate
5 committee.

6 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
7 honoring Linda E. Howard for her 31 years
8 of outstanding service in the City of
9 Philadelphia.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

12 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
13 you, Madam President. I move for the
14 adoption of the resolution.

15 (Duly seconded.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
17 has been moved and properly seconded that
18 the resolution be adopted.

19 All in favor will indicate by
20 saying aye.

21 (Aye.)

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
23 opposed?

24 (No response.)

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

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2 ayes have it and the resolution is
3 adopted.

4 The Chief Clerk.

5 CHIEF CLERK: There's another
6 ordinance.

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
8 Chief Clerk just indicated that there is
9 another ordinance, so I would ask her to
10 please read the bill.

11 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
12 authorizing and directing the revision of
13 lines and grades on a portion of City
14 Plan No. 356 and 378 by striking from the
15 City Plan the Industry Highway.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 bill will be referred to the appropriate
18 committee.

19 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
20 authorizing the Commissioner of Public
21 Property to execute and deliver to the
22 Redevelopment Authority deeds located in
23 the 36th Ward of the City of
24 Philadelphia.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

3 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
4 you, Madam President. I move for the
5 adoption of the resolution.

6 (Duly seconded.)

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
8 has been moved and properly seconded that
9 the resolution be adopted.

10 All in favor will signify by
11 saying aye.

12 (Aye.)

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
14 opposed?

15 (No response.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 ayes have it and the resolution is
18 adopted.

19 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
20 authorizing the Commissioner of Public
21 Property to execute and deliver to the
22 Redevelopment Authority deeds located in
23 the 6th and 27th Wards of the City of
24 Philadelphia.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

3 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
4 you, Madam President. I move for the
5 adoption of the resolution.

6 (Duly seconded.)

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
8 has been moved and properly seconded that
9 the resolution be adopted.

10 All in favor will indicate by
11 saying aye.

12 (Aye.)

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
14 opposed?

15 (No response.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 ayes have it and the resolution is
18 adopted.

19 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
20 deferring Drexel University's proposed
21 amendment to its Institutional
22 Development District Master Plan pursuant
23 to Chapter 14-1107 of The Philadelphia
24 Code.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 Chair again recognizes Councilwoman
3 Blackwell.

4 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
5 you, Madam President. I move for the
6 adoption of the resolution.

7 (Duly seconded.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
9 has been moved and properly seconded that
10 the resolution be adopted.

11 All in favor will please
12 indicate by saying aye.

13 (Aye.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
15 opposed?

16 (No response.)

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
18 ayes have it and the resolution is
19 adopted.

20 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
21 authorizing the Committee on Housing,
22 Neighborhood Development and the Homeless
23 to issue a subpoena to compel the
24 attendance of witnesses and the
25 production of documents at the public

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 hearing authorized by Resolution No.
3 050871.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
5 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

6 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
7 you, Madam President. I move for the
8 adoption of the resolution.

9 (Duly seconded.)

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
11 has been moved and properly seconded that
12 the resolution be adopted.

13 All in favor will indicate by
14 saying aye.

15 (Aye.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
17 opposed?

18 (No response.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 ayes have it and the resolution is
21 adopted.

22 CHIEF CLERK: And a --

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
24 Chair -- I'm sorry. Is there another?

25 CHIEF CLERK: Yes.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 Chief Clerk will please read the next
4 resolution.

5 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
6 calling on the Board of Revision of Taxes
7 to delay raising real estate tax
8 assessments on Philadelphia property
9 owners under the Board's Full Valuation
10 Project.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

13 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
14 you, Madam President. I move for the
15 adoption of the resolution.

16 (Duly seconded.)

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
18 has been moved and properly seconded that
19 the resolution be adopted.

20 All in favor will say aye.

21 (Aye.)

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
23 opposed?

24 (No response.)

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

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2 ayes have it and the resolution is
3 adopted.

4 The Chair recognizes
5 Councilwoman Krajewski.

6 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Madam
7 President, I offer one bill.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
9 you.

10 The Chief Clerk will please
11 read the title of the bill.

12 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
13 authorizing transfers in appropriation
14 for Fiscal Year 2006 within the General
15 Fund from certain or all City offices,
16 departments, boards and commissions to
17 certain or all City offices, departments,
18 boards and commissions.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 bill will be referred to the appropriate
21 committee, and the Chair recognizes
22 Councilman Mariano.

23 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Thank you,
24 Madam President. I have one bill and two
25 resolutions. And I just want to say it's

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2 nice to be back and be part of the
3 legislative process and see your smiling
4 face once more on a Thursday morning.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
6 you, and we welcome you.

7 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Thank you
8 very much.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Good
10 to see you back.

11 The Chief Clerk will please
12 read the title of the bill.

13 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
14 authorizing the Philadelphia Authority
15 for Industrial Development to file an
16 application with the Office of the Budget
17 of Pennsylvania, under the Redevelopment
18 Assistance Capital Program, in an
19 aggregate amount not to exceed
20 \$3,600,000.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
22 bill will be referred to the appropriate
23 committee.

24 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
25 authorizing the Commissioner of Public

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2 Property to execute and deliver to the
3 Redevelopment Authority deeds located in
4 the 18th, 19th, 23rd, 37th, 42nd and 43rd
5 Wards of the City of Philadelphia.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
7 Chair recognizes Councilman Mariano.

8 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Madam
9 President, I move for the adoption of
10 that resolution.

11 (Duly seconded.)

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
13 has been moved and properly seconded that
14 the resolution be adopted.

15 All in favor will indicate by
16 saying aye.

17 (Aye.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
19 opposed?

20 (No response.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
22 ayes have it and the resolution is
23 adopted.

24 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
25 calling for the Committee on Recreation

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 to conduct hearings on the closed status
3 of Scanlon Ice Rink and Recreation
4 Center.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
6 Chair recognizes Councilman Mariano.

7 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Madam
8 President, I move for the adoption of
9 that resolution.

10 (Duly seconded.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
12 has been moved and seconded that the
13 resolution be adopted.

14 All in favor will say aye.

15 (Aye.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
17 opposed?

18 (No response.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 ayes have it and the resolution will be
21 referred to the Committee on Recreation.

22 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Thank you,
23 Madam President.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
25 you.

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2 The Chair recognizes
3 Councilwoman Tasco.

4 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: I offer
5 two resolutions and one on your behalf.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
7 you.

8 The Chief Clerk will please
9 read the title of the first resolution.

10 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
11 authorizing the Council Committees on
12 Public Safety and Public Health and Human
13 Services to hold hearings regarding the
14 findings and recommendations of the
15 Blueprint for a Safer Philadelphia.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Tasco.

18 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: I move for
19 the adoption of the resolution.

20 (Duly seconded.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
22 has been moved and seconded that the
23 resolution be adopted.

24 All in favor will please
25 indicate by saying aye.

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2 (Aye.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
4 opposed?

5 (No response.)

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
7 ayes have it. The resolution has been
8 adopted, and will be referred to the
9 Committee on Public Safety and Public
10 Health.

11 The Chief Clerk will please
12 read the second resolution.

13 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
14 urging the Pennsylvania House of
15 Representatives to pass House Bill 1539,
16 which will provide, for the first time,
17 supplemental state funds for the
18 federally funded Low Income Home Energy
19 Assistance Program.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
21 Chair again recognizes Councilwoman
22 Tasco.

23 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: I move for
24 the adoption of the resolution.

25 (Duly seconded.)

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
3 has been moved and properly seconded that
4 the resolution be adopted.

5 All in favor will please
6 indicate by saying aye.

7 (Aye.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
9 opposed?

10 (No response.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 ayes have it and the resolution is
13 adopted.

14 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
15 honoring Acel Moore.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Tasco.

18 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: I move for
19 the adoption of the resolution.

20 (Duly seconded.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
22 has been moved and properly seconded that
23 the resolution be adopted.

24 All in favor will please say
25 aye.

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2 (Aye.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
4 opposed?

5 (No response.)

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
7 ayes have it and the resolution is
8 adopted.

9 The Chair recognizes
10 Councilwoman Miller.

11 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Thank
12 you, Madam President. Today I offer two
13 resolutions.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
15 you.

16 The Chief Clerk will please
17 read the title of the first resolution.

18 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
19 authorizing City Council's Committee on
20 Public Safety to conduct public hearings
21 to examine ways to increase the number of
22 people who have been trained on
23 cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Miller.

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2 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: I move
3 for the adoption of the resolution.

4 (Duly seconded.)

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
6 has been moved and properly seconded that
7 the resolution be adopted.

8 All in favor will please say
9 aye.

10 (Aye.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
12 opposed?

13 (No response.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
15 ayes have it. The resolution has been
16 adopted, and will be referred to the
17 Committee on Public Safety.

18 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
19 authorizing the Director of Commerce, on
20 behalf of the City of Philadelphia, to
21 file an application to obtain a grant
22 from the Department of Community and
23 Economic Development.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Miller.

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2 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: I move
3 for the adoption of the resolution.

4 (Duly seconded.)

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
6 has been moved and properly seconded that
7 the resolution be adopted.

8 All in favor will please
9 indicate by saying aye.

10 (Aye.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
12 opposed?

13 (No response.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
15 ayes have it and the resolution is
16 adopted.

17 The Chair recognizes Councilman
18 Nutter.

19 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Thank you,
20 Madam President. I offer one resolution.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
22 Chief Clerk will please read the title of
23 the resolution.

24 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
25 honoring the 50th anniversary of the

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 Professional Convention Management
3 Association.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
5 Chair recognizes Councilman Nutter.

6 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Thank you,
7 Madam President. This resolution was
8 co-sponsored by all members, and I move
9 for the adoption of the resolution.

10 (Duly seconded.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
12 has been moved and seconded that the
13 resolution be adopted.

14 All in favor will please say
15 aye.

16 (Aye.)

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
18 opposed?

19 (No response.)

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
21 ayes have it and the resolution is
22 adopted.

23 The Chair recognizes
24 Councilwoman Brown.

25 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Thank you,

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2 Madam President. I offer no bills or
3 resolutions this morning.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
5 you.

6 The Chair recognizes Councilman
7 Goode.

8 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Thank you,
9 Madam President. I offer one resolution.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 Chair thanks the gentleman, and I would
12 ask the Chief Clerk to please read the
13 title of the resolution.

14 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
15 calling on the Office of the City
16 Treasurer to commission an annual study
17 of lending disparities by City
18 depositories.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 Chair recognizes Councilman Goode.

21 COUNCILMAN GOODE: I move for
22 the adoption.

23 (Duly seconded.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
25 has been moved and seconded that the

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 resolution be adopted.

3 All in favor will please say

4 aye.

5 (Aye.)

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those

7 opposed?

8 (No response.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

10 ayes have it and the resolution is

11 adopted.

12 The Chair recognizes Councilman

13 Ramos.

14 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Thank you,

15 Madam President. I offer one resolution

16 co-sponsored by Councilwoman Marian

17 Tasco.

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

19 Chief Clerk will please read the title.

20 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution

21 authorizing the Committee on Public

22 Health and Human Services to conduct

23 hearings to investigate the policies and

24 procedures of the City's Medical

25 Examiner's Office with regard to

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 identifying missing persons.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

4 Chair recognizes Councilman Ramos.

5 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Madam

6 President, I move for the adoption of the

7 resolution.

8 (Duly seconded.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It

10 has been moved and seconded that the

11 resolution be adopted.

12 All in favor will please say

13 aye.

14 (Aye.)

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those

16 opposed?

17 (No response.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

19 ayes have it and the resolution will be

20 referred to the Committee on Public

21 Safety and Human Services.

22 And at this time, the Chair

23 recognizes Councilman DiCicco.

24 COUNCILMAN DICICCO: Thank you,

25 Madam President. I have no bills or

1 12/1/05 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 resolutions today.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
4 you

5 The Chair recognizes Councilman
6 O'Neill.

7 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Madam
8 President, I offer two bills.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
10 Chief Clerk will please read the title of
11 the first bill.

12 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
13 amending Section 10-112 of The
14 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Keeping Farm
15 Animals," by deleting the provision
16 permitting the keeping of farm animals on
17 parcels of three acres or more.

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
19 bill will be referred to the appropriate
20 committee.

21 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
22 amending Title 14 of The Philadelphia
23 Code, entitled "Zoning and Planning," by
24 amending Section 14-104, entitled
25 "Non-conforming Structures and Uses," by

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2 amending provisions relating to the
3 reconstruction of non-conforming
4 structures, all under certain terms and
5 conditions.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
7 bill will be referred to the appropriate
8 committee, and the Chair recognizes
9 Councilman Clarke.

10 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Thank you,
11 Madam President. I have two bills.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
13 Chief Clerk will please read the title of
14 the first bill.

15 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
16 regulating the movement of traffic on
17 Chestnut Street; in particular,
18 authorizing right turns to be made from
19 Chestnut at certain intersections in
20 Center City.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
22 bill will be referred to the appropriate
23 committee.

24 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
25 authorizing and directing the City,

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2 including the Fairmount Park Commission,
3 the Commissioner of Public Property and
4 the City Solicitor, to request that CSX
5 Transportation remove its signal shed
6 located in the vicinity of the
7 intersection of Schuylkill River Trail
8 and the overpass of Vine Street
9 Expressway.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
11 bill will be referred to the appropriate
12 committee, and the Chair recognizes
13 Councilman Kelly.

14 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Madam
15 President, I have no bills or resolutions
16 today.

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
18 Chair thanks the gentleman.

19 The Chair recognizes Councilman
20 Rizzo.

21 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Madam
22 President, I have one resolution.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
24 Chief Clerk will please read the title of
25 the resolution.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
3 recognizing, honoring and celebrating
4 Nicholas Lezzi on the occasion of his
5 retirement as Chief of Staff to the
6 President of PECO, faithfully and
7 excellently served the people of
8 Philadelphia for over three decades.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
10 Chair recognizes Councilman Rizzo.

11 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: I move for
12 the adoption of this resolution.

13 (Duly seconded.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
15 has been moved and properly seconded that
16 the resolution be adopted.

17 All in favor will please say
18 aye.

19 (Aye.)

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
21 opposed?

22 (No response.)

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
24 ayes have it and the resolution is
25 adopted.

1 12/1/05 - STATED - REPORTS

2 The next order of business is
3 reports from committees, and the Chair
4 recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell for a
5 report from the Committee of the Whole.

6 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
7 you, Madam President. The Committee of
8 the Whole reports out one bill with a
9 favorable recommendation.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
11 you.

12 The Chief Clerk will please
13 read the report.

14 CHIEF CLERK: To the President
15 and members of the Council of the City of
16 Philadelphia, the Committee of the Whole,
17 to which was referred Bill No. 050669,
18 entitled "An ordinance amending Section
19 19-2604 of The Philadelphia Code relating
20 to tax rates, credits and alternative tax
21 computation for the business privilege
22 tax, by reducing certain tax rates, all
23 under certain terms and conditions,"
24 respectfully reports it has considered
25 and amended the same and returns the

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2 attached bill to Council with a favorable
3 recommendation.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
5 you.

6 The Chair recognizes
7 Councilwoman Blackwell.

8 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
9 you, Madam President. I move that the
10 rules of Council be suspended so as to
11 permit first reading this day of Bill No.
12 050669.

13 (Duly seconded.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
15 has been moved and properly seconded that
16 the rules of Council be suspended so as
17 to permit first reading this day of Bill
18 No. 050669.

19 All in favor will indicate by
20 saying aye.

21 (Aye.)

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
23 opposed?

24 (No response.)

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The

1 12/1/05 - STATED - REPORTS

2 ayes have it, and the bill just read will
3 be placed on today's First Reading
4 Calendar.

5 The Chair at this time
6 recognizes Councilwoman Krajewski.

7 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Madam,
8 President, the Committee on Appropriation
9 reports four bills out with a favorable
10 recommendation.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
12 you.

13 The Chief Clerk will please
14 read the report.

15 CHIEF CLERK: To the President
16 and members of the Council of the City of
17 Philadelphia, the Committee on
18 Appropriations, to which was referred
19 Bill No. 051091, entitled "An ordinance
20 authorizing transfers in appropriation
21 for Fiscal Year 2005 within the Aviation
22 Fund to the Director of Finance"; and

23 Bill No. 051092, entitled "An
24 ordinance authorizing transfers in
25 appropriation for Fiscal Year 2005 within

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2 the Water Fund to the Water Department";
3 and

4 Bill No. 051093, entitled "An
5 ordinance authorizing transfers in
6 appropriation for Fiscal Year 2005 within
7 the General Fund to certain or all City
8 offices, departments, boards and
9 commissions"; and

10 Bill No. 051101, entitled "An
11 ordinance authorizing transfers in
12 appropriation for Fiscal Year 2006 within
13 the General Fund to certain or all City
14 departments, boards and commissions,"
15 respectfully reports it has considered
16 the same and returns the attached bills
17 to Council with a favorable
18 recommendation.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
20 you.

21 The Chair recognizes
22 Councilwoman Krajewski.

23 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Madam
24 President, I move that the rules of
25 Council be suspended so as to permit

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2 first reading this day of Bill 051091,
3 051092, 051093 and 051101.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Do I
5 hear a second?

6 (Duly seconded.)

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
8 has been moved and properly seconded that
9 the rules of Council be suspended so as
10 to permit first reading this day of Bill
11 Nos. 051091, 051092, 051093 and 051101.

12 All in favor will please say
13 aye.

14 (Aye.)

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
16 opposed?

17 (No response.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
19 ayes have it, and the bills just read
20 will be placed on our First Reading
21 Calendar for today.

22 The Chair recognizes Councilman
23 DiCicco for a report from the Committee
24 on Streets and Services.

25 COUNCILMAN DICICCO: Thank you,

1 12/1/05 - STATED - REPORTS

2 Madam President. The Committee on
3 Streets and Services reports ten bills
4 with a favorable recommendation.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT Verna: Thank
6 you.

7 The Chief Clerk will please
8 read the report.

9 CHIEF CLERK: To the President
10 and members of the Council of the City of
11 Philadelphia, the Committee on Streets
12 and Services, to which was referred Bill
13 No. 050857, entitled "An ordinance
14 amending Section 2 of an ordinance, Bill
15 No. 020429, approved November 13, 2002,
16 entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the
17 revision of lines and grades on a portion
18 of City Plan No. 258 by striking from the
19 City Plan and vacating Brill Street from
20 Torresdale Avenue'; and

21 Bill No. 050859, entitled "An
22 ordinance establishing a no truck parking
23 and tow away zone regulation for an area
24 bounded by and within Vine Street to
25 Haverford Avenue"; and

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2 Bill No. 050860, entitled "An
3 ordinance authorizing the revision of
4 lines and grades on a portion of City
5 Plan No. 299"; and

6 Bill No. 050861, entitled "An
7 ordinance amending Section 5 of an
8 ordinance, Bill No. 050468, approved June
9 16, 2005, by extending the period for
10 compliance with authorization conditions
11 therein"; and

12 Bill No. 050862, entitled "An
13 ordinance amending Title 9 of The
14 Philadelphia Code, entitled 'Regulation
15 of Business, Trades and Professions,' by
16 adding provisions, regulations and
17 operations for tour buses"; and

18 Bill No. 050863, entitled "An
19 ordinance amending Section 12-1117 of The
20 Philadelphia Code, entitled 'Physically
21 Handicapped and Disabled or Severely
22 Disabled Veteran Parking,' by amending
23 the provisions relating to metered
24 parking for physically handicapped
25 persons"; and

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2 Bill No. 050864, entitled "An
3 ordinance amending Title 12 of The
4 Philadelphia Code, entitled 'The Traffic
5 Code,' by providing for the establishment
6 of parking for motor-driven cycles and
7 similar motor vehicles"; and

8 Bill No. 050949, entitled "An
9 ordinance amending Section 2 of an
10 ordinance, Bill No. 040505, approved June
11 21, 2004, by extending the time for
12 compliance with conditions stated
13 therein"; and

14 Bill No. 050952, entitled "An
15 ordinance authorizing and directing the
16 revision of lines and grades on a portion
17 of City Plan No. 271"; and

18 Bill No. 051098, entitled "An
19 ordinance authorizing Temple University
20 Health Systems and Hunting Fox Associates
21 to construct and maintain a pedestrian
22 bridge over and across Stokley Street."

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
24 you.

25 The Chair recognizes Councilman

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2 DiCicco.

3 COUNCILMAN DICICCO: Thank you,
4 Madam President. I move that the rules
5 of Council be suspended so as to permit
6 first reading this day of the ten bills
7 that have just been read into the record.

8 (Duly seconded.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
10 has been moved and properly seconded that
11 the rules of Council be suspended so as
12 to permit first reading of the bills just
13 read by the Chief Clerk.

14 All in favor will please
15 indicate by saying aye.

16 (Aye.)

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
18 opposed?

19 (No response.)

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
21 ayes have it, and the bills just read as
22 indicated will be placed on today's First
23 Reading Calendar.

24 The next order of business is
25 the consideration of the Calendar. The

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2 Chief Clerk will please read the bills on
3 the First Reading Calendar.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Bill No. 050669,
5 an ordinance amending Section 19-2604 of
6 The Philadelphia Code relating to tax
7 rates, credits and alternative tax
8 computation for the business privilege
9 tax by reducing certain tax rates, all
10 under certain terms and conditions.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 Chair agrees, and recognizes Councilman
13 O'Neill.

14 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Thank you,
15 Madam President. I have an amendment I'd
16 like to offer to this bill, and since
17 it's on first reading, I would ask for a
18 suspension of the rules to allow that.

19 (Duly seconded.)

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
21 has been moved and seconded that the
22 rules of Council be suspended so as to
23 permit an amendment to Bill No. 050669.

24 All in favor will please say
25 aye.

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2 (Aye.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
4 opposed?

5 (No response.)

6 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: No.

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
8 record will reflect that Councilwoman
9 Brown votes no. Everyone else voted in
10 the affirmative.

11 Thank you, and the Chair now
12 recognizes Councilman O'Neill again.

13 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: I'd like
14 to offer the amendment.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Has
16 the amendment been circulated,
17 Councilman?

18 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Yes, it
19 has.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: I
21 don't think the Chief Clerk has to read
22 the amendment into the record.

23 Was a copy given to the
24 stenographer?

25 THE STENOGRAPHER: Yes.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Every
3 Councilmember has a copy of the amendment
4 before them. So, again, I would
5 recognize Councilman O'Neill.

6 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: I move the
7 adoption of the amendment.

8 (Duly seconded.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
10 has been moved and seconded that the
11 amendment be adopted.

12 All in favor will please
13 indicate by saying aye.

14 (Aye.)

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
16 opposed?

17 (No response.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
19 ayes have it, and Bill No. 050669 has
20 been amended.

21 The Chief Clerk will please
22 read the next bill.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Bill No. 051091,
24 an ordinance authorizing transfers in
25 appropriation for Fiscal Year 2005 within

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2 the Aviation Fund to the Director of
3 Finance - Fringe Benefits.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
5 Chair agrees.

6 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
7 051092, an ordinance authorizing
8 transfers in appropriation for Fiscal
9 Year 2005 within the Water Fund to the
10 Water Department.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 Chair agrees.

13 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
14 051093, an ordinance authorizing
15 transfers in appropriation for Fiscal
16 Year 2005 within the General Fund to
17 certain or all City offices, departments,
18 boards and commissions.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 Chair agrees.

21 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
22 051101, entitled "An ordinance
23 authorizing transfers in appropriation
24 for Fiscal Year 2006 within the General
25 Fund to certain or all City offices,

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2 departments, boards and commissions."

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
4 Chair agrees.

5 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
6 050857, an ordinance amending Section 2
7 of an ordinance, Bill No. 020429,
8 approved November 13, 2002, entitled "An
9 ordinance authorizing revision of lines
10 and grades on a portion of City Plan No.
11 258."

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
13 Chair agrees.

14 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
15 050859, an ordinance establishing a no
16 truck parking and tow away regulation for
17 an area bounded by and within Vine Street
18 to Haverford Avenue.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 Chair agrees.

21 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
22 050860, an ordinance authorizing the
23 revision of lines and grades on a portion
24 of City Plan No. 299 by striking from the
25 City Plan Domino Lane from Henry Avenue

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2 to Hagner Street.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
4 Chair agrees.

5 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
6 050861, an ordinance amending Section 5
7 of an ordinance, Bill No. 050468,
8 approved June 16, 2005, by extending the
9 period for compliance with authorization
10 conditions therein.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 Chair agrees.

13 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
14 050862, an ordinance amending Title 9 of
15 The Philadelphia Code, entitled
16 "Regulation of Businesses, Trades and
17 Professions," by adding provisions
18 regulating the operation of tour buses.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 Chair agrees.

21 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
22 050863, an ordinance amending Section
23 12-1117 of The Philadelphia Code,
24 entitled "Physically Handicapped and
25 Disabled or Severely Disabled Veteran

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2 Parking."

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
4 Chair agrees.

5 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
6 050864, an ordinance amending Title 12 of
7 The Philadelphia Code, entitled "The
8 Traffic Code," by providing for the
9 establishment of parking for motor-driven
10 cycles and similar motor vehicles.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 Chair agrees.

13 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
14 050949, an ordinance amending Section 2
15 of an ordinance, Bill No. 040505,
16 approved June 21, 2004, by extending the
17 time for compliance with conditions
18 stated therein.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
20 Chair agrees.

21 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
22 050952, an ordinance authorizing the
23 direction of lines and grades on a
24 portion of City Plan No. 271 by placing
25 on the City Plan Florist Street.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 Chair agrees.

4 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
5 051098, an ordinance authorizing Temple
6 University Health Systems and Hunting Fox
7 Associates to construct and maintain a
8 pedestrian bridge over and across Stokely
9 Street.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 Chair agrees.

12 That concludes our First
13 Reading Calendar.

14 The Chair recognizes
15 Councilwoman Blackwell for the purpose of
16 calling up the bills to be considered on
17 our Second Reading and Final Passage
18 Calendar.

19 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
20 you, Madam President. Today all bills on
21 Page 1 are being held. On Page 2, we
22 will consider Bill No. 050831-A. All
23 other bills are being held, as are bills
24 on Page 3, 4 and 5.

25 On Page 6, we will consider

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2 Bill Nos. 050615 and 740. Page 7,
3 050741, 745, 746, 747 and 829, which are
4 all bills on Page 7.

5 On Page 8 and Page 9, we will
6 likewise hear all bills, Bill No. 050830,
7 817, 050830, 040817, 040769, 050014,
8 050613, all on Page 9. Bill Nos. 051023,
9 24, 748, 050202, and as we've said, all
10 other bills are being held.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
12 you.

13 At this time, I would ask the
14 Chief Clerk to please read the title of
15 Bill No. 050831-A.

16 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
17 amending Title 14 of The Philadelphia
18 Code, relating to zoning and planning, by
19 modifying the conditions under which
20 amendments to the Institutional
21 Development District are approved by City
22 Council, under certain terms and
23 conditions.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
25 bill having been read on two different

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2 days, the question now is shall the bill
3 pass finally.

4 Councilwoman Tasco, your light
5 is on. Did you want to be recognized
6 before the roll call?

7 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: No.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
9 you.

10 The Chief Clerk will please
11 call the roll.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
13 Blackwell.

14 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 Clarke.

17 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 DiCicco.

20 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

22 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

24 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

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2 Kenney.
3 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
5 Krajewski.
6 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 Mariano.
9 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
11 Miller.
12 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
14 Nutter.
15 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
17 O'Neill.
18 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
20 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Reynolds Brown.
23 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
25 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

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2 pass finally.
3 The Chief Clerk will please
4 call the roll.
5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
6 Blackwell.
7 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
9 Clarke.
10 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
12 DiCicco.
13 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
15 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
17 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 Kenney.
20 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Krajewski.
23 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 Mariano.

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2 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
4 Miller.
5 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
7 Nutter.
8 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
10 O'Neill.
11 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
13 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
15 Reynolds Brown.
16 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
18 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
20 Tasco.
21 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
22 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
23 Verna.
24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
25 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A

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2 majority of all members having voted in
3 the affirmative, this bill passes.

4 We will now consider Bill No.
5 050740.

6 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
7 amending Chapter 19-1300 of The
8 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Real Estate
9 Taxes," by providing for a tax credit
10 against real estate taxes for a member of
11 the National Guard or a reserve component
12 of the Armed Forces of the United States.

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
14 bill having been read on two different
15 days, the question now is shall the bill
16 pass finally.

17 The Chief Clerk will please
18 call the roll.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
20 Blackwell.

21 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
23 Clarke.

24 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

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2 DiCicco.
3 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
5 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
7 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
9 Kenney.
10 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
12 Krajewski.
13 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
15 Mariano.
16 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
18 Miller.
19 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 Nutter.
22 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
24 O'Neill.
25 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.

3 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

5 Reynolds Brown.

6 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

8 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

10 Tasco.

11 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

13 Verna.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

15 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
16 majority of all members having voted in
17 the affirmative, this bill passes.

18 The next bill to be called for
19 consideration is Bill No. 050741.

20 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
21 amending Chapter 19-1500 of The
22 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Wage and Net
23 Profits Tax," by excluding from tax any
24 compensation paid to active duty military
25 personnel or to members of the National

1 12/1/05 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Guard who are called to active duty.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
4 bill having been read on two different
5 days, the question now is shall the bill
6 pass finally.

7 The Chief Clerk will please
8 call the roll.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
10 Blackwell.

11 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
13 Clarke.

14 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 DiCicco.

17 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

19 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

21 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
23 Kenney.

24 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

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2 Krajewski.
3 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
5 Mariano.
6 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
8 Miller.
9 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
11 Nutter.
12 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
14 O'Neill.
15 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
17 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
19 Reynolds Brown.
20 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
22 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
24 Tasco.
25 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
3 Verna.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
5 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
6 majority of all members having voted in
7 the affirmative, this bill passes.

8 The next bill to be called for
9 consideration is Bill No. 050745.

10 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
11 amending Chapter 19-200 of The
12 Philadelphia Code, entitled "City Funds -
13 Deposits, Investments, Disbursements," to
14 annually certify compliance with Section
15 17-104 and to provide the City with a
16 long-term strategic plan to address
17 disparities in its lending and investment
18 activities.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
20 bill having been read on two different
21 days, the question now is shall the bill
22 pass finally.

23 The Chief Clerk will please
24 call the roll.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

1 12/1/05 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 Blackwell.
3 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
5 Clarke.
6 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 DiCicco.
9 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
11 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
13 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
15 Kenney.
16 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
18 Krajewski.
19 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 Mariano.
22 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
24 Miller.
25 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
3 Nutter.
4 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
6 O'Neill.
7 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
9 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
11 Reynolds Brown.
12 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
14 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
16 Tasco.
17 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
19 Verna.
20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
21 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
22 majority of all members having voted in
23 the affirmative, this bill passes.
24 We will now consider Bill No.
25 050746.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
3 amending Chapter 19-200 of The
4 Philadelphia Code, entitled "City Funds -
5 Deposits, Investments, Disbursements," by
6 authorizing the City Treasurer to deposit
7 funds in Bank of America.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
9 bill having been read on two different
10 days, the question now is shall the bill
11 pass finally.

12 The Chief Clerk will please
13 call the roll.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
15 Blackwell.

16 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
18 Clarke.

19 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 DiCicco.

22 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

24 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

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2 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
4 Kenney.
5 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
7 Krajewski.
8 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
10 Mariano.
11 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
13 Miller.
14 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 Nutter.
17 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 O'Neill.
20 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
22 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
24 Reynolds Brown.
25 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

3 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

5 Tasco.

6 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

8 Verna.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

10 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
11 majority of all members having voted in
12 the affirmative, the bill passes.

13 The Clerk will please read the
14 title of Bill No. 050747.

15 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
16 amending Chapter 19-200 of The
17 Philadelphia Code by authorizing the City
18 Treasurer to deposit funds in Advance
19 Bank.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
21 bill having been read on two different
22 days, the question now is shall the bill
23 pass finally.

24 The Chief Clerk will please
25 call the roll.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
3 Blackwell.
4 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.
5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
6 Clarke.
7 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
9 DiCicco.
10 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
12 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
14 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 Kenney.
17 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
19 Krajewski.
20 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 Mariano.
23 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
25 Miller.

1 12/1/05 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
4 Nutter.
5 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
7 O'Neill.
8 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
10 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
12 Reynolds Brown.
13 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
15 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
17 Tasco.
18 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
20 Verna.
21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
22 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
23 majority of all members having voted in
24 the affirmative, this bill passes.
25 The Chief Clerk will please

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2 read the title of Bill No. 050829.

3 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
4 amending Chapter 19-200 of The
5 Philadelphia Code by authorizing the City
6 Treasurer to deposit funds in Wachovia
7 Bank.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
9 bill having been read on two different
10 days, the question now is shall the bill
11 pass finally.

12 The Chief Clerk will please
13 call the roll.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
15 Blackwell.

16 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
18 Clarke.

19 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 DiCicco.

22 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

24 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

1 12/1/05 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
4 Kenney.
5 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
7 Krajewski.
8 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
10 Mariano.
11 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
13 Miller.
14 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 Nutter.
17 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 O'Neill.
20 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
22 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
24 Reynolds Brown.
25 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

3 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

5 Tasco.

6 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

8 Verna.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

10 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
11 majority of all members having voted in
12 the affirmative, the bill passes.

13 The next bill to be called for
14 consideration is Bill No. 050830.

15 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
16 amending Chapter 19-200 of The
17 Philadelphia Code by authorizing the City
18 Treasurer to deposit funds in Republic
19 First Bank.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
21 bill having been read on two different
22 days, the question now is shall the bill
23 pass finally.

24 The Chief Clerk will please
25 call the roll.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
3 Blackwell.
4 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.
5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
6 Clarke.
7 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
9 DiCicco.
10 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
12 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
14 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 Kenney.
17 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
19 Krajewski.
20 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 Mariano.
23 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
25 Miller.

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2 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
4 Nutter.
5 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
7 O'Neill.
8 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
10 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
12 Reynolds Brown.
13 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
15 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
17 Tasco.
18 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
20 Verna.
21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
22 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
23 majority of all members having voted in
24 the affirmative, this bill passes.
25 We will now consider Resolution

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2 No. 040817. The Chief Clerk will please
3 read the title of the resolution.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Resolution
5 proposing an amendment to the
6 Philadelphia Home Rule Charter to provide
7 for the creation, appointment, powers and
8 duties of an independent Board of Ethics,
9 to provide for annual appropriations for
10 the Board of Ethics, and providing for
11 the submission of the amendment to the
12 electors of Philadelphia.

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
14 Chair recognizes Councilman Nutter for a
15 motion.

16 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Thank you,
17 Madam President.

18 Madam President, I move the
19 adoption of this resolution.

20 (Duly seconded.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
22 has been moved and seconded. Since
23 Resolution No. 040817 is a Charter change
24 to the Home Rule Charter, it requires a
25 two-thirds majority. At this time, I

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2 would ask the Chief Clerk to please call
3 the roll.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
5 Blackwell.
6 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 Clarke.
9 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
11 DiCicco.
12 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
14 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
16 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
18 Kenney.
19 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
21 Krajewski.
22 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
24 Mariano.
25 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

3 Miller.

4 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

6 Nutter.

7 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

9 O'Neill.

10 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.

12 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

14 Reynolds Brown.

15 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

17 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

19 Tasco.

20 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

22 Verna.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

24 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A

25 majority of all members having voted in

1 12/1/05 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
3 Clarke.
4 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
6 DiCicco.
7 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
9 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
11 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
13 Kenney.
14 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
16 Krajewski.
17 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 Mariano.
20 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Miller.
23 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 Nutter.

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2 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
4 O'Neill.
5 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
7 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
9 Reynolds Brown.
10 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
12 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
14 Tasco.
15 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
17 Verna.
18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
19 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
20 majority of all members having voted in
21 the affirmative, this bill passes.
22 The next bill to be called for
23 consideration is Bill No. 050014.
24 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
25 amending Chapter 20-1000 of The

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2 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Campaign
3 Contributions and Expenditures," by
4 requiring candidates for elective City
5 office, treasurers of political
6 committees and other persons to file
7 certain campaign finance reports with the
8 Board of Ethics, by requiring the Board
9 of Ethics to arrange for publication of
10 such information on the City's official
11 website in a searchable format, and by
12 making conforming changes to existing
13 provisions of Chapter 20-1000, all under
14 certain terms and conditions.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
16 bill having been read on two different
17 days, the question now is shall the bill
18 pass finally.

19 The Chief Clerk will please
20 call the roll.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Blackwell.

23 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 Clarke.

1 12/1/05 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
4 DiCicco.
5 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
7 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
9 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
11 Kenney.
12 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
14 Krajewski.
15 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
17 Mariano.
18 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
20 Miller.
21 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
23 Nutter.
24 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

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2 O'Neill.
3 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
5 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
7 Reynolds Brown.
8 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
10 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
12 Tasco.
13 COUNCILWOMAN TASC0: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
15 Verna.
16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
17 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
18 majority of all members having voted in
19 the affirmative, this bill passes.
20 We will now consider Bill No.
21 050613.
22 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
23 amending Title 17 of The Philadelphia
24 Code, entitled "Contracts and
25 Procurement," by prohibiting persons from

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2 receiving City financial assistance if
3 they or certain related parties have made
4 certain contributions to elected City
5 officers or candidates for City offices,
6 and requiring certain disclosures by
7 persons seeking financial assistance, all
8 under certain terms and conditions.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
10 bill having been read on two different
11 days, the question now is shall the bill
12 pass finally.

13 The Chief Clerk will please
14 call the roll.

15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
16 Blackwell.

17 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: No.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 Clarke.

20 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 DiCicco.

23 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

25 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
3 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
5 Kenney.
6 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
8 Krajewski.
9 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
11 Mariano.
12 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
14 Miller.
15 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
17 Nutter.
18 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
20 O'Neill.
21 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
23 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
25 Reynolds Brown.

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2 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

4 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

6 Tasco.

7 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

9 Verna.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

11 The ayes are 15, the nays are one. I'd
12 like the record to reflect that the nay
13 was registered by Councilwoman Blackwell.
14 Therefore, since the majority of the
15 members have voted in the affirmative,
16 the bill passes.

17 The Chief Clerk will please
18 read the title of Bill No. 051023.

19 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
20 amending Title 17 of The Philadelphia
21 Code, entitled "Contracts and
22 Procurement," by adding provisions
23 requiring certain disclosures by persons
24 seeking or awarded competitively bid
25 contracts or concessions, and prohibiting

1 12/1/05 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 persons from entering into such contracts
3 or concessions if they or certain related
4 parties have made certain contributions
5 to elected City officers or candidates
6 for City offices, all under certain terms
7 and conditions.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
9 bill having been read on two different
10 days, the question now is shall the bill
11 pass finally.

12 I see that, Councilwoman Brown,
13 your light is on.

14 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Yes.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Would
16 you like to be recognized?

17 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Yes, Madam
18 President. I do have a question on the
19 bill to the sponsor of the bill.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: I'm
21 sorry. I personally could not hear you.

22 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: I would
23 like the sponsor of the bill to address
24 an outstanding question I have on this
25 bill.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

3 Certainly.

4 Councilman Nutter, are you
5 agreeable to be interrogated?

6 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Absolutely,
7 Madam President.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
9 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Brown.

10 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Madam
11 President, the record should also reflect
12 that the sponsor of this bill and I have
13 had extended conversation and discussion,
14 and so I would like for him to again to
15 speak to the fact that the intent of this
16 bill as currently described, the
17 activities already take place in the
18 Procurement Department. This involves
19 sealed bids, and a process is currently
20 already in place.

21 So knowing that, please, if you
22 would, Sponsor of the Bill, speak again
23 to why we're voting on this measure.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 Chair recognizes Councilman Nutter.

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2 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Thank you,
3 Madam President. I appreciate the
4 question from my colleague. She is
5 absolutely correct that the procurement
6 process under the Home Rule Charter
7 governs how competitively bid contracts
8 are awarded. The purpose of this bill is
9 to provide consistency in the disclosure
10 requirements, as well as adherence to the
11 campaign contribution limits for anyone
12 seeking to participate in the
13 competitively bid contract process.

14 This bill does not in any way,
15 shape or form interfere with or disrupt
16 that process which is governed by the
17 Home Rule Charter. It would, though, put
18 everyone under the same rules and
19 regulations regardless of what type of
20 contract you are pursuing, whether
21 professional services or no-bid contracts
22 or competitively bid contracts. Everyone
23 would know that they had to fill out the
24 same forms, they had to adhere to the
25 same campaign contribution limits, as

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2 well as the requirements for disclosure.
3 That's the primary purpose of the bill.
4 It does not interfere with the
5 contracting process itself.

6 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: My only
7 follow-up question would be, of the
8 information you're seeking, those seeking
9 to do business with the City, aren't
10 those answers to those questions already
11 presented in other documents that they
12 have to complete?

13 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: There's no
14 requirement presently that anyone
15 disclose either campaign contributions or
16 consultants that they may utilize or
17 adhere to any limits presently.

18 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: So then,
19 finally, this would be an additional
20 piece of paperwork that would be required
21 by those who are seeking to do business
22 through the Procurement Department?

23 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: The
24 Procurement Department is required under
25 the non-competitively bid professional

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2 services contracts bill that we did
3 approve and the voters approved by
4 ballot, they are required to come up with
5 a form. I guess, as the Councilwoman
6 indicates, the applicants would have to
7 fill out one additional piece of
8 information, which I'm sure they are
9 quite well aware of, since people usually
10 do keep track of any contributions that
11 they make. They know what consultants
12 they've hired to assist them in the
13 process, and everyone certainly should be
14 made aware of what the contribution
15 limits are. I would not view that as any
16 additional burden. They are required to
17 fill out much more information just to
18 participate in the process.

19 So my expectation is is that it
20 would be a relatively simple procedure to
21 go through, just disclose who you made
22 the contributions to and what the amounts
23 are and whether you've hired a consultant
24 to assist you with securing that
25 particular contract.

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2 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Thank you,
3 Madam President. I thank the sponsor of
4 the bill.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
6 you.

7 The Chair recognizes
8 Councilwoman Tasco.

9 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
10 Madam President.

11 Madam President, I have concern
12 with this bill. I have discussed it with
13 the sponsor of the bill. The contracts
14 that go through the Procurement
15 Department are separate and above the
16 contracts that we just voted on in terms
17 of personal financial assistance, and I
18 probably have some problems with that. I
19 can understand the need to have a
20 disclosure on that issue.

21 The contractors under this bill
22 put some of the contractors at a
23 disadvantage over others. It also goes
24 to the subcontractors who have to submit
25 the same forms. All contractors do not

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2 submit subcontractors at the time they
3 make the bid. Only minority contractors
4 are disclosed at the time because of the
5 MBE requirement. So there's a
6 disadvantage there. It's not for
7 everyone. And I believe the process by
8 which contracts have been given out
9 through the City, we have not had any
10 problems with. There's been no question
11 about it. I don't even talk to the
12 Procurement Commissioner. I probably
13 don't even know him.

14 So I think that it creates an
15 undue burden on trying to get people to
16 bid with the City for us to get --
17 because I understand we have a problem
18 now getting people to bid with the City,
19 and unless we can find a way to make this
20 cover everybody, then I just think right
21 now it's not appropriate for us to pass
22 this bill.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
24 you.

25 This bill having been read on

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2 two different days, the question now is
3 shall the bill pass finally.
4 I would ask the Chief Clerk to
5 please call the roll.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
7 Blackwell.
8 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: No.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
10 Clarke.
11 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: No.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
13 DiCicco.
14 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
16 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Nay.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
18 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
20 Kenney.
21 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
23 Krajewski.
24 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

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2 Mariano.
3 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: No.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
5 Miller.
6 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: No.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 Nutter.
9 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
11 O'Neill.
12 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
14 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: No.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
16 Reynolds Brown.
17 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: No.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
19 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
21 Tasco.
22 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: No.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
24 Verna.
25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: The nays are
3 eight and the ayes are eight.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: So it
5 fails. Thank you. I think the record is
6 very clear. The vote was eight to eight.
7 The motion fails.

8 I would ask the Chief Clerk to
9 please read the title of Bill No. 051024.

10 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
11 amending Chapter 20-600 of The
12 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Standards of
13 Conduct and Ethics," by providing for the
14 powers and duties of the Board of Ethics
15 and the imposition of civil penalties,
16 and providing for the compensation of the
17 members of the Board of Ethics, all under
18 certain terms and conditions.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
20 bill having been read on two different
21 days, the question now is shall the bill
22 pass finally.

23 The Chief Clerk will please
24 call the roll.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

1 12/1/05 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 Blackwell.
3 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
5 Clarke.
6 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 DiCicco.
9 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
11 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
13 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
15 Kenney.
16 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
18 Krajewski.
19 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 Mariano.
22 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
24 Miller.
25 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
3 Nutter.
4 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
6 O'Neill.
7 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
9 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
11 Reynolds Brown.
12 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
14 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
16 Tasco.
17 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
19 Verna.
20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
21 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
22 majority of all members having voted in
23 the affirmative, the bill passes.
24 The Chief Clerk will please
25 read the title of Bill No. 050748.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
3 amending Title 6 of The Philadelphia Code
4 by adding Chapter 6-900 relating to mold
5 inspections; providing for licensing of
6 residential mold inspectors; and
7 requiring buyers of residential
8 properties to have a licensed mold
9 inspector conduct a comprehensive mold
10 inspection if a home inspection
11 identifies mold or water intrusion; all
12 under certain terms and conditions.

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
14 bill having been read on two different
15 days, the question now is shall the bill
16 pass finally.

17 The Chief Clerk will please
18 call the roll.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
20 Blackwell.

21 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
23 Clarke.

24 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

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2 DiCicco.
3 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
5 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
7 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
9 Kenney.
10 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
12 Krajewski.
13 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
15 Mariano.
16 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
18 Miller.
19 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 Nutter.
22 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
24 O'Neill.
25 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

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2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.

3 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

5 Reynolds Brown.

6 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

8 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

10 Tasco.

11 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

12 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

13 Verna.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

15 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
16 majority of all members having voted in
17 the affirmative, the bill passes. And
18 the last bill to be called for
19 consideration is Bill No. 050202.

20 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
21 amending Section 17-109 of The
22 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Local
23 Bidding Preferences," by amending the
24 terms and conditions under which a
25 business entity may be certified or

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2 continue to be certified as a local
3 business entity entitled to a bidding
4 preference on City contracts.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
6 bill having been read on two different
7 days, the question now is shall the bill
8 pass finally.

9 The Chief Clerk will please
10 call the roll.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
12 Blackwell.

13 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
15 Clarke.

16 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
18 DiCicco.

19 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

21 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.

23 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 Kenney.

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2 COUNCILMAN KENNEY: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
4 Krajewski.
5 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
7 Mariano.
8 COUNCILMAN MARIANO: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
10 Miller.
11 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
13 Nutter.
14 COUNCILMAN NUTTER: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
16 O'Neill.
17 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Ramos.
19 COUNCILMAN RAMOS: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
21 Reynolds Brown.
22 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
24 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

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2 Tasco.

3 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
5 Verna.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

7 The ayes are 16, the nays are zero. A
8 majority of all members having voted in
9 the affirmative, the bill passes.

10 We will now take up the
11 consideration of applications for
12 take-out beer permits under Act 39. As
13 previously announced, Council held an
14 Executive Session to conduct
15 deliberations on these applications.

16 At this time, the Chair
17 recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

18 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
19 you, Madam President. On your behalf, I
20 offer five resolutions.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
22 you.

23 The Chief Clerk will please
24 read the title.

25 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution

1 12/1/05 - STATED - ACT 39 APPLICATIONS
2 accepting the Hearing Examiner's
3 recommendation and disapproving the
4 following application for a permit to
5 sell malt and brewed beverages for
6 consumption off premises: 1606 Murdoch
7 Inc., 2224 North 29th Street.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
9 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell
10 for a motion.

11 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
12 you, Madam President. I move for the
13 adoption.

14 (Duly seconded.)

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
16 has been moved and seconded that the
17 resolution be adopted.

18 All in favor will please say
19 aye.

20 (Aye.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
22 opposed?

23 (No response.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 ayes have it and the resolution is

1 12/1/05 - STATED - ACT 39 APPLICATIONS
2 adopted.

3 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
4 accepting the Hearing Examiner's
5 recommendation and disapproving the
6 following application for a permit to
7 sell malt and brewed beverages --

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:
9 Excuse me. I'm sorry. On that last
10 vote, I would like the record to reflect
11 that Councilman Clarke recused himself.

12 The Chief Clerk will please
13 read the title of the next resolution.

14 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
15 accepting the Hearing Examiner's
16 recommendation and disapproving the
17 following application for a permit to
18 sell malt and brewed beverages for
19 consumption off premises: Rick & Cruzies
20 Bar, 1444 Frankford Avenue.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
22 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

23 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
24 you, Madam President. I move for the
25 adoption of the resolution.

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2 (Duly seconded.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
4 has been moved and seconded that the
5 resolution be adopted.

6 All in favor will say aye.

7 (Aye.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
9 opposed?

10 (No response.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 ayes have it and the resolution is
13 adopted, and, again, the record will
14 reflect that Councilman Clarke recused
15 himself.

16 The Chief Clerk will please
17 read the next resolution.

18 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
19 accepting the recommendation of the
20 Hearing Examiner and approving, with
21 conditions, the following application for
22 a permit to sell malt and brewed
23 beverages for consumption off premises:
24 624 Atenas Corporation, 624 West
25 Cumberland Street.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

4 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
5 you, Madam President. I move for the
6 adoption of the resolution.

7 (Duly seconded.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
9 has been moved and seconded that the
10 resolution be adopted.

11 All in favor will say aye.

12 (Aye.)

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
14 opposed?

15 (No response.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 ayes have it, the resolution is adopted,
18 and the record again will reflect that
19 Councilman Clarke recused himself.

20 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
21 accepting the recommendation of the
22 Hearing Examiner and approving, with
23 conditions, the following application for
24 a permit to sell malt and brewed
25 beverages for consumption off premises:

1 12/1/05 - STATED - ACT 39 APPLICATIONS
2 2358 Seng Enterprises, 2358 North 15th
3 Street.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
5 you.

6 The Chair recognizes
7 Councilwoman Blackwell.

8 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
9 you, Madam President. I move for the
10 adoption of the resolution.

11 (Duly seconded.)

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
13 has been moved and seconded that the
14 resolution be adopted.

15 All in favor will say aye.

16 (Aye.)

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
18 opposed?

19 (No response.)

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
21 ayes have it, the resolution is adopted,
22 and, again, the record will reflect that
23 Councilman Clarke recused himself.

24 The Chief Clerk will please
25 read the title of the next resolution.

1 12/1/05 - STATED - ACT 39 APPLICATIONS

2 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
3 accepting the recommendation of the
4 Hearing Examiner and approving, with
5 conditions, the following application for
6 a permit to sell malt and brewed
7 beverages for consumption off premises:
8 Tritune Inc., 1508 to 10 South Street.

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
10 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Blackwell.

11 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank
12 you, Madam President. I move for the
13 adoption of the resolution.

14 (Duly seconded.)

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
16 has been moved and properly seconded that
17 the resolution be adopted.

18 All in favor will please say
19 aye.

20 (Aye.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
22 opposed?

23 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Nay.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 record will reflect that Councilman Goode

1 12/1/05 - STATED - ADJOURNMENT
2 voted nay, all other Councilmembers voted
3 in the affirmative, and Council President
4 Verna has recused herself.

5 That concludes our business for
6 today. Are there speeches on the part of
7 the Minority?

8 (No response.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Are
10 there speeches on the part of the
11 Majority?

12 (No response.)

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:
14 Seeing none, the Chair recognizes
15 Councilwoman Tasco for a motion to
16 adjourn.

17 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Madam
18 Chair, I move that Council stand
19 adjourned until Thursday, December the
20 8th at 10:00 a.m., 2005.

21 (Duly seconded.)

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
23 has been moved and seconded that Council
24 stand adjourned.

25 All in favor will indicate by

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2 saying aye.

3 (Aye.)

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT Verna: Those
5 opposed?

6 (No response.)

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT Verna: The
8 ayes have it, and Council will stand
9 adjourned until Thursday, December 8th at
10 10:00 a.m.

11 Thank you very much.

12 (Stated Meeting adjourned at
13 11:50 a.m.)

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