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COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA
COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Room 400, City Hall
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Wednesday, June 14, 2017
1:25 p.m.

PRESENT:

COUNCILWOMAN MARIA D. QUINONES-SANCHEZ, CHAIR
COUNCILWOMAN JANNIE L. BLACKWELL
COUNCILMAN WILLIAM K. GREENLEE
COUNCILWOMAN HELEN GYM
COUNCILMAN KENYATTA JOHNSON
COUNCILMAN CURTIS JONES, JR.
COUNCILMAN BRIAN J. O'NEILL
COUNCILWOMAN CHERELLE L. PARKER

BILL 170558 - An ordinance amending Bill No.
170195 (approved in June of 2017), entitled
"An ordinance to adopt a Capital Program for
the six Fiscal Years 2018-2023 inclusive," by
adding, revising, and/or removing certain
projects, amounts and sources...

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2 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: The
3 Committee on Appropriations will now come
4 to order. Having established a quorum,
5 to my right, Vice Chair Councilman
6 Kenyatta Johnson. To my left,
7 Councilwoman Cherelle Parker,
8 Councilwoman Jannie Blackwell, Councilman
9 Henon, and Councilman Greenlee.

10 Having established a quorum --
11 oh, Councilman O'Neill.

12 Having established a quorum,
13 will the Clerk read the title of the
14 bill.

15 THE CLERK: Bill No. 170558, an
16 ordinance amending Bill No. 170195
17 (approved in June of 2017), entitled "An
18 ordinance to adopt a Capital Program for
19 the six Fiscal Years 2018 through 2023
20 inclusive," by adding, revising, and/or
21 removing certain projects, amounts and
22 sources, under certain terms and
23 conditions.

24 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: The
25 Chair recognizes Councilman Curtis Jones

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2 has also joined us.

3 We are waiting for Finance
4 Director Rob Dubow to join us. There is
5 a written statement by him, so we're
6 going to wait for him in case there's any
7 questions.

8 (Pause.)

9 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: The
10 Committee on Appropriations will come
11 back to order. I'm going to make our
12 Finance Director, Rob Dubow, run to the
13 panel desk.

14 (Witnesses approached witness
15 table.)

16 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: You may
17 proceed.

18 MR. DUBOW: Thank you. Good
19 afternoon, Councilwoman Sanchez and
20 members of the Appropriations Committee.
21 My name is Rob Dubow. I'm Director of
22 Finance. I'm here today to testify in
23 support of Bill No. 170558, which was
24 introduced on May 25th, 2017.

25 I'm joined at the table by

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2 Peilin Chen, who is the Director of
3 Capital Budget.

4 The amendment shifts \$5 million
5 in general obligation dollars originally
6 programmed for Fiscal Year 2020 to Fiscal
7 Year 2019 within the Police Department's
8 capital budget and program, and we
9 support this change.

10 This concludes my testimony.
11 I'm happy to answer any questions you may
12 have.

13 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Does
14 anyone from the panel have a question?

15 (No response.)

16 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Seeing
17 none, anyone here to testify on Bill
18 170558?

19 (No response.)

20 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Seeing
21 none, this concludes the public hearing.
22 The Committee on Appropriations will now
23 go into its public meeting.

24 The Chair will recognize the
25 Vice Chair, Councilman Kenyatta Johnson,

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2 for a motion.

3 COUNCILMAN JOHNSON: Thank you,
4 Madam Chairwoman. I move that Bill No.
5 170558 be reported from this Committee
6 with a favorable recommendation and
7 further move that the rules of Council be
8 suspended to permit first reading of this
9 bill at the next session of Council.

10 (Duly seconded.)

11 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: All
12 those in favor?

13 (Aye.)

14 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Any
15 opposition?

16 (No response.)

17 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Seeing
18 none, it is moved and properly seconded
19 that Bill 170558 be reported from this
20 Committee with a favorable recommendation
21 and further moved that the rules of
22 Council be suspended as to permit first
23 reading at our next Council session.

24 All those in favor say aye.

25 (Aye.)

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2 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: This

3 concludes our Appropriations meeting.

4 Thank you.

5 (Committee on Appropriations

6 concluded at 1:30 p.m.)

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the
proceedings, evidence and objections are
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foregoing matter, and that this is a true and
correct transcript of same.

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