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COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA

STATED MEETING

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Room 400, City Hall
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
Thursday, June 5, 2008
10:00 a.m.

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PRESENT:

COUNCIL PRESIDENT ANNA C. VERNA
COUNCILWOMAN JANNIE BLACKWELL
COUNCILMAN DARRELL L. CLARKE
COUNCILMAN FRANK DiCICCO
COUNCILMAN W. WILSON GOODE, JR.
COUNCILMAN BILL GREEN
COUNCILMAN WILLIAM GREENLEE
COUNCILMAN CURTIS JONES, JR.
COUNCILMAN JACK KELLY
COUNCILWOMAN JOAN L. KRAJEWSKI
COUNCILMAN BRIAN J. O'NEILL
COUNCILWOMAN MARIA QUINONES-SANCHEZ
COUNCILWOMAN DONNA REED MILLER
COUNCILWOMAN BLONDELL REYNOLDS BROWN
COUNCILMAN FRANK RIZZO
COUNCILWOMAN MARIAN B. TASCO

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COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Good morning. I note that the hour has come and that a quorum of this Council is present.

Council will please come to order. Members will take their seats and visitors will retire to the seats outside the rails.

To give our invocation this morning, the Chair welcomes Reverend Kevin Johnson. He is the Pastor of the Bright Hope Baptist Church. He is here today as the guest of Councilwoman Brown.

I would ask all members and guests to please rise.

(Members and guests rise.)

REVEREND JOHNSON: Thank you, President Verna and to Councilwoman Brown and also my good member, Councilwoman Tasco.

Shall we pray.

Creator, we pause this morning to give you thanks for this day and for this opportunity to continue to serve you

1 6/5/08 - STATED - APPROVAL OF JOURNAL
2 founding fathers and mothers have called
3 us to be.

4 For I hear the words of
5 Langston Hughes saying, "I too sing
6 America. Bless Philadelphia, bless
7 Pennsylvania and bless the United States
8 of America."

9 Amen.

10 (Amen.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
12 Chair thanks Reverend Johnson for his
13 inspiring invocation.

14 Council will be at ease.

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 May 22, 2008, and the Chair recognizes
20 Councilwoman Tasco.

21 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
22 Madam President. I move that the Journal
23 of the meeting of Thursday, May 22nd
24 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 May 22, 2008 stand approved.

6 All in favor will indicate by
7 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 May 22nd is approved.

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

19 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
20 Madam President. On behalf of the
21 majority, a leave of absence is requested
22 for Councilmember James Kenney.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
24 you. Leave will be granted.

25 The Chair recognizes Councilman

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2 Rizzo.

3 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Madam
4 President, there are no requests for
5 leave of absence from the republicans.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
7 Chair thanks the gentleman.

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

18 At this time, the Chair
19 recognizes Councilwoman Brown, who will
20 present a resolution urging the United
21 States Postal Service to adopt and
22 recognize Wilt Chamberlain on a
23 commemorative postage stamp.

24 Will Mrs. Selina Gross, sister
25 of Wilt Chamberlain, and those

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2 accompanying her please join the
3 Councilwoman at the podium.

4 I see that Councilman Greenlee
5 and Councilman Jones are being joined by
6 Councilwoman Brown.

7 Please approach the podium.
8 Come up to the podium, please. You can
9 stand directly behind the Councilwoman,
10 please.

11 The Chair recognizes
12 Councilwoman Brown.

13 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Thank you,
14 Madam President.

15 To all of us who have had a
16 chance to be in the ring, but to most of
17 us like me who have enjoyed basketball
18 outside of the ring, in the stands, in
19 the bleachers, it is my enormous pleasure
20 to celebrate and lift up one of
21 Philadelphia's own heroes who made a
22 difference for our city.

23 Urging the United States Postal
24 Service and Citizens' Stamp Advisory to
25 adopt and recognize Philadelphia legend

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2 Wilt Chamberlain on a commemorative
3 United States postage stamp.

4 Whereas, Wilton Norman "Wilt"
5 Chamberlain was born August 21, 1936 in
6 Philadelphia, marking the beginning of a
7 historic athletic career in track and
8 field and basketball while attending
9 Overbrook High School; and

10 Whereas, after an outstanding
11 career at Overbrook receiving numerous
12 track and field medals, winning the
13 public basketball championship on several
14 occasions, and becoming one of the
15 all-time leading scorers in high school
16 basketball, he then matriculated to
17 University of Kansas to continue his
18 athletic pursuits; and

19 COUNCILMAN JONES: Whereas, at
20 Kansas he became a member of Kappa Alpha
21 Psi Fraternity, led them to a Big Seven
22 championship, was elected Most
23 Outstanding Player for the Final Four and
24 First Team All-American at the age of 21
25 years old. He had already been featured

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2 in Time, Life and Newsweek before he
3 turned a professional; and

4 Whereas, "Wilt the Stilt" was
5 an American professional National
6 Basketball Association, NBA, basketball
7 player from 1959 to 1973 for the San
8 Francisco Warriors, the Philadelphia
9 76ers and the Los Angeles Lakers and the
10 Harlem Globetrotters; and

11 Whereas, Chamberlain holds
12 numerous official NBA all time records as
13 the only player to average more than 40
14 and 50 points in a season or score 100
15 points in a single NBA game; and

16 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Whereas,
17 winning seven scoring titles, nine field
18 goal percentage titles, 11 field goal
19 percentage titles, two NBA titles, four
20 regular season Most Valuable Player
21 awards, one NBA finals MVP award and
22 being selected to 13 All-Star Games and
23 ten all NBA first and second teams; and

24 Whereas, Wilt Chamberlain is
25 widely considered one of the greatest and

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2 most dominant players in the history of
3 the NBA whose credentials match or exceed
4 other sports legends with their own
5 stamps; and

6 Whereas, it is the intent that
7 from this resolution, Philadelphia will
8 have undoubtedly acknowledged the
9 achievements and contributions of Wilt
10 Chamberlain.

11 Now therefore, let it be

12 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Resolved
13 by the City Council of Philadelphia, that
14 we hereby urge the United States Postal
15 Service and Citizens' Stamp Advisory to
16 adopt and recognize our Philadelphia
17 legend, Wilt Chamberlain, on a
18 commemorative United States postage
19 stamp.

20 Further resolved, that an
21 engrossed copy of this resolution be
22 presented to the family of Wilt
23 Chamberlain and Mr. Donald Hunt as
24 evidence of the sincere sentiments of
25 this legislative body.

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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 17th of April
6 2008.

7 Introduced by Councilmembers
8 Reynolds Brown, Greenlee and Curtis Jones
9 and sponsored by all of the members of
10 the Philadelphia City Council.

11 Congratulations to the Wilt
12 Chamberlain family.

13 (Applause.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
15 Chair recognizes Mrs. Gross for remarks.

16 MS. GROSS: Good morning. It
17 gives me great pleasure to be here to
18 accept this citation on behalf of the
19 City of Philadelphia. I'm sure if my
20 brother was here, he would be very proud
21 that you have took the time to notice his
22 achievements.

23 Thank you and God bless you
24 all. Thank you.

25 (Applause.)

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: I
3 would really be remiss if I did not
4 recognize someone who is in the crowd
5 before us today, someone we all know and
6 we know of all the wonderful work that he
7 does, and that is Mr. Sonny Hill.

8 Sonny.

9 MR. HILL: Thank you, everyone.
10 This is a very honored day and we should
11 be doing more things like this. We
12 should be recognizing our past. We
13 should be recognizing our history. And
14 if we did that, we would have a better
15 situation in the society that we live in
16 today.

17 If you know anything about me,
18 you know it's about making a difference.
19 And if we continue to do things along
20 this line, our young people who are
21 growing up will recognize their past,
22 they'll recognize the history and they'll
23 recognize the fact that the "Dipper," the
24 "Dipper" was the greatest to ever play
25 the game of basketball.

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2 (Applause.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

4 Sonny, thank you for all the wonderful
5 work you do. We really appreciate it.

6 Council will be at ease.

7 (Council at ease.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
9 Chair now recognizes Councilwoman Tasco,
10 who will present a resolution honoring
11 Dean Robert J. Reinstein.

12 Will the Dean and those
13 accompanying him please join the
14 Councilwoman at the podium.

15 Is the Dean here?

16 The Chair recognizes
17 Councilwoman Tasco.

18 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
19 Madam President. This morning we are
20 honored to present this resolution
21 honoring Temple University, Beasley
22 School of Law, Dean Robert J. Reinstein
23 on his retirement.

24 Whereas, the Council of the
25 City of Philadelphia is pleased to

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2 recognize and honor Temple University,
3 Beasley School of Law, Dean Robert J.
4 Reinstein on his retirement after his
5 nearly 20 years of outstanding service
6 and dedication to the law school and to
7 the legal community; and

8 Whereas, in July 1989, then
9 University counsel and law professor
10 Robert J. Reinstein began his tenure as a
11 Temple University Vice-President, Dean
12 and Professor of Law of the James E.
13 Beasley School of Law; and

14 Whereas, as the University
15 Vice-President, his primary
16 responsibility was to oversee Temple's
17 international programs in Japan and Rome;
18 and

19 Whereas, as the Dean of Beasley
20 School of Law, he was responsible for
21 administering a law school with 62
22 full-time and 125 part-time faculty and
23 about 1,250 Juris Doctor and Master of
24 Law students; and

25 Whereas, in addition to this,

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2 during Dean Reinstein's tenure, he was
3 responsible for many major
4 accomplishments at the law school, such
5 as a significant increase to the
6 endowment, many new faculty members,
7 increasing the academic credentials of
8 the entering classes, expanding and
9 modernizing the facilities, and
10 establishing many new academic programs;
11 and

12 Whereas, Dean Reinstein has
13 earned many honors and awards for his
14 work. In 2002, he was the recipient of
15 the National Friendship Award presented
16 by the Prime Minister of China. In
17 addition, an endowed scholarship was
18 created in his name in 1999 to
19 commemorate his first ten years as Dean
20 at Temple Law School. In 1996, he was
21 awarded the National Urban League Whitney
22 Young Award. He also received the
23 American ORT Community Achievement Award
24 in 1994 and an Honorary Doctor of Laws
25 Degree from Elizabethtown College; and

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2 Whereas, Dean Reinstein earned
3 his Bachelor of Science Degree with
4 distinction from Cornell University in
5 1965 and his law degree cum laude
6 Howard -- I'm sorry; Harvard University
7 School of Law in 1968. He is a member of
8 the Maryland and Pennsylvania Bar
9 Associations; and

10 Whereas, Dean Reinstein is a
11 renowned scholar in the area of
12 Constitutional Law and Civil Rights, he
13 has published many articles and has
14 represented the NAACP and others in this
15 area with noteworthy results.

16 Now, therefore, resolved by the
17 Council of the City of Philadelphia, that
18 we recognize and honor Temple University
19 Beasley, School of Law, Dean Robert J.
20 Reinstein for his nearly 20 years of
21 outstanding service and dedication to the
22 law school and the legal community.

23 Further resolved, that an
24 engrossed copy of this resolution be
25 presented to Temple University, Beasley

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2 School of Law, Dean Robert J. Reinstein
3 as evidence of the sincere sentiment of
4 this legislative body.

5 Certification that this is a
6 true and correct copy of the original
7 resolution, adopted by the Council of the
8 City of Philadelphia on the 10th of April
9 2008 and supported by all members of City
10 Council.

11 Congratulations and thank you.
12 (Applause.)

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
14 Chair recognizes Dean Reinstein for
15 remarks.

16 DEAN REINSTEIN: Thank you very
17 much. This is a great honor. I have
18 tremendous admiration for the City
19 Council. So this really is a special
20 honor.

21 I also think that Temple
22 University and the City are so closely
23 intertwined that however Temple gets
24 better, it helps the City and however the
25 City gets better, it helps Temple.

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2 I'm also honored to be joined
3 on the podium, of course, by Councilwoman
4 Tasco and I thank her for sponsoring the
5 resolution, but I'm also honored to be
6 joined by members of the Temple Law
7 Alumni Association and a group of judges
8 who are graduates of our law school.

9 Thank you very much.

10 (Applause.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

12 Council will be at ease.

13 (Council at ease.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
15 Chair now recognizes Councilwoman Tasco,
16 who will present a resolution declaring
17 June 6, 2008 as "Safe Night Philadelphia
18 Day."

19 Will Ms. Claudia Averette and
20 those accompanying her please join the
21 Councilwoman at the podium.

22 The Chair recognizes
23 Councilwoman Tasco.

24 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
25 Madam President.

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2 Today we declare June the 6th,
3 2008 as "Safe Night Philadelphia Day."

4 Whereas, Safe Night
5 Philadelphia is a citywide effort to
6 address the issue of youth safety by
7 training students and community-based
8 organizations on how to deal with
9 conflict and anger; and

10 Whereas, Safe Night
11 Philadelphia was developed from Safe
12 Night USA, a program that reaches and
13 encourages people across the country to
14 hold "safe nights" for young people and a
15 "safe night" is an event planned by young
16 people and adults, which integrates fun
17 and lessons in conflict resolution,
18 leadership development and anger
19 management; and

20 Whereas, Safe Night USA
21 originated in the wake of the tragedy at
22 Columbine High School and was adopted by
23 Milwaukee, Wisconsin in the mid 1990s as
24 a response to rising youth homicide
25 rates; and

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2 Whereas, Chief of Staff Claudia
3 Averette and Dr. Victoria Yancey brought
4 Safe Night to Philadelphia and continue
5 the success of Safe Night Philadelphia by
6 having this event hosted by the School
7 District of Philadelphia in partnership
8 with the City; and

9 Whereas, Safe Night
10 Philadelphia events will be held in over
11 500 businesses, community organizations,
12 schools, public and private institutions,
13 and agencies and other participating
14 sites throughout Philadelphia from 3:30
15 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Friday, June 6, 2008
16 by providing activities for youth that
17 incorporate conflict resolution, anger
18 management and leadership skills with fun
19 activities.

20 Now, therefore, be it resolved,
21 by the Council of the City of
22 Philadelphia, that we hereby declare June
23 6, 2008 as "Safe Night Day" and salute
24 Chief of Staff Claudia Averette and
25 Dr. Victoria Yancey for bringing this

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2 program to Philadelphia.

3 Further resolved, that an
4 engrossed copy of this resolution be
5 presented to representatives of Safe
6 Night Philadelphia as an expression of
7 the sincere sentiments of this
8 legislative body.

9 Certification that this is a
10 true and correct copy of the original
11 resolution, adopted by the Council of the
12 City of Philadelphia on the 10th of April
13 2008 and is supported by all members of
14 City Council.

15 We thank you and thank you for
16 your hard work.

17 (Applause.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT Verna: The
19 Chair recognizes Ms. Averette for
20 remarks.

21 MS. AVERETTE: Good morning.

22 (Good morning.)

23 MS. AVERETTE: Thank you on
24 behalf of the School District of
25 Philadelphia and the School Reform

16 (Applause.)

17 MS. AVERETTE: We can tell you,
18 we have tracked for the past four years
19 that there has been no victims or
20 perpetrators in the ages of school age
21 between the hours of 3:30 and 5:30 when
22 children are engaged in a structured,
23 safe environment. It is about joy and
24 enjoying their lives, and no negativity
25 comes into that environment. What a city

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2 opening their minds to keeping the
3 students of Philadelphia safe.

4 I thank Councilwoman Marian
5 Tasco, who has been with us since day
6 one, along with Councilwoman Reynolds
7 Brown, leading the charge for Safe Night
8 Philadelphia.

9 Councilwoman, thank you. Thank
10 you, both. Thank you.

11 (Applause.)

12 DR. YANCEY: Been with us over
13 the past four years.

14 I thank all of the members of
15 the Safe Night Philadelphia Committee,
16 who did the hard work of meeting with me
17 every month, every other week and
18 planning the over 800 events for
19 students. I thank you all.

20 I thank the Councilmembers for
21 making it not only a safe night, but for
22 making it a Safe Night Philadelphia Day.
23 No students arrested, no students
24 hospitalized, no students killed because
25 of Safe Night Philadelphia.

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2 Thank you.

3 (Applause.)

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

5 Council will be at ease.

6 (Council at ease.)

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: At

8 this time, the Chair recognizes

9 Councilman Jones.

10 COUNCILMAN JONES: Thank you,

11 Madam President. I'd like to introduce

12 to some and reacquaint to others a native

13 son. It is my pleasure to present the

14 good Dr. Perry Johnson, a native

15 Philadelphian. Dr. Johnson has served on

16 the airwaves and radio. I've tapped my

17 feet and nodded my head to his music in

18 blue lights in the basement, and I wanted

19 to recognize him for his achievements.

20 He's an author and is also now a real

21 doctor in psychology, and he's here today

22 and I'd like to recognize him.

23 (Applause.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Did

25 you want a photo op, Councilman?

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2 COUNCILMAN JONES: Yes. We'd
3 like one.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: All
5 right.

6 Doctor, would you and whoever
7 is with you please approach the podium so
8 that we can take a photograph.

9 DR. JOHNSON: Thank you, Madam
10 President.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
12 you.

13 (Pause.)

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
15 next order of business is communications.
16 The Chair requests that the
17 Sergeant-At-Arms deliver the messages to
18 the Chief Clerk.

19 The Chief Clerk will please
20 read the messages from the Mayor.

21 CHIEF CLERK: To the President
22 and members of the Council of the City of
23 Philadelphia, I am pleased to advise you
24 that on May 22, 2008 and June 4, 2008, I
25 signed all of the bills that were passed

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2 by Council at its session on May 22,
3 2008; and

4 I am transmitting herewith for
5 the consideration of your honorable body
6 a resolution approving the Annual Program
7 Statement and Budget for the expenditure
8 of the Neighborhood Transformation
9 Initiative Bond Proceeds for Fiscal Year
10 2009; and

11 A resolution confirming the
12 appointment of Melissa Kim to the Malt
13 and Brewed Beverage Hearing Board; and

14 A resolution confirming the
15 appointment of Gilbert Rowe to the Malt
16 and Brewed Beverage Hearing Board; and

17 An ordinance authorizing the
18 revision of lines and grades on a portion
19 of City Plan No. 163 by relocating the
20 southwesterly houseline and curbline of
21 Ridge Avenue near Calumet Street; and

22 An ordinance authorizing the
23 creation of a loan or loans to provide
24 funds for and toward various capital
25 municipal purposes; authorizing the

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2 Mayor, City Controller and City Solicitor
3 or a majority of them to sell bonds at a
4 public or private negotiated sale; and

5 An ordinance authorizing the
6 Commissioner of Public Property and the
7 Executive Director of Fairmount Park to
8 enter into an air rights license
9 agreement with Main Street Partners to
10 construct a deck over a certain portion
11 of Manayunk Canal Towpath at 2 Rector
12 Street; and

13 An ordinance authorizing the
14 Commissioner of Public Property, on
15 behalf of the City of Philadelphia, to
16 lease from the School District of
17 Philadelphia certain property located in
18 the vicinity of Byberry and Academy Roads
19 for further sublease to the Academy
20 Sports Association.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
22 you. The messages will be printed in the
23 Journal.

24 I would ask the Chief Clerk to
25 please read any other communications in

1 6/5/08 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 her possession.

3 CHIEF CLERK: That's all I

4 have, Madam President.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

6 you.

7 The next order of business is

8 the introduction of bills and

9 resolutions, and the Chair recognizes

10 Councilwoman Blackwell.

11 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Thank

12 you, Madam President. Today I introduce

13 one bill and one resolution.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

15 you.

16 The Chief Clerk will please

17 read the title of the bill.

18 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

19 providing for the submission to the

20 qualified electors of the City of

21 Philadelphia of an amendment to Section

22 7-400 of the Philadelphia Home Rule

23 Charter to set forth in a Council

24 Resolution prohibiting the Civil Service

25 Commission from imposing any fee to apply

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2 for employment with the City; fixing the
3 date for a special election for such
4 purpose.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
6 you. The bill will be referred to the
7 appropriate committee.

8 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
9 proposing an amendment to Section 7-400
10 of the Philadelphia Home Rule Charter,
11 relating to the preparation of Civil
12 Service Regulations, by prohibiting the
13 Civil Service Commission from imposing
14 any fee to apply for employment with the
15 City.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
17 resolution will be referred to the
18 appropriate committee, and the Chair
19 recognizes Councilman Greenlee.

20 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Thank
21 you, Madam President. On behalf of
22 Councilman Kenney and together with
23 Councilman O'Neill, I offer one
24 resolution.

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank

1 6/5/08 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 you.

3 The Chief Clerk will please
4 read the title.

5 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
6 recognizing and congratulating Saint
7 Joseph's Preparatory School's Baseball
8 Team on the occasion of winning the 2008
9 Catholic League Baseball Title.

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 Chair recognizes Councilman Greenlee.

12 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: I move
13 the 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 indicate by
19 saying 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 6/5/08 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 committee.

3 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
4 approving the Annual Program Statement
5 and Budget for the expenditure of the
6 Neighborhood Transformation Initiative
7 Bond Proceeds for Fiscal Year 2009.

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
9 bill will also be referred to the
10 appropriate committee.

11 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
12 confirming the appointment of Melissa Kim
13 to the Malt and Brewed Beverage Hearing
14 Board.

15 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
16 will be referred to the appropriate
17 committee.

18 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
19 confirming the appointment of Gilbert
20 Rowe to the Malt and Brewed Beverage
21 Hearing Board.

22 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
23 resolution will also be referred to the
24 appropriate committee.

25 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution

1 6/5/08 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 authorizing the Council Committee on
3 Finance to hold hearings regarding the
4 creation of the Philadelphia Film Tax
5 Credit.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
7 Chair recognizes Councilwoman Tasco.

8 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: I move for
9 the adoption of the resolution.

10 (Duly seconded.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
12 has been moved and properly seconded that
13 the 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 appropriate committee.

22 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
23 honoring the life of Anne d'Harnoncourt.

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
25 Chair again recognizes Councilwoman

1 6/5/08 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 Tasco.

3 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Madam
4 President, I move for the adoption of the
5 resolution and I'd like to speak on the
6 resolution.

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
8 you.

9 Councilwoman Brown, your light
10 is on. Did you want to be recognized?

11 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Yes, Madam
12 President. On the resolution honoring
13 the leadership of Anne d'Harnoncourt, I'd
14 like for us, if we could, to stand in a
15 moment of silence on her behalf.

16 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: It's my
17 resolution.

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: At
19 the appropriate time. At the appropriate
20 time, we will do that.

21 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Thank you,
22 Madam President.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
24 you.

25 Councilwoman Tasco.

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2 said, could we please stand and have a
3 moment of silence.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: I
5 think a motion was made. It has to be
6 seconded.

7 (Duly seconded.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: All
9 those standing will be voting in favor of
10 the passage of the resolution.

11 (All Councilmembers standing.)

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: I ask
13 that we have just a moment of silent
14 prayer.

15 (Moment of silence.)

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
17 resolution is adopted.

18 The Chair recognizes
19 Councilwoman Miller.

20 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Thank
21 you, Madam President. Today I offer two
22 resolutions.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
24 you.

25 The Chief Clerk will please

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2 read the title of the first resolution.

3 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
4 proclaiming June 18, 2008 as
5 "Philadelphia CPR Training Day."

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:
7 Again, the Chair recognizes Councilwoman
8 Miller.

9 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: I move
10 for the adoption of the 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 say 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 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
24 authorizing the Commissioner of Public
25 Property to execute and deliver to the

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2 Redevelopment Authority, the City of
3 Philadelphia, deeds located in the 17th
4 Ward of the City of Philadelphia.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:

6 Again, the Chair recognizes Councilwoman
7 Miller.

8 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: I move
9 for the adoption of the resolution.

10 (Duly seconded.)

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
12 has been moved and properly seconded that
13 the 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 is
21 adopted.

22 The Chair recognizes
23 Councilwoman Sanchez.

24 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Thank
25 you, Madam President. I offer one

1 6/5/08 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS

2 resolution.

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
4 you.

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

7 CHIEF CLERK: A resolution
8 recognizing and honoring the week of June
9 6th through June 14th as Philippine
10 Independence Week.

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

13 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: I move
14 for the 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 say 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

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2 committee.

3 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
4 authorizing the Commissioner of Public
5 Property and the Executive Director of
6 Fairmount Park to enter into an air
7 rights license agreement with Main Street
8 Partners allowing Main Street Properties
9 to construct a deck over a certain
10 portion of the Manayunk Canal Towpath at
11 2 Rector Street.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
13 bill will be referred to the appropriate
14 committee.

15 The Chair recognizes Councilman
16 Goode.

17 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Thank you,
18 Madam President. I offer no bills or
19 resolutions today.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
21 Chair thanks the gentleman.

22 The Chair recognizes
23 Councilwoman Brown.

24 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Thank you,
25 Madam President. I offer one resolution

1 6/5/08 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 co-sponsored by Councilmember Maria
3 Quinones-Sanchez and three bills.

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
5 you.

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

8 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
9 amending Section 12-902 of The
10 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Parking for
11 Certain Purposes Prohibited," by
12 prohibiting the standing or parking of
13 any boat on the roadway for the purpose
14 of sale, washing, greasing or repairing,
15 and amending Section 12-2405, entitled
16 "Removal or Immobilization of Parked
17 Vehicles."

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

21 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
22 amending Subcode "PM" of Title 4 of The
23 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Philadelphia
24 Building Construction and Occupancy
25 Code," by amending Section PM-302.4,

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2 entitled "Grading and Drainage," by
3 adding certain structures to the
4 provisions prohibiting the accumulation
5 of stagnant water.

6 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
7 bill will be referred to the appropriate
8 committee.

9 CHIEF CLERK: And an ordinance
10 amending Title 9 of The Philadelphia
11 Code, entitled "Regulation of Businesses,
12 Trades and Professions," by adding a new
13 Chapter providing for the licensing of
14 day care centers and other child care
15 programs and providing for licensing fees
16 and penalties, all under certain terms
17 and conditions.

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

21 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
22 recognizing CORE Philly for its
23 accomplishments in the area of increasing
24 college enrollment amongst graduating
25 Philadelphia students.

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

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

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 indicate by
12 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 The Chair recognizes Councilman
21 DiCicco.

22 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Thank you,
23 Madam President. I offer one resolution
24 co-sponsored by Councilmembers Kenney and
25 Jones and one bill.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
3 you.

4 The Chief Clerk will read the
5 title of the bill.

6 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
7 amending Section 2 of Bill No. 050510,
8 approved November 17, 2005, entitled "An
9 ordinance to amend the Philadelphia
10 Zoning Maps by changing the zoning
11 designations of certain areas of land
12 located within an area bounded by
13 Allegheny Avenue, Collins Street,
14 Westmoreland Street and Tulip Street."

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

18 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
19 authorizing Philadelphia City Council's
20 joint Committees on Transportation and
21 Public Utilities and the Environment to
22 hold public hearings on SEPTA's rising
23 fuel costs, their potential impact on
24 riders and alternatives to
25 diesel-operated buses.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 Chair recognizes Councilman DiCicco.

4 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Thank you,
5 Madam President. I move for the adoption
6 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 say 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 will be
18 referred to the appropriate committee.

19 The Chair recognizes Councilman
20 O'Neill.

21 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Madam
22 President, I offer one bill.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
24 you.

25 The Chief Clerk will please

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2 read the title of the bill.

3 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
4 authorizing the Commissioner of Public
5 Property, on behalf of the City of
6 Philadelphia, to lease from the School
7 District of Philadelphia certain property
8 located in the vicinity of Byberry and
9 Academy Roads for further sublease to the
10 Academy Sports Association, under certain
11 terms and conditions.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT Verna: The
13 bill will be referred to the appropriate
14 committee.

15 The Chair recognizes Councilman
16 Clarke.

17 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Thank you,
18 Madam President. I have one resolution
19 and one bill co-sponsored by Councilman
20 DiCicco.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT Verna: Thank
22 you.

23 The Chief Clerk will please
24 read the title of the bill.

25 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

1 6/5/08 - STATED - INTRO. OF BILLS
2 amending Chapter 10-700 of The
3 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Refuse and
4 Littering," by increasing the penalties
5 for owners of private premises and vacant
6 private premises who don't maintain their
7 premises, or the sidewalk in front of
8 such premise, free of litter.

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

12 CHIEF CLERK: And a resolution
13 authorizing the Commissioner of Public
14 Property to execute and deliver to the
15 Redevelopment Authority deeds located in
16 the 18th, 28th and 32nd Wards of the City
17 of Philadelphia.

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
19 Chair recognizes Councilman Clarke.

20 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: I move for
21 the adoption.

22 (Duly seconded.)

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

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2 All in favor will say aye.

3 (Aye.)

4 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
5 opposed?

6 (No response.)

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

10 The Chair recognizes Councilman
11 Kelly.

12 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Madam
13 President, no bills or resolutions today.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
15 Chair thanks the gentleman, and the Chair
16 now recognizes Councilman Rizzo.

17 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Madam
18 President, no bills or resolutions today.

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
20 you.

21 The next order of business is
22 reports from committees, and the Chair
23 recognizes Councilwoman Tasco for a
24 report from the Committee on Finance.

25 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Madam

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2 President, the Committee on Finance
3 reports two bills with a favorable
4 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 Finance,
12 to which was referred Bill No. 080495,
13 entitled "An ordinance authorizing the
14 Philadelphia Municipal Authority to
15 design, build, finance, own, operate,
16 maintain and lease facilities and
17 equipment, and provide related services
18 for the management of the City's
19 wastewater treatment solids"; and

20 Bill No. 080498, entitled "An
21 ordinance authorizing the Water
22 Commissioner and the Procurement
23 Commissioner, on behalf of the City of
24 Philadelphia, to enter into a service
25 contract with the Philadelphia Municipal

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2 Authority, pursuant to which the City
3 will assume certain obligations under an
4 agreement that the Authority will enter
5 into with Philadelphia Biosolids Service,
6 all under certain terms and conditions,"
7 respectfully reports it has considered
8 and amended the same and returns the
9 attached bills to Council with a
10 favorable recommendation.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
12 you.

13 The Chair recognizes
14 Councilwoman Tasco.

15 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
16 Madam President. I move that the rules
17 of Council be suspended so as to permit
18 first reading this day of the bills just
19 reported from committee.

20 (Duly seconded.)

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
22 has been moved and properly seconded that
23 the rules of Council be suspended so as
24 to permit first reading this day of the
25 bills just reported from committee.

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2 All in favor will indicate by
3 saying aye.

4 (Aye.)

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
6 opposed?

7 (No response.)

8 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
9 ayes have it, and the bills just read
10 will be placed on our First Reading
11 Calendar for today.

12 The Chair now recognizes
13 Councilman Clarke for a report from the
14 Committee on Public Property and Public
15 Works.

16 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Thank you,
17 Madam President. The Committee on Public
18 Property and Public Works reports four
19 bills with favorable recommendations.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
21 you.

22 The Chief Clerk will please
23 read the report.

24 CHIEF CLERK: To the President
25 and members of the Council of the City of

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2 Philadelphia, the Committee on Public
3 Property and Public Works, to which was
4 referred Bill No. 080402, entitled "An
5 ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of
6 Public Property, on behalf of the City,
7 to enter into an amendment to an existing
8 sublease between the Philadelphia
9 Municipal Authority and the City for the
10 City's use of certain office space
11 located at 100 South Broad Street"; and

12 Bill No. 080403, entitled "An
13 ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of
14 Public Property and the Executive
15 Director of Fairmount Park to enter into
16 a temporary easement agreement with SEPTA
17 to use portions of 185 West Allens Lane
18 and 7301-7321 Cresheim Road"; and

19 Bill No. 080435, entitled "An
20 ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of
21 Public Property, for nominal
22 consideration, a certain parcel of land,
23 with the buildings and improvements
24 thereon, known as 3548 Germantown Avenue,
25 for further conveyance"; and

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2 Bill No. 080499, entitled "An
3 ordinance authorizing the Commissioner of
4 Public Property, on behalf of the City of
5 Philadelphia, to enter into a lease
6 agreement with the Philadelphia Municipal
7 Authority for further sublease to
8 Philadelphia Biosolids, all under certain
9 terms and conditions," respectfully
10 reports it has considered the same and
11 returns the attached bills to Council
12 with a favorable recommendation.

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
14 you.

15 The Chair recognizes Councilman
16 Clarke.

17 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Madam
18 President, I move that the rules of
19 Council be suspended so as to permit
20 first reading this day of Bill Nos.
21 080402, 080403, 080435 and 080499.

22 (Duly seconded.)

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
24 has been moved and properly seconded that
25 the rules of Council be suspended so as

1 6/5/08 - STATED - REPORTS

2 to permit first reading this day of the
3 bills just reported from committee.

4 All in favor will indicate by
5 saying aye.

6 (Aye.)

7 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
8 opposed?

9 (No response.)

10 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
11 ayes have it, and the bills just read
12 will be placed on our First Reading
13 Calendar for today.

14 The Chair now recognizes
15 Councilman Green for a report from the
16 Committee on Labor and Civil Service.

17 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Thank you,
18 Madam President. The Committee on Labor
19 and Civil Service reports one bill with a
20 favorable recommendation.

21 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
22 you.

23 The Chief Clerk will please
24 read the report.

25 CHIEF CLERK: To the President

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2 and members of the Council of the City of
3 Philadelphia, the Committee on Labor
4 Civil Service, to which was referred Bill
5 No. 080148, entitled "An ordinance
6 amending Section 17-107 of The
7 Philadelphia Code, entitled 'Contractors:
8 Labor-Management Relationships,' to
9 change the method by which the prevailing
10 wage and prevailing working conditions
11 are calculated for certain occupational
12 classifications, all under certain terms
13 and conditions," respectfully reports it
14 has considered and amended the same and
15 returns the attached bill to Council with
16 a favorable recommendation.

17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
18 you.

19 The Chair recognizes Councilman
20 Green.

21 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Thank you,
22 Madam President. This important
23 prevailing wage bill is very important
24 for the hard-working people of the City
25 of Philadelphia, and I want to commend

1 6/5/08 - STATED - REPORTS

2 Councilman Kenney on his leadership on
3 this issue.

4 I move that the rules of
5 Council be suspended so as to permit
6 first reading this day of Bill No.
7 080148.

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 this day of the
13 bill just reported from committee.

14 All in favor will indicate by
15 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 bill just read will
22 be placed on our First Reading Calendar
23 for today.

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

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2 this time, I would ask the Chief Clerk to
3 please read the bills on the First
4 Reading Calendar.

5 CHIEF CLERK: Bill No. 080495,
6 an ordinance authorizing the Philadelphia
7 Municipal Authority to design, build,
8 finance, own, operate, maintain and lease
9 facilities and equipment, and provide
10 related services for the management of
11 the City's wastewater treatment solids.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
13 Chair agrees.

14 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
15 080498, an ordinance authorizing the
16 Water Commissioner and the Procurement
17 Commissioner, on behalf of the City of
18 Philadelphia, to enter into a service
19 contract with the Philadelphia Municipal
20 Authority that the Authority will enter
21 into with the Philadelphia Biosolids
22 Service.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
24 Chair agrees.

25 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
3 Chair agrees.

4 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
5 080499, an ordinance authorizing the
6 Commissioner of Public Property, on
7 behalf of the City of Philadelphia, to
8 enter into a lease agreement with the
9 Philadelphia Municipal Authority for
10 further sublease to Philadelphia
11 Biosolids Service located 7800 Penrose
12 Ferry Road.

13 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
14 Chair agrees.

15 CHIEF CLERK: And Bill No.
16 080148, an ordinance amending Section
17 17-107 of The Philadelphia Code to change
18 the method by which prevailing wage and
19 prevailing working conditions are
20 calculated for certain occupational
21 classifications, all under certain terms
22 and conditions.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
24 Chair agrees.

25 The Chair now recognizes

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Councilwoman Tasco for the purpose of
3 calling up bills on the Second Reading
4 and Final Passage Calendar to be
5 considered today.

6 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Thank you,
7 Madam President. Today Bill Nos. 080030,
8 080129, 080383, 080384, 080406, 080401,
9 080470, 080471, 080472, 080004, 080165,
10 080301 and 080373 are being called up for
11 Second Reading and Final Passage Calendar
12 for today. Bill 080085 will be amended.
13 All other bills are being held.

14 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
15 you.

16 The Chief Clerk will please
17 read the title of Bill No. 080030.

18 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
19 authorizing the paving of St. Thomas
20 Drive, under certain terms and
21 conditions.

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

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2 The Chief Clerk will please
3 call 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 Green.
16 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
18 Greenlee.
19 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
21 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
23 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
25 Krajewski.

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

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 passes.

3 We will now consider Bill No.

4 080129.

5 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
6 granting permission to Sunil Shroff,
7 owner and operator of the newsstand
8 located on the northwest corner of 40th
9 and Spruce Street, for the purpose of
10 supplying electrical service and
11 telephone service to said newsstand.

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

16 The Chief Clerk will please
17 call the roll.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
19 Blackwell.

20 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 Clarke.

23 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 DiCicco.

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2 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
4 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.
6 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 Greenlee.
9 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
11 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
13 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
15 Krajewski.
16 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
18 Miller.
19 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 O'Neill.
22 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: 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 Sanchez.

6 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

8 Tasco.

9 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

11 Verna.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

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

17 The Chief Clerk will please

18 read the title of Bill No. 080383.

19 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
20 authorizing Arch Street Hotel Partners to
21 construct, own and maintain various
22 encroachments at 1421 Arch Street.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
24 bill having been read on two different
25 days, the question now is shall the bill

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
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 Green.
17 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 Greenlee.
20 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
22 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
24 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

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2 Krajewski.
3 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
5 Miller.
6 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 O'Neill.
9 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: 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 Sanchez.
17 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: 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
25 zero. A majority of all members having

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 voted in the affirmative, this bill
3 passes.

4 We will now consider Bill No.
5 080384.

6 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
7 authorizing Grasso Holdings, the owner
8 and developer of 1601 Vine Street, in
9 conjunction with a mixed-use development,
10 all under certain terms and conditions.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT Verna: This
12 bill having been read on two different
13 days, the question now is shall the bill
14 pass finally.

15 The Chief Clerk will please
16 call the roll.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
18 Blackwell.

19 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 Clarke.

22 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
24 DiCicco.

25 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
3 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.
5 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
7 Greenlee.
8 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
10 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
12 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
14 Krajewski.
15 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
17 Miller.
18 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
20 O'Neill.
21 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
23 Reynolds Brown.
24 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

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2 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

4 Sanchez.

5 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

7 Tasco.

8 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

9 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

10 Verna.

11 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

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

16 The Chief Clerk will please
17 read the title of Bill No. 080406.

18 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
19 amending Chapter 12-2400 of The
20 Philadelphia Code, by the addition and
21 changing of towing zone locations, all
22 under certain terms and conditions.

23 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: This
24 bill having been read on two different
25 days, the question now is shall the bill

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
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 Green.
17 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
19 Greenlee.
20 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
22 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
24 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 Krajewski.
3 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
5 Miller.
6 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 O'Neill.
9 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: 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 Sanchez.
17 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: 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
25 zero. A majority of all members having

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 voted in the affirmative, the bill
3 passes.

4 We will now consider Bill No.
5 080401.

6 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance to
7 amend the Philadelphia Zoning Maps by
8 changing the zoning designations of
9 certain areas of land located within an
10 area bounded by Grays Ferry Avenue, 30th
11 Street, Titan Street and 31st Street.

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

16 The Chief Clerk will please
17 call the roll.

18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
19 Blackwell.

20 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 Clarke.

23 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 DiCicco.

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
4 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
5 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.
6 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
8 Greenlee.
9 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
11 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
13 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
15 Krajewski.
16 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
18 Miller.
19 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
21 O'Neill.
22 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
24 Reynolds Brown.
25 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

3 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

5 Sanchez.

6 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

8 Tasco.

9 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

11 Verna.

12 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

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

17 The Chief Clerk will please

18 read the title of Bill No. 080470.

19 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
20 authorizing transfers in appropriations
21 for Fiscal Year 2008 from the General
22 Fund to be allocated to the General Fund,
23 the Mayor, the Department of Recreation,
24 the Director of Finance - Fringe
25 Benefits, and the City Commissioners.

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

6 The Chief Clerk will please
7 call the roll.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
9 Blackwell.

10 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
12 Clarke.

13 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
15 DiCicco.

16 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

18 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

20 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
22 Greenlee.

23 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.

25 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
3 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
5 Krajewski.
6 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
8 Miller.
9 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
11 O'Neill.
12 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: 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 Sanchez.
20 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Tasco.
23 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
25 Verna.

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

3 The ayes are 16; the nays are
4 zero. A majority of all members having
5 voted in the affirmative, the bill
6 passes.

7 We will now consider Bill No.
8 080471.

9 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
10 authorizing transfers in appropriations
11 for Fiscal Year 2008 within the General
12 Fund from the Managing Director to the
13 Police Department, the District Attorney,
14 the First Judicial District of
15 Pennsylvania.

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

20 The Chief Clerk will please
21 call the roll.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
23 Blackwell.

24 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 Clarke.
3 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
5 DiCicco.
6 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
8 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.
10 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
12 Greenlee.
13 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
15 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
17 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
19 Krajewski.
20 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Miller.
23 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 O'Neill.

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2 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.

3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

4 Reynolds Brown.

5 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.

6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.

7 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.

8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

9 Sanchez.

10 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.

11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman

12 Tasco.

13 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.

14 CHIEF CLERK: Council President

15 Verna.

16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.

17 The ayes are 16; the nays are

18 zero. A majority of all members having

19 voted in the affirmative, the bill

20 passes.

21 The Chief Clerk will please

22 read the title of Bill No. 080472.

23 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance

24 authorizing transfers in appropriations

25 for Fiscal Year 2008 within the General

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING

2 Fund from the Managing Director to the
3 Mayor's Office of Community Services.

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

8 The Chief Clerk will please
9 call the roll.

10 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
11 Blackwell.

12 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

13 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
14 Clarke.

15 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.

16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
17 DiCicco.

18 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.

19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.

20 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.

21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.

22 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
24 Greenlee.

25 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
3 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
5 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
7 Krajewski.
8 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
10 Miller.
11 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
13 O'Neill.
14 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
16 Reynolds Brown.
17 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
19 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
21 Sanchez.
22 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: 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
6 zero. A majority of all members having
7 voted in the affirmative, this bill
8 passes.

9 The Chief Clerk will please
10 read the title of Bill No. 080004.

11 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
12 amending Section 9-605 of The
13 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Towing," to
14 accept credit cards and debit cards in
15 payment of towing and other charges,
16 under certain terms and conditions.

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

21 The Chief Clerk will please
22 call the roll.

23 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
24 Blackwell.

25 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

1 6/5/08 - 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 Green.
11 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
13 Greenlee.
14 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
16 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
18 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
20 Krajewski.
21 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
23 Miller.
24 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 O'Neill.
3 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: 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 Sanchez.
11 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.
12 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
13 Tasco.
14 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
15 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
16 Verna.
17 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
18 The ayes are 16; the nays are
19 zero. A majority of all members having
20 voted in the affirmative, the bill
21 passes.
22 We will now consider Bill No.
23 080085.
24 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
25 amending Title 9 of The Philadelphia Code

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2 by adding a new Section 9-630, entitled
3 "Sale of Used Cars," all under certain
4 terms and conditions.

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Thank
6 you.

7 The Chair recognizes Councilman
8 Clarke.

9 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Thank you,
10 Madam President. Madam President, I'm
11 going to be offering an amendment. I
12 think it has been circulated, but I'll
13 briefly explain it.

14 This is the bill that's also
15 known as the lemon law for used vehicles.
16 The amendment will do a couple of things.
17 One, it will clearly define "dealer" as
18 it relates to the state regulations. So
19 we're essentially adopting the state
20 regs. Currently, lemon laws primarily
21 apply to new vehicles. So people that
22 buy used vehicles don't have the same
23 ability to get problems corrected as new
24 vehicles.

25 Second, the current bill has

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2 seven days to repair the vehicle if the
3 person takes it back to the dealer. This
4 extends it to ten days.

5 Third, it clears up the issue
6 with response to the dealers' response of
7 it must be repaired or the money must be
8 given back to the purchaser if the dealer
9 chooses not to repair the vehicle.

10 The last one, it also puts at
11 risk the auto dealers' license in
12 addition to their business privilege
13 license if they do not correct the
14 problem associated with the vehicle or
15 return the money.

16 There was one other issue that
17 was brought up by a colleague of ours
18 with respect to auctioneers. Under the
19 current bill, auctioneers actually fell
20 within that category and there were some
21 concerns, because auctioneers actually
22 auction off vehicles, that they don't
23 really own, they're just facilitators and
24 they actually facilitate sales for the
25 City of Philadelphia, like the Parking

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2 Authority and places like that. And
3 there were some concerns that they would
4 be held subject to having to repair a
5 vehicle that they didn't really own.
6 That's going to be corrected with the
7 regulations associated with the License
8 and Inspection.

9 We had a meeting with the
10 auctioneers. They are comfortable with
11 the language that will be put in the
12 regs. So we hopefully will have resolved
13 all of the issues raised by the Auto
14 Dealers Association and the auctioneers.

15 So with all of that, I just
16 want to make a motion for an adoption of
17 the amendment.

18 (Duly seconded.)

19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
20 has been moved and seconded that the
21 amendment be adopted.

22 All in favor will say aye.

23 (Aye.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
25 opposed?

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2 (No response.)

3 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: The
4 ayes have it and the amendment is
5 adopted.

6 We will now consider Bill No.
7 080165.

8 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
9 amending Subcode "A" of Title 4 of The
10 Philadelphia Code by amending the fee
11 schedule for various construction-related
12 activities and by amending the fees for
13 the issuance of real estate
14 certifications, all under certain terms
15 and conditions.

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

20 The Chief Clerk will please
21 call the roll.

22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
23 Blackwell.

24 COUNCILWOMAN BLACKWELL: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 Clarke.
3 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
5 DiCicco.
6 COUNCILMAN DiCICCO: Aye.
7 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Goode.
8 COUNCILMAN GOODE: Aye.
9 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Green.
10 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
12 Greenlee.
13 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
15 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
16 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
17 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
18 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
19 Krajewski.
20 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Miller.
23 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
25 O'Neill.

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
4 Reynolds Brown.
5 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
7 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
9 Sanchez.
10 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
12 Tasco.
13 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
15 Verna.
16 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
17 The ayes are 16; the nays are
18 zero. A majority of all members having
19 voted in the affirmative, this bill
20 passes.
21 The Chief Clerk will please
22 read the title of Bill No. 080301.
23 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
24 amending Section 9-613 of The
25 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Junk

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 Dealers," by prohibiting junk dealers
3 from transacting business with respect to
4 certain items, all under certain terms
5 and conditions.

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

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 Green.

24 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.

25 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 Greenlee.
3 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
4 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
5 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
6 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
7 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
8 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
9 Krajewski.
10 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
11 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
12 Miller.
13 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
15 O'Neill.
16 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
18 Reynolds Brown.
19 COUNCILWOMAN BROWN: Aye.
20 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Rizzo.
21 COUNCILMAN RIZZO: Aye.
22 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
23 Sanchez.
24 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: 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
8 zero. A majority of all members having
9 voted in the affirmative, this bill
10 passes.

11 The last bill to be considered
12 is Bill No. 080373.

13 CHIEF CLERK: An ordinance
14 amending Section 12-1120 of The
15 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Abandoned
16 Vehicles," be assessed in accordance with
17 the provisions of Section 12-2406.1,
18 under 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 6/5/08 - 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 Green.
13 COUNCILMAN GREEN: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
15 Greenlee.
16 COUNCILMAN GREENLEE: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Jones.
18 COUNCILMAN JONES: Aye.
19 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman Kelly.
20 COUNCILMAN KELLY: Aye.
21 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
22 Krajewski.
23 COUNCILWOMAN KRAJEWSKI: Aye.
24 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
25 Miller.

1 6/5/08 - STATED - 2ND READING
2 COUNCILWOMAN MILLER: Aye.
3 CHIEF CLERK: Councilman
4 O'Neill.
5 COUNCILMAN O'NEILL: 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 Sanchez.
13 COUNCILWOMAN SANCHEZ: Aye.
14 CHIEF CLERK: Councilwoman
15 Tasco.
16 COUNCILWOMAN TASCO: Aye.
17 CHIEF CLERK: Council President
18 Verna.
19 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Aye.
20 The ayes are 16; the nays are
21 zero. A majority of all members having
22 voted in the affirmative, the bill
23 passes.
24 That completes our Calendar for
25 today.

1 6/5/08 - STATED - ADJOURNMENT

2 Are there speeches on the part
3 of the minority?

4 (No response.)

5 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Are
6 there speeches on the part of the
7 majority?

8 (No response.)

9 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA:
10 Seeing none, the Chair recognizes
11 Councilman Clarke for a motion to
12 adjourn.

13 COUNCILMAN CLARKE: Thank you,
14 Madam President. Madam President, I move
15 that Council stand adjourned until
16 Thursday, June 12, 2008, 10:00 a.m.

17 (Duly seconded.)

18 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: It
19 has been moved and seconded that Council
20 stand adjourned until Thursday, June
21 12th.

22 All in favor will say aye.

23 (Aye.)

24 COUNCIL PRESIDENT VERNA: Those
25 opposed?

1 6/5/08 - STATED - ADJOURNMENT
 2 (No response.)
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 5 Thank you very much.
 6 (Stated Meeting adjourned at
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