

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PHILADELPHIA  
COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

Room 400, City Hall  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania  
Thursday, October 15, 2015  
9:40 a.m.

PRESENT:

COUNCIL PRESIDENT DARRELL L. CLARKE  
COUNCILWOMAN CINDY BASS  
COUNCILWOMAN JANNIE BLACKWELL  
COUNCILMAN W. WILSON GOODE, JR.  
COUNCILMAN WILLIAM K. GREENLEE  
COUNCILMAN BOBBY HENON  
COUNCILMAN CURTIS JONES, JR.  
COUNCILMAN DENNIS O'BRIEN  
COUNCILWOMAN MARIA D. QUINONES-SANCHEZ

BILL 140056 - An ordinance amending Chapter  
20-300 of The Philadelphia Code, entitled  
"Compensation and Benefits," by providing for  
the salary of the Majority Deputy Whip of  
Council...

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2 COUNCIL PRESIDENT CLARKE: Good  
3 morning. We're going to start now.

4 We have a quorum of the  
5 Committee of the Whole. This is a public  
6 hearing of the Committee of the Whole.  
7 The purpose of this public hearing is to  
8 take testimony on Bill No. 140056  
9 relating to the salary of the Majority  
10 Deputy Whip of City Council.

11 Mr. Christmas, please read the  
12 title of the bill.

13 THE CLERK: Bill No. 140056, an  
14 ordinance amending Chapter 20-300 of The  
15 Philadelphia Code, entitled "Compensation  
16 and Benefits," by providing for the  
17 salary of the Majority Deputy Whip of  
18 Council, all under certain terms and  
19 conditions.

20 COUNCIL PRESIDENT CLARKE:  
21 Thank you very much.

22 Is there anyone here to testify  
23 on this bill today?

24 (No response.)

25 COUNCIL PRESIDENT CLARKE:

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1           10/15/15 - WHOLE - BILL 140056  
2           Going once, going twice, going three  
3           times. There being none, this concludes  
4           the public hearing of the Committee of  
5           the Whole.

6                       We will now go into a public  
7           meeting, and the Chair recognizes  
8           Councilmember Jones for a motion on the  
9           bill.

10                      COUNCILMAN JONES: Thank you,  
11           Mr. President. I move that Bill No.  
12           140056 be reported from this Committee  
13           with a favorable recommendation, that the  
14           rules of Council be suspended so as to  
15           permit first reading of this bill at our  
16           next session of Council.

17                      (Duly seconded.)

18                      COUNCIL PRESIDENT CLARKE:  
19           Thank you. It has been moved and  
20           properly seconded that Bill No. 140056 be  
21           reported from this Committee with a  
22           favorable recommendation and rules  
23           suspension to permit first reading at our  
24           next session of Council.

25                      All those in favor say aye.

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2                   (Aye.)

3           COUNCIL PRESIDENT CLARKE:

4   Those opposed?

5                   (No response.)

6           COUNCIL PRESIDENT CLARKE: The

7   ayes have it and the motion carries.

8   Bill No. 140056 will be reported from

9   this Committee with a favorable

10   recommendation and rules suspension to

11   permit first reading at our next session

12   of Council, which happens to be today.

13                   This concludes the business of

14   this Committee.

15                   Thank you all very much.

16                   (Committee of the Whole

17   concluded at 9:45 a.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  
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MICHELE L. MURPHY  
RPR-Notary Public

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| and/or 5:23          | 4:13                 | 1:12                 | 1:6                  | 3:17,20               |                  |  |  |
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