

CANTON CITY COUNCIL

President Kristen Bates-Aylward

Council At Large:

James Babcock
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Ward Council Members:

Greg Hawk, Ward 1
Brenda Kimbrough, Ward 2
Jason Scaglione, Ward 3
Chris Smith, Ward 4
Robert Fisher, Ward 5
Kevin Hall, Ward 6
John Mariol, Ward 7 - **Majority Leader**
Richard Sacco, Ward 8
Frank Morris, Ward 9

**FINAL AGENDA
January 8, 2024
7:00 PM**

PRO TEM OFFICE APPOINTMENTS: Jill Wood, Clerk Pro Tem, Elizabeth Wensel & Ashanti Monroe, Council Staff

Roll Call: All Members Present

Motion to Excuse Members: Not Necessary

Invocation: Louis Giavasis, Council Member-at-Large

Pledge of Allegiance: President Bates-Aylward

AGENDA CORRECTIONS & CHANGES: (Suspended Rule 22A to add 1st Rdg O#36 - O#40; O#36 - O#40 Adopted on 1st Rdg)

PUBLIC HEARINGS: None

OLD BUSINESS: None

PUBLIC SPEAKS: None

INFORMAL RESOLUTIONS:

1. Council-as-a-Whole: Election of Council Vice-President - John Mariol II. - Adopted
2. Council-as-a-Whole: Election of Council First Vice-President - James Babcock. - Adopted
3. Council-as-a-Whole: Elections of Clerk of Council & Office Staff: Clerk of Council: Jill M. Wood; Administrative Assistant V: Elizabeth Wensel; Administrative Assistant V: Ashanti Monroe. - Adopted

4. Council-as-a-Whole: Authority to advertise ordinances, resolutions and notices. - Adopted
AWARDED TO: The Repository/Beacon Journal as alternate
5. Council-as-a-Whole: Approving and adopting Rules of Procedure for Canton City Council effective January 8, 2024. - Adopted

COMMUNICATIONS:

6. Reg for Add'l Amended Certification dated 12/29/23. - Auditor Mallonn
7. Statement of Cash Position dated 12/31/23. - Auditor Mallonn
8. Rpt of deposits and pay-ins to Ambulance Lock Box for November, 2023. - Chief Bennett
9. Req approval of updated Classification Plan for Bargaining and Non-Bargaining Unit Positions; emergency (Auditor's Office). - Civil Service Director Forchione, Law Director Reese, Service Director Highman, Safety Director Perry, Auditor Mallonn and Treasurer Perez
10. Auth contracts with cities of Louisville and North Canton, villages of East Canton, East Sparta, Hartville, Magnolia and Waynesburg and Cleveland Clinic Mery Hospital to perform prosecutorial duties in Canton Municipal Court. - Law Director Reese
11. Auth contract with Stark County Public Defender Commission for provision of legal services to indigents. - Law Director Reese
12. Req new D5J liquor permit for Canton Club LLC, dba The Vault @ 101 Central Plaza S, Ste 1200 (Ward 4). - Liquor Control Div
13. Req new D5 liquor permit for Jaripeos Bar and Restaurant LLC @ 3319 Harmont Ave NE (Ward 6). - Liquor Control Div
14. Auth appt of Mr. Milton Young to Zoning Board of Appeals commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/26. - Mayor Sherer
15. Auth reappts of Ms. Janelle Lee and Mr. Jeff Dafler to Tax Incentive Review Board commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/25. - Mayor Sherer
16. Auth reappt of Mr. David Beck to Canton Architectural Review Board commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/27. - Mayor Sherer
17. Advise of reappt of Mr. Albert "Chip" Conde to Civil Service Commission commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/30. - Mayor Sherer
18. Auth reappt of Ms. Lisa Sims and Mr. Stuart Kraft to Canton Construction Board commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/26. - Mayor Sherer
19. Auth reappt of Ms. Angela Moody to Fair Housing Commission commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/28. - Mayor Sherer

20. Auth reappt of Dr. James Johns to Health Board commencing 4/1/24 to 3/31/29. - Mayor Sherer
21. Auth reappts of Ms. Dawn M. Devine and Mr. Patrick McCarthy to Investment Board commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/25. - Mayor Sherer
22. Advise of reappt of Ms. Allison Harvey and appt of Mr. Ryan Miller to Planning Commission commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/27. - Mayor Sherer
23. Auth reappt of Mr. Carl Bliss to Canton Tree Commission commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/24 and reappts of Jr. Jeffrey Brown, Ms. Rebecca Eagle-Malone and Mr. Jim Griffin to Canton Tree Commission commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/25. - Mayor Sherer
24. Auth reappt of Mr. John Lucas, Jr. to Zoning Board of Appeals commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/26. - Mayor Sherer
25. Advise of appt of Mr. Darren Mayle to Canton Park Commission commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/26. - Mayor Sherer
26. Advise of appt of Mr. Chris Mack to Mayor's Community Relations Commission commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/24 and reappts of Ms. Allyson Bussey, Ms. Tonja Marshall and Mr. Hector McDaniel to Mayor's Community Relations Commission commencing retro from 1/1/24 to 12/31/25. - Mayor Sherer
27. Advise of appts to Board of Trustees of Canton Community Improvement Corp (CCIC). - Mayor Sherer
28. Req to re-establish Storefront Reinvestment Prog (SRP) utilizing Issue 13 Comprehensive Plan Funds. - Planning Director Angus
29. Req to re-establish approval of Public Realm Reinvestment Prog (PRRP) utilizing Issue 13 Comprehensive Plan Funds. - Planning Director Angus
30. Req legislation for 2024 Internet Auctions; Auth Internet Auctions to be conducted by GovDeals (Liquidity Services Operation LLC); emergency. - Service Director Highman
31. Auth water main extension to 1010 Sunnyside St NW in Lake Twp; emergency. - Service Director Highman

FIRST READINGS:

32. Auth agrmt for and accept \$300,000.00 from Republic Steel and all necessary contracts to implement programs in accordance with final judgment order; emergency. - Finance Committee
33. Auth Clerk of Council to certify to County Auditor unpaid and delinquent charges for servs performed by and/or on behalf of Building/Code Dept during calendar year 2023 for board up/clean up/demo charges; emergency. - Finance Committee

34. Auth and consent to sign replacements on US-30, US-62, SR-43D, SR-153, SR-687 and SR-800 within City of Canton; emergency. - Public Safety & Thoroughfares Committee
35. Auth contract amendment with YWCA of Canton for facility improvements using CDBG funds; emergency. - Finance Committee

(Council recessed at 7:14 PM for the Finance, Community & Economic Development and Judiciary Committees to discuss O#36 - O#40; reconvened at 7:30 PM)

36. **1/2024** Auth contracts with Board of Stark County Commissioners and/or Stark County Land Reutilization Corp for administration of 50/50 Demolition Split Program; emergency. - Finance and Community & Economic Development Committees *
37. **2/2024** Auth to apply for, enter into agrmt for and receive funds from any and all potential funding sources for various city projects; emergency. - Finance and Community & Economic Development Committees *
38. **3/2024** Auth various contracts for supply equip, items, materials, supplies and servs; Auth all necessary prof servs contracts and contracts necessary for purch of supply equip, items, materials, supplies and servs; emergency. - Finance Committee *
39. **4/2024** Auth completion of contracting process for various contracts previously auth but not completed by 1/1/24; emergency; Judiciary Committee *
40. **5/2024** Auth sale of city owned personal property no longer needed for public use by Internet Auction for calendar year 2024; emergency. - Finance Committee *

***Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for First Reading Vote**

SECOND READINGS: None

***Ordinances and Formal Resolutions for Second Reading Vote**

THIRD READINGS: None

COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Monday, January 22, 2024 in Council Chambers @ 6:30 PM

Finance Committee

Public Safety & Thoroughfares Committee

Personnel Committee

Presentation by Downtown Canton Partnership

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS: Member Giavasis congratulated and welcomed the newly elected President of Council, Kristen Bates-Aylward, and the newly elected Council Members, Crystal Smith

and Richard Sacco, to their first meeting. He also recognized the newly elected Mayor, William Sherer.

ADJOURNMENT: 7:38 PM

THE NEXT REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING: MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 2024 AT 7:00 PM