

**REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
JANUARY 10, 2006– 7:30 P.M.**

AGENDA

1. Open microphone

COMMUNICATIONS FROM HIS HONOR, THE MAYOR

2. A communication informing the Council that the YMCA will be addressing the City Council
3. A communication informing the Council there will be an update regarding the progress of the building code enforcement program
4. A communication submitting an Order accepting a donation of \$500 from the Wal-Mart Foundation to the Pittsfield Fire Department
5. A communication submitting two Orders accepting the provisions of Chapter 157 of the Acts of 2005, Section 1 and Section 2

APPOINTMENTS

6. Appointment of Robert Czerwinski as a Deputy Chief in the Pittsfield Fire Department
7. Appointment of Michael Aitken as a Captain in the Pittsfield Fire Department
8. Appointment of Ronald Mazzeo as a Lieutenant in the Pittsfield Fire Department
9. Appointment of G. Richard Bordeau as Director of Finance/Treasurer
10. Appointment of Susan Carmel as City Accountant
11. Appointment of Ernest Fortini as Director of Maintenance
12. Appointment of James McGrath as Director of Community Services
13. Appointment of Marilyn Sheehan as Tax Collector
14. Appointment of Dr. Philip Adamo as City Physician
15. Appointment of Richard Laureyns as a member of the Traffic Commission
16. Appointment of James Cieslar as a member of the Human Services Advisory Council
17. Appointment of Deborah Courtney, Patricia Hogan and Amal Rawling as Clerks of Committees

PUBLIC HEARING

18. A public hearing on an Ordinance amending the City Code, Chapter 23, Zoning, reclassifying land on Dan Fox Drive

COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY OFFICERS AND BOARDS

19. A communication from Council President Lee designating 2006-2008 Council committee assignments
20. A petition from Councilor Costi that the City considers reading water meters and sending water bills twice a year
21. A petition from Councilor Costi requesting a study to determine if the City should continue to support two high schools

22. A petition from Councilor Costi requesting the Police Chief return the four school resource officers to regular duty
23. A petition from Councilor Costi that the City consider selling advertising on the side of school buses

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Reports of the Committee on Ordinances and Rules

24. A report of the Committee on Ordinances and Rules on a petition from Councilor Maffuccio to define tag sales and flea markets in the City Code, recommending approval (ordinance included)
25. A report of the Committee on Ordinances and Rules on an Ordinance amending the City Code, Chapter 24, Schedule of Fees, Section 24-1 Establishment, Building Dept., recommending approval (ordinance included)
26. A report of the Committee on Ordinances and Rules on a petition from Peter Marchetti to adopt a policy to require all minutes of Committee meetings be filed in the City Clerk's Office, recommending approval
27. A report of the Committee on Ordinances and Rules on a petition from Councilor Kerwood to investigate the possibility of placing surveillance cameras in areas heavily impacted by illegal dumping, recommending it is referred to the Resource Recovery Commission and Health Department
28. A report of the Committee on Ordinances and Rules on a petition from Councilor Kerwood to amend the City Code, Chapter 24, Schedule of Fees, to include adult entertainment, recommending it be filed
29. A report of the Committee on Ordinances and Rules on a petition from Councilor Kerwood for an Ordinance creating the position of Housing Code Inspector, recommending it be filed

MATTERS TENTATIVELY REFERRED BY THE PRESIDENT UNDER RULE 27

Referred to the Commissioner of Public Works & Utilities

30. A petition from Councilor Tyer for consideration of the installation of a sidewalk on the north side of Williams Street from Elm St. to Holmes Road
31. A petition from Councilor Tyer requesting cleaning of the storm drain located at 60 Herie Avenue

PLACED ON FILE

32. A response from Representative Guyer relative to various petitions referred to him