



Allentown

435 Hamilton Street
Allentown, Pa. 18101

Meeting Agenda - Final City Council

Wednesday, June 28, 2023

6:00 PM

Council Chambers

Special Meeting

Roll Call

Appointment of City Solicitor

R108

Appointment of John F. "Jack" Gross as City Solicitor at an annual salary of \$70,000 effective upon passage of this resolution.

Attachments: [R108 Solicitor Appointment \(John F Jack Gross\)](#)
 [John F. Jack Gross Resume](#)
 [Memo from Mayor](#)

Appointment of HR Director

R109

Appointment of Nadeem Eli Shahzad as the Human Resource Director at an annual salary of \$128,000 effective upon the passage of this resolution.

Attachments: [R109 - HR Director Appointment \(Nadeem Eli Shahzad\)](#)
 [Candidate for Director of Human Resources Statement](#)
 [Nadeem Eli Shahzad Resume](#)
 [Nadeem Shahzad Memo to Council](#)

ORDINANCES FOR INTRODUCTION (To be referred to Committee with public comment prior to referral)

Bill 64

Amending the 2023 ARPA Fund Budget to provide for a transfer of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) to Cortex Residential. These funds will be used for an affordable housing project in the Walnut Square Apartments at 40 South 8th Street.

Sponsors: Administration

Attachments: [Bill 64 Cortex Residential ARPA](#)
 [WSA - CED Presentation v3](#)

Request to suspend the rules to introduce and vote on the legislation this evening - given the fact that the city already had an account set up with 3rd Street Alliance, this became the easiest path to get funds to people displaced by a fire in Easton. This is simply a pass through from the state. This will need 6 of 7 votes to pass to eliminate the 14 days between introduction and final passage.

Bill 65

An Ordinance providing for the expenditure of certain monies received by the City of Allentown under Title I of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1976, as amended; The Homeless Emergency Assistance and Rapid Transition to Housing Act of 2009; and Title II of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990, as amended; for the purpose of undertaking programs of housing and community development within the city.

Attachments: [Bill 65 - NEW ACCOUNT SETUP](#)

ADJOURN

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