

Allentown

435 Hamilton Street Allentown, Pa. 18101

Minutes - Final

Community and Economic Development Committee

Wednesday, April 4, 2018

6:45 PM

Roll Call

<u>15-2167</u> Bill 8

Amending the 2018 General Fund Budget to provide for a supplemental appropriation of Twenty-Five Thousand (\$25,000) Dollars. This was a result of a mitigation fee contribution from City Center toward the cost of a study to survey the historic buildings along Hamilton Street from American Parkway to 12th Street as required by the Zoning Hearing Board.

Attachments: Bill 8 Historical Survey Contribution

Background Information
Ordinance #15435

Mr. Courtney Robinson asked is there anyone from the administration to speak on this. He asked if there were any comments from his colleagues.

Mr. Julio Guridy stated that if we don't have anyone from the administration we can't move forward on this. He stated that he doesn't want to talk about something that they know nothing about.

Mr. Courtney Robinson stated that he would agree. He asked Mayor O'Connell if Mr. Lightner is here.

Mr. Ray O'Connell stated that he saw Mr. Lightner about 10 - 15 minutes ago.

Mr. Courtney Robinson stated that he agrees with his colleagues on tabling. It is accepting \$25,000 from City Center in lieu of demolition on a building towards a Historical Study. We are actually accepting money from them.

Mr. Courtney Robinson stated that the Community and Economic Development Committee will start community tours. He stated that Mr. Guridy has been gracious enough to agree that Casa Guadalupe which he is the chairman of the board is going to be our first tour next Thursday at 4:00 PM. We invite any member of the public or the administration who is would be interested in participating in that tour to join us.

Mr. Julio Guridy stated it is at 218 N. Second Street.

Mr. Courtney Robinson stated that the details are on the website as well.

A motion was made by Julio Guridy, seconded by Candida Affa, that this Ordinance be tabled. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 3 - Courtney Robinson, Julio Guridy and Candida Affa

Enactment No: 15435

Adjournment: 6:48 PM