

Allegheny County Council

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Agenda Synopsis

Tuesday, December 7, 2021

5:00 PM

Regular Meeting, Fourth Floor, Gold Room

County Council

Patrick Catena - President; Bob Macey - Vice President; Tom Baker, Olivia Bennett, Samuel DeMarco, III, Tom Duerr, Nick Futules, Bethany Hallam, Cindy Kirk, Paul Klein, John Palmiere, Robert Palmosina, Anita Prizio, DeWitt Walton and Paul Zavarella - Members

I. Call To Order

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Silent Prayer or Reflection

IV. Roll Call

Council Members Present: 13 - Baker, Bennett, Catena, DeMarco , Duerr, Hallam, Kirk, Macey, Palmiere, Palmosina, Prizio, Walton and Zavarella

Council Members Absent: 0

Council Members Phone: 2 - Futules and Klein

V. Proclamations/Certificates

[12108-21](#) A proclamation honoring Tom Baker for his dedication and service to the residents of District 1 as a Member of Allegheny County Council.

Sponsors: All Members of Council

This item was presented.

[12109-21](#) A proclamation honoring Paul Zavarella for his dedication and service to the residents of District 8 as a Member of Allegheny County Council.

Sponsors: All Members of Council

This item was presented.

[12110-21](#) A proclamation honoring Sheriff William Mullen for his dedication and service to the residents of Allegheny County.

Sponsors: All Members of Council

This item was presented.

[12111-21](#) A proclamation honoring Controller Chelsa Wagner for her dedication and service to the residents of Allegheny County.

Sponsors: All Members of Council

This item was presented.

[12112-21](#) A proclamation honoring Mayor William Peduto for his dedication and service to the residents of the City of Pittsburgh.

Sponsors: All Members of Council

This item was presented.

[12113-21](#) A proclamation honoring Michael Dennehy for his dedication and service to the

residents of Pine Township, Allegheny County, as a Supervisor, including time as Chairman.

Sponsors: Council Member Kirk

This item was read into the record.

[12114-21](#) A proclamation honoring Ed Holdcroft for his dedication and service to the residents of Pine Township, Allegheny County, as a Supervisor.

Sponsors: Council Member Kirk

This item was read into the record.

[12115-21](#) A proclamation recognizing the dedication and commitment of Gannon Sprinkle in meeting the necessary requirements to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout.

Sponsors: Council Member Kirk

This item was read into the record.

[12116-21](#) A proclamation recognizing the dedication and commitment of Nolan Coltery in meeting the necessary requirements to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout.

Sponsors: Council Member Kirk

This item was read into the record.

[12117-21](#) A proclamation recognizing the 75th Anniversary of Boy Scout Troop 329 in McCandless.

Sponsors: Council Member Kirk

This item was read into the record.

VI. Public Comment On Agenda Items

VII. Approval of Minutes

VIII. Presentation of Appointments

[12106-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Jesse Torisky to the Accountability, Conduct and Ethics (ACE) Commission for a term to expire on December 31, 2026.

Sponsors: Council Member DeMarco

This matter was referred to the Committee on Appointment Review.

[12107-21](#) Approving the reappointment of Sarah Roka to serve as a Member of the Retirement Board of Allegheny County for a term to expire on December 31, 2025.

Sponsors: Council Member Palmiere

**A motion was made by Macey, seconded by Palmiere, that this matter be Passed.
The motion carried by a unanimous vote.**

IX. Unfinished Business

Committee on Appointment Review - Second Reading

[11950-21](#) Approving the appointment of Sanford Leuba to the Friends of the Park for Harrison Hills Park for a term to expire on August 24, 2024.

Sponsors: Council Member Hallam

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12061-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Ashley Henry Shook to the Allegheny County Airport Authority for a term to expire on December 31, 2026.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12062-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Jan Rea to the Allegheny County Airport Authority for a term to expire on December 31, 2026.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12063-21](#) Approving the appointment of Daniel C. Connolly, Esq. to the Authority for Improvements in Municipalities for a term to expire on December 31, 2026.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12064-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Betsy Bechtolt Magley to the Human Relations Commission of Allegheny County for a term to expire on December 31, 2024.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12065-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Marlin D. Woods to the Human Relations Commission of Allegheny County for a term to expire on December 31, 2024.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12066-21](#) Approving the appointment of Louis J. Weyand to the Board of the Tri-COG Land Bank for a term to expire on December 31, 2024.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12067-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Marianne Malloy to the Personnel Board for a term to expire on December 31, 2024.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12081-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Kevin Kinross to the Community College of Allegheny County Board of Trustees for a term to expire on December 31, 2026.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12082-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Mary Ann Eisenreich to the Community College of Allegheny County Board of Trustees for a term to expire on December 31, 2027.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12083-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of William T. Cagney to the Community College of Allegheny County Board of Trustees for a term to expire on December 31, 2027.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12084-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Sala Udin to the Sports and Exhibition Authority of Pittsburgh and Allegheny County for a term to expire on December 31, 2026.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12085-21](#) Approving the re-appointment of Derek Uber to the Allegheny County Housing Authority for a term to expire on December 31, 2025.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12087-21](#) Approving the appointment of Amrita Chhetri to the Area Agency on Aging Advisory Board for a term to expire on December 31, 2025.

Sponsors: Chief Executive

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

[12097-21](#) Approving the appointment of Lauren McAndrews to the Friends of the Park for North Park for a term to expire on November 30, 2024.

Sponsors: Council Member Kirk

A motion was made by Kirk, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

X. Liaison Reports

XI. New Business - Ordinances & Resolutions

XII. New Business - Motions

[12118-21](#) Motion of the Council of Allegheny County re-establishing the Budget Transfer Committee in accordance with Section 805.03 of the Administrative Code.

Sponsors: Council Member Palmosina

A motion was made by Palmosina, seconded by Macey, that this matter be Passed. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.

XIII. Notification of Contracts

XIV. Public Comment on General Items

XV. Adjournment

A motion was made by Walton, seconded by Duerr, that this matter be Approved. The motion carried by a unanimous vote.