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Action Summary

Tuesday, October 17, 2023

6:00 PM

**Broward Center for the Performing Arts - Mary N Porter Riverview
Ballroom - 201 SW 5th Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33312**

City Commission Regular Meeting

FORT LAUDERDALE CITY COMMISSION

DEAN J. TRANTALIS Mayor

PAM BEASLEY-PITTMAN Vice Mayor - Commissioner - District III

JOHN C. HERBST Commissioner - District I

STEVEN GLASSMAN Commissioner - District II

WARREN STURMAN Commissioner - District IV

GREG CHAVARRIA, City Manager

DAVID R. SOLOMAN, City Clerk

D'WAYNE M. SPENCE, Interim City Attorney

PATRICK REILLY, City Auditor

PUBLIC APPEARANCES BEFORE THE CITY COMMISSION:

If any person wishes to address the City Commission, the person shall sign up in the Broward Center for the Performing Arts - Mary N Porter Riverview Ballroom lobby. A member of the City Clerk's Office Staff will be there to assist. Speaker Cards are given to the Mayor. After being recognized by the Mayor, the speaker should approach the podium, identify the agenda item in question, indicate support, opposition, or neutrality on the agenda item, and then proceed to succinctly state the speaker's position or present information.

If an attorney, or any other person appears before the Commission in a representative capacity, the attorney, or other representative shall also sign up in the Broward Center for the Performing Arts - Mary N Porter Riverview Ballroom lobby. A member of the City Clerk's Office Staff will be there to assist. After being recognized by the Mayor, the speaker should approach the podium, identify the client(s) being represented, and identify the agenda item in question. The speaker shall then indicate the client's support, opposition, or neutrality on the agenda item and then proceed to succinctly state the client's position or present information on behalf of the client(s).

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Pledge of Allegiance

ROLL CALL

Present: 5 - Vice Mayor Pam Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Warren Sturman, Commissioner John C. Herbst, Commissioner Steven Glassman and Mayor Dean J. Trantalis

Approval of MINUTES and Agenda

[23-0996](#) Minutes for September 5, 2023, Commission Conference Meeting, September 5, 2023, Commission Regular Meeting, and September 13, 2023, Second Budget Hearing - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

APPROVED AS AMENDED - Agenda Amended

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

PRESENTATIONS

PRES- [23-1003](#) Presentation from School Board Member Dr. Jeff Holness, District 5, re: Update on Fort Lauderdale Schools

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REMOVED FROM AGENDA

PRES- [23-1004](#) Mayor Trantalis to present a Proclamation recognizing the 112th National Day of the Republic of China (Taiwan) in the City of Fort Lauderdale

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REMOVED FROM AGENDA

PRES- [23-1006](#) Commissioner Glassman to present a Proclamation declaring October 2023, as Cybersecurity Awareness Month in the City of Fort Lauderdale

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PRESENTED

CONSENT AGENDA PUBLIC COMMENT

CONSENT AGENDA

Approval of the Consent Agenda

Approve the Consent Agenda

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CONSENT MOTION

CM-1 [23-0980](#) Motion Approving an Event Agreement for the 22nd Annual Light Up Downtown - (Commission District 4)

APPROVED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CM-2 [23-0285](#) Motion Approving a Subrecipient Agreement with the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization for the North Expansion of the Downtown Mobility Hub - (Commission District 2)

APPROVED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CM-3 [23-0891](#) Motion Accepting a Donation of Two 1-Meter and Two 3-Meter Springboards with an Estimated Total Value of \$90,385 from the Fort Lauderdale Diving Booster Club, Inc. - (Commission District 2)

APPROVED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CONSENT RESOLUTION

CR-1 [23-0928](#) Resolution Approving the Performing Arts Center Authority Budget for Fiscal Year 2024 - (Commission District 2)

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CR-2 [23-0939](#) Resolution (a) Approving an Application for a Dock Permit for Usage of Public Property Abutting the Waterway adjacent to 817 Cordova Road for a Proposed Boat Lift and (b) Authorizing Execution of a Declaration of Restrictive Covenants - (Commission District 4)

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

- CR-3** [23-0940](#) Resolution Approving Broward County Traffic Engineering Division to Post “NO THRU TRUCKS” Signage on NE 18th Street between NE 15th Avenue and US-1 - (Commission District 1)
- ADOPTED**
- Yea:** 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis
- CR-4** [23-0953](#) Resolution Approving Fiscal Year 2024 Not for Profit Service Agreement with Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, Inc. - Monthly Go Riverwalk Magazine - \$50,400 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)
- ADOPTED**
- Yea:** 4 - Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis
- Nay:** 1 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman
- CR-5** [23-0984](#) Resolution Declaring the City’s Official Intent to Reimburse Itself from the Proceeds of the Water and Sewer System - Line of Credit Agreement - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)
- ADOPTED**
- Yea:** 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis
- CR-6** [23-0987](#) Resolution Approving the Consolidated Budget Amendment to Fiscal Year 2024 - Appropriation - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)
- ADOPTED**
- Yea:** 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis
- CR-7** [23-0989](#) Resolution Approving Fiscal Year 2024 Not-For-Profit Contribution Agreement with Central City Alliance, Inc., - \$7,900 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)
- ADOPTED**
- Yea:** 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis
- CR-8** [23-1001](#) Resolution Appointing Thomas J. Ansbro as City Attorney for the City of Fort Lauderdale, effective October 30, 2023 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)
- ADOPTED**

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CR-9 [23-0847](#)

Resolution Approving and Authorizing the Execution of the Metro Transportation Engineering & Construction Cooperative (MTECC) Interlocal Agreement, between the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization Municipal Members, and the City of Fort Lauderdale, for Municipal Membership Services to Administer Federal Aid Projects and Transportation Projects Completed Without the Use of Federal Funding - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CONSENT PURCHASE

CP-1 [23-0720](#)

Motion Approving a Third Addendum to Contract for the Purchase, Delivery and Installation of Additional Equipment and Amenities for Various Parks and Playgrounds via Clay County Contract - Musco Sports Lighting, LLC - \$165,000 - (Commission Districts 1 and 2)

APPROVED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CP-2 [23-0861](#)

Motion Approving Agreement for Swimming Pool Resurfacing Services - Electro-Mechanic Industries, Inc. d/b/a Vermana - \$364,332.00 - (Commission District 3)

APPROVED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

CP-3 [23-0900](#)

Motion Approving a Revised Agreement for Grant Management Software - Benevate, Inc., Total Amount Not to Exceed \$174,500 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

APPROVED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

MOTIONS

- M-1** [23-0981](#) Motion Approving an Event Agreement and Request for Extended Road Closures Beyond 10:00am on the Barrier Island for the 2024 Fort Lauderdale Marathon / Half Marathon & Fort Lauderdale 5K - (Commission Districts 1 and 2)
- APPROVED**
- Yea:** 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis
- M-2** [23-0822](#) Motion Approving a Design-Build Agreement for the NE 25th Avenue 24-Inch Force Main Replacement and the NE 38th Street 42-Inch Force Main/NE 19th Avenue 24-Inch Force Main Replacement Projects - David Mancini and Sons, Inc. - \$38,597,800 - (Commission District 1)
- APPROVED**
- Yea:** 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis
- M-3** [23-0915](#) Motion Denying Protest submitted by Lanzo Construction Company on the Recommendation to Award Request for Proposals No. 103, Design Build Services for George T. Lohmeyer Wastewater Treatment Plant Force Main Replacement Project to Ric-Man Construction of Florida, Inc. - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)
- APPROVED**
- Yea:** 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis
- M-4** [23-0823](#) Motion Approving a Design-Build Agreement for George T. Lohmeyer Wastewater Treatment Plant Effluent Force Main Replacement - Ric-Man Construction Florida, Inc. - \$45,967,219 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)
- APPROVED**
- Yea:** 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

RESOLUTIONS

- R-1** [23-1007](#) Appointment of Board and Committee Members - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)
- ADOPTED AS AMENDED**
- Yea:** 4 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst and Mayor Trantalis

Nay: 1 - Commissioner Glassman

ADOPTED

Yea: 3 - Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

Nay: 2 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman and Commissioner Sturman

R-2 [23-0515](#) Resolution Levying the Fiscal Year 2024 Operating Millage Rate of 0.6400 and Debt Service Millage Rate of 0.4065 of the Downtown Development Authority (DDA) of the City of Fort Lauderdale - (Commission Districts 2 and 4)

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

R-3 [23-0824](#) Resolution Accepting the Affordable Housing Advisory Committee's (AHAC) 2023 Affordable Housing Incentive Report and Authorizing the submission to the Florida Housing Finance Corporation - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

R-4 [23-0937](#) Resolution Adopting Broward County Enhanced Local Mitigation Strategy (ELMS) - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

R-5 [23-0985](#) Resolution Approving the Termination of the Interlocal Agreement between the City of Fort Lauderdale and the City of Oakland Park for Development Approval, Revenue Sharing, and Concurrent Jurisdictional Authority for a Development Located Within Both Jurisdictions (DRI) - (Commission District 1)

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

R-6 [23-0730](#) City Manager Annual Performance Review - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

REMOVED FROM AGENDA

- R-7** [23-1036](#) Resolution of the City Commission of the City of Fort Lauderdale, Florida, Condemning the Brutal, Barbaric, Inhumane, and Unprovoked Attack on the State of Israel by Hamas; Supporting the State of Israel's Right to Defend Itself; Urging the President and Congress to Provide Emergency Assistance to the State of Israel; and Providing for Severability and an Effective Date

ADOPTED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

PUBLIC HEARINGS

- PH-1** [23-0878](#) Public Hearing Amending the Amended Housing and Community Development 2022-2023 Annual Action Plan for Community Development Block Grant - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

APPROVED

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

- PH-2** [23-0938](#) Public Hearing - Quasi Judicial Resolution Approving a Waiver of Limitations at 848 NE 20th Avenue for the Installation of one (1) Finger Pier - (Commission District 2)

ADOPTED

Yea: 4 - Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

Nay: 1 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman

ORDINANCE FIRST READING

- OFR-1** [23-0754](#) First Reading - Ordinance Amending City of Fort Lauderdale Unified Land Development Regulations (ULDR); Section 47-20.2, Parking and Loading Zone Requirements and Section 47-20.5, General Design of Parking Facilities to Clarify the Different Types of Residential Uses and Alphabetize the Uses in "Table 1. Parking and Loading Zone Requirements." and to Add Regulations Regarding Drive Aisles for the Different Types of Single-Family Dwellings, Dwellings that Include Two Units and Clusters - Case No. UDP-T23005 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

PASSED FIRST READING

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

ORDINANCE SECOND READING

OSR-1 [23-0998](#) Second Reading - Ordinance to Amend City of Fort Lauderdale Unified Land Development Regulations (ULDR); Section 47-5.32 through 5.38, Table of Dimensional Requirements; Section 47-18.9 Single Family Dwelling, Attached: Cluster to Add Minimum Building Separation Dimensional Requirements, Provide for Consistent Regulations in Various Zoning Districts, and to Require Easements Along the Property Line of Cluster Developments to be Unobstructed - Case No. UDP-T23001 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

ADOPTED ON SECOND READING

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

OSR-2 [23-0999](#) Second Reading - Ordinance to Amend City of Fort Lauderdale Unified Land Development Regulations (ULDR); Section 47-18.33, Single Family Dwelling, Attached: Townhouses to Require Easements Along the Property Lines of Townhouse Developments to be Unobstructed and to Add Language Restricting the Location of Waste and Recycling Containers Used for Townhouse Dwelling Units - Case No. UDP-T23004 - (Commission Districts 1, 2, 3 and 4)

ADOPTED ON SECOND READING

Yea: 5 - Vice Mayor Beasley-Pittman, Commissioner Sturman, Commissioner Herbst, Commissioner Glassman and Mayor Trantalis

ADJOURNMENT