
Staff Present: Gerald Campbell, Marisa Franchini, Michele Andre

The roll being called, the meeting was called to order by President Ellis at 7:00 pm; Council Members recited the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a moment of silence.

Public Comment Period

The following members of the public spoke:

1). Charles Obar Robinson, 404 Livingston, Albany, NY 12206 (Legalization of Marijuana)
2). Alana Klein, 29 Glenwood Street, Albany, NY 12208 (Detention Center)
3). Allen Shabazz, 87 Bradford Street #2, Albany, NY 12206 (Funding/ Sponsorship)
4). Louis M-Neilly, 255 Orange Street, Albany, NY 12210 (Bayhill Park Adoption)
5). Jason Mutford, 712 Washington Ave, Albany, NY (Reclaiming Civility)

There being no further speakers, President Ellis declared the Public Comment Period closed.

Approval of Minutes

President Pro Tem Conti made a motion to approve the minutes of the June 18, 2018 meeting of the Council, seconded by Council Member Doesschate, which was APPROVED by unanimous voice vote.

Consideration of Local Laws

Council Member Conti noticed LOCAL LAW E- 2018* (A LOCAL LAW AMENDING PART 1 (DEPARTMENT OF POLICE) OF ARTICLE I (CHIEF OF POLICE) AND PART 2 (DEPARTMENT OF FIRE) OF ARTICLE VIII (CREATION; CHIEF) OF CHAPTER 42 (DEPARTMENTS AND COMMISSIONS) OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF ALBANY IN RELATION TO QUARTERLY STAFFING AND OVERTIME REPORTS), which had been previously introduced, requested its passage and a roll call vote thereon.

LL E-2018 was co-sponsored by Council Member Anane.

There being no discussion, President Ellis called for a roll call vote thereon and the Local Law was ADOPTED:

Passed by the following vote of all the Council Members elected voting in favor thereof:

President Pro Tem Conti held the remaining local law on the agenda for further consideration.

**Reports of Standing and Ad Hoc Committees**

*Law, Buildings and Code Enforcement:* Council Member Igoe reported that the Committee met on June 26 to continue its review and revision of Ordinance, 30.51.18, Vacant Building Registry. The Committee will meet again on July 23 to continue its review.

**Consideration of Ordinances**

President Pro Tem Conti held the pending ordinances on the agenda for further consideration.

**Consideration of Resolutions**

Council Member Love offered Resolution 48.71.18R as follows, asked for its passage and a vote thereon:

Resolution Number  48.71.18R*

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL AUTHORIZING THE ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC. DELTA MU OMEGA CHAPTER TO ADOPT BAYHILL PARK AS AUTHORIZED BY THE ADOPT-A-PARK PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Delta Mu Omega Chapter has requested authorization to adopt Bayhill Park at the corner of Sheridan Ave. and Dove St.; and

WHEREAS, the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Delta Mu Omega Chapter has been active in cleaning and volunteering in the park for the past several years as well as many other community service projects; and

WHEREAS, the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Delta Mu Omega Chapter will enter into a memorandum of understanding with the City committing to a minimum of three maintenance sessions per year over a four-year period; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Albany Common Council authorizes the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. Delta Mu Omega Chapter is hereby authorized to enter into an memorandum of understanding with the City of Albany to adopt Bayhill Park.

*Resolution 48.71.18R was co-sponsored by Council Members Anane, Balarin, Conti, Doesschate, Fahey, Farrell, Flynn, Hoey, Igoe, Johnson, Kimbrough, O’Brien, Robinson

Council Member Anane spoke on Resolution 48.71.18R prior to a vote.

There being no further discussion, President Ellis called for a roll call vote thereon and the Resolution was ADOPTED:

Passed by the following vote of all the Council Members elected voting in favor thereof:

Affirmative 14 Negative 0 Abstain 0

President Pro Tem Conti offered Resolution 49.71.18R as follows, asked for its passage and a vote thereon:

Resolution Number 49.71.18R

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL ESTABLISHING STANDARD WORK DAYS FOR THE COMMON COUNCIL AS REQUIRED BY REGULATION 315.4 OF THE NEW YORK STATE COMPTROLLER EFFECTIVE AUGUST 12, 2009

BE IT RESOLVED, that the Common Council of the City of Albany hereby establishes the following as standard work days for elected and appointed officials and will report the following days worked to the New York State and Local Employees’ Retirement System based on the record of activities maintained and submitted by these officials to the clerk of this body:

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There being no discussion, President Ellis called for a roll call vote thereon and the Resolution was ADOPTED:

Passed by the following vote of all the Council Members elected voting in favor thereof:


Affirmative 14 Negative 0 Abstain 0

Council Member Fahey noticed the introduction of Resolution 50.71.18R as follows, which was held for further consideration:

Resolution Number 50.71.18R

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF ERIN TOBIN AS A MEMBER OF THE HISTORIC RESOURCES COMMISSION

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Albany has, pursuant to the provisions of Article 3 of the City Charter, and Section 42-85 of Chapter 42 of the Code of the City of Albany, appointed Erin Tobin as a member of the Historic Resources Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Erin Tobin is hereby confirmed as a member of the Historic Resources Commission for an unexpired term ending December 31, 2020.

President Pro Tem Conti referred Resolution 50.71.18R to the Planning, Economic Development and Land Use Committee for further consideration and held the remaining resolutions on the agenda for further consideration.

Miscellaneous or Unfinished Business

The following members made miscellaneous remarks:

Council Member Johnson (youth & recreation programming); Council Member Hoey (youth & recreation programming); Council Member Anane (immigration issues); and

Council Member Balarin (the need for civility).

Adjournment

There being no further business, President Pro Tem Conti made a motion to adjourn, which was duly seconded and adopted by unanimous voice vote. President Ellis declared the meeting adjourned at approximately 7:39 pm.

Respectfully Submitted

Michele Andre
Legislative Aide to the Common Council