

AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL
April 5, 2011
6:30 P.M.

1. ROLL CALL

2. READING OF MINUTES

3. REPORTS & COMMUNICATIONS FROM MAYOR & HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS AND INTERESTED PARTIES AND CITY CLERK'S NOTES:

A. AGENDA FOR THE ZOING HEARING BOARD MEETING TO BE HELD APRIL 13, 2011.

B. CONTRIBUTION WAS MADE BY BUONA PIZZA INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$200.00 TO BE USED FOR MANPOWER IN THE CITY'S PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT.

4. CITIZENS PARTICIPATION

5. INTRODUCTION OF ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS, APPOINTMENTS AND/OR RE-APPOINTMENTS TO COMMISSIONS. MOTIONS & REPORTS OF

BOARDS & COMMITTEES:

A.
MOTIONS

B.
REMOVAL OF PARKING METERS LOCATED IN THE 200 AND 300 BLOCKS OF ARTHUR AVENUE, BETWEEN MULBERRY AND LINDEN STREETS AND IN THE 1700 AND 1800 BLOCKS OF MULBERRY STREET AND IN THE 1700 AND 1800 BLOCKS OF LINDEN STREET, AND THE 300 BLOCK OF COLFAX AVENUE, AS MORE PARTICULARLY DESCRIBED IN THE CORRESPONDENCE AND ON THE DIAGRAM FROM COMMUNITY MEDICAL CENTER ATTACHED HERETO AND THEREAFTER, TO INSTITUTE DAILY PERMIT PARKING FOR COMMUNITY MEDICAL CENTER EMPLOYEES.

C.

REGULATING THE SALE OF METHYLENEDIOXPYROVALERONE (MDPV) AND METHADONES COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS "BATH SALTS" AND/OR ANY DERIVATIVES TO MINORS; THE POSSESSION OF METHYLENEDIOXPYROVALERONE (MDPV) AND METHADONES COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS "BATH SALTS" AND/OR ANY DERIVATIVES BY MINORS; AND PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT OF THESE PROVISIONS, INCLUDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

D.

REGULATING THE SALE OF METHYLENEDIOXPYROVALERONE (MDPV) AND METHADONES COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS "BATH SALTS" AND/OR ANY DERIVATIVES FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR HUMAN INGESTION; PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF METHADONES AND METHYLENEDIOXPYROVALERONE (MDPV) COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS "BATH SALTS" AND/OR ANY DERIVATIVES FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR HUMAN INJECTION AND PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE AND PRODUCTION OF METHADONES AND METHYLENEDIOXPYROVALERONE (MDPV) COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS "BATH SALTS" AND/OR ANY DERIVATIVES AND PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT OF THESE PROVISIONS, INCLUDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

E.

REGULATING THE SALE OF SYNTHETIC CANNABINOIDS AND/OR ITS DERIVATIVES TO MINORS; PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF SYNTHETIC CANNABINOIDS AND/OR ITS DERIVATIVES BY MINORS; AND PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT OF THESE PROVISIONS, INCLUDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

F.

REGULATING THE SALE OF SYNTHETIC CANNABINOIDS AND/OR ANY DERIVATIVES FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR HUMAN INGESTION; PROHIBITING THE POSSESSION OF SYNTHETIC CANNABINOIDS AND/OR ITS DERIVATIVES FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION OR HUMAN INJECTION AND PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURE AND PRODUCTION OF SYNTHETIC CANNABINOIDS AND/OR ANY DERIVATIVES AND PROVIDING FOR ENFORCEMENT OF THESE PROVISIONS, INCLUDING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS.

G.

AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND OTHER APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS TO GRANT A SPECIAL ENCROACHMENT PERMIT TO PIZZA BY PAPPAS TO OPERATE AN OUTDOOR RESTAURANT AT 303 NORTH WASHINGTON AVENUE, SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA.

6. CONSIDERATION OF ORDINANCES – READING BY TITLE –

A. NO BUSINESS AT THIS TIME.

7. FINAL READING OF RESOLUTIONS AND ORDINANCES –
CONSIDERATION FOR ADOPTION:

A.

FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT

FOR ADOPTION-RESOLUTION NO. 18, 2011 – ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE HISTORICAL ARCHITECTURE REVIEW BOARD (“HARB”) AND APPROVING THE CERTIFICATE OF APPROPRIATENESS FOR A+SIGNS, INC., 259 SOUTH KEYSER AVENUE, OLD FORGE, PENNSYLVANIA, FOR INSTALLATION OF ONE SINGLE-SIDED SIGN ON FRONT FASCIA OF BUILDING; ONE NON-ILLUMINATED PANEL TO BE 4’ 6”X 28’; LETTERS ON PANEL TO BE INTERNALLY ILLUMINATED CHANNEL LETTERS; LETTERS TO BE INTERNALLY ILLUMINATED WITH LED LIGHTING SYSTEM; LETTERS TO BE FABRICATED OF ALUMINUM RETURNS WITH PLEXI GLASS FACES AND EXISTING AWNING TO BE REPLACED WITH BURGANDY COLORED FABRIC AT 135 WYOMING AVENUE, SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA.

B.

FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT

FOR ADOPTION-RESOLUTION NO. 14, 2011 (PREVIOUSLY TABLED) – AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND OTHER APPROPRIATE CITY OFFICIALS FOR THE CITY OF SCRANTON TO ENTER INTO AN AMENDMENT TO ITS CONTRACT WITH THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE CONCERNING THE RENOVATION OF THE CONNELL BUILDING IN ORDER TO INCREASE THE GRANT FUNDING THEREUNDER BY

\$250,000.00 FOR SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS.

8. ADJOURNMENT:

NANCY KRAKE
CITY CLERK
SCRANTON, PENNSYLVANIA