

# REGULAR MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL MONDAY, MAY 08, 2023 7:00 PM

# EVERETT CITY HALL, 484 BROADWAY, CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 3RD FLOOR EVERETT, MA 02149

#### **ROLL CALL**

#### **Members Present**

Irene Cardillo, Darren Costa, John Hanlon, Alfred Lattanzi, Stephanie Martins, Wayne Matewsky, Vivian Nguyen, Stephanie Smith, Michael Marchese

Meeting called to order at 7:00PM

#### PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

#### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

The following individuals spoke at public participation: Samantha Lambert, Kit Bridge, John Puopolo, Steve Iannaco, Sandy Juliano, Paul Pietrantonio, Sasquiace Bosquet

## APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the City Council of April 24, 2023

Minutes were not approved, and have been moved to the May 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting for approval

#### COMMUNICATIONS FROM HIS HONOR THE MAYOR

1. C0139-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending the acceptance of a donation in the amount of \$200.00 from Albanese Bros Inc. for the Summer Jobs Program

MOTION: Favorable Action

MOVER: Stephanie Smith SECONDER: Alfred Lattanzi RESULT: Passed [7 TO 0]

RESULT. Fassed [7 10 0]

AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Cardillo, Marchese

## 2. C0140-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending the acceptance of a donation in the amount of \$1,500.00 from Mintz Levin for the Summer Jobs Program

## 3. C0141-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending the acceptance of a donation in the amount of \$25,000.00 from Greystar for the Summer Jobs Program

MOTION: Favorable Action

MOVER: Stephanie Martins

SECONDER: Darren Costa

RESULT: Passed [7 TO 0]

AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Cardillo, Marchese

### 4. C0142-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending the acceptance of a donation of 30 pizzas with a total dollar value of \$589.69 from Fuentes Kitchen to the Canciones y Comida event in Everett.

MOTION: Favorable Action
MOVER: Vivian Nguyen
SECONDER: Stephanie Smith
RESULT: Passed [7 TO 0]

AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Cardillo, Marchese

#### 5. C0144-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order requesting the confirmation of the appointments of the following individuals to the Everett Police Department: Nicholas Maloof, John Comeford, Brittany Bolduc, Sandra Rivas.

MOTION: Favorable Action
MOVER: Stephanie Smith
SECONDER: Wayne Matewsky

RESULT: [9 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith,

Marchese

NAYS:

AWAY:

## 6. C0145-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order requesting the confirmation on the re-appointment of William Hart as a member of the Board of Assessors for a term of three (3) years, expiring May 31, 2026

MOTION: Favorable Action

MOVER: Alfred Lattanzi
SECONDER: Stephanie Martins

RESULT: 17 TO 01

AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Cardillo, Marchese

#### 7. C0146-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending approval to accept and expend donations totaling \$1,250.00 from Malden Transportation \$1,000.00, & Weston & Sampson \$250.00, for the Summer Jobs program

MOTION: Favorable Action

MOVER: Stephanie Smith

SECONDER: Stephanie Martins

RESULT: [7 TO 0]

AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Cardillo, Marchese

#### 8. C0149-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending approval to accept and expend a Local Food Policy Council Grant from the Massachusetts Department of Agricultural Resources (MDAR) in the amount of \$17,991.00

MOTION: Favorable Action

MOVER: Wayne Matewsky SECONDER: Stephanie Smith

RESULT: [7 TO 0]

AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Cardillo, Marchese

# 9. C0150-23 Appointment/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending the confirmation of the appointments of the individuals on the attached list as Sworn Weighers for Exelon Generation at 18 Rover Street, for an unpaid term of one year, expiring June 8, 2024

MOTION: Favorable Action
MOVER: Stephanie Smith
SECONDER: Wayne Matewsky

RESULT: [7 TO 0]

AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Cardillo, Marchese

### 10. C0151-23 Ordinance/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An ordinance establishing revolving funds in the City of Everett

MOTION: Amend

MOVER: Stephanie Smith SECONDER: Darren Costa

RESULT: [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

C.F.O. Eric Demas appeared before the Council to explain this item, and answer questions . Amended to take out the section "And It Further Be Ordered" regarding the revolving funds

MOTION: Enrolled

MOVER: Stephanie Smith SECONDER: Darren Costa

RESULT: [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

## 11. C0152-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order requesting the approval of an appropriation of \$307,552 from Receipts Reserved for Appropriation – Bond Premiums and \$178,448 from Receipts Reserved for Appropriation – Parking for a total of \$486,000 to fund the replacement of parking kiosks around the city

MOTION: Referred to Ways & Means Committee

MOVER: Stephanie Smith SECONDER: Darren Costa

RESULT: [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

12. C0153-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending approval to accept and expend a donation from Mundo Infantil Child Care in the amount of \$300.00 for the Canciones y Comida event.

MOTION: Favorable Action

MOVER: Stephanie Smith

SECONDER: Darren Costa
RESULT: [7 TO 0]

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AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Cardillo, Marchese

## **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

13. C0058-23 Ordinance/s/ Councilor Stephanie Martins, Councilor Darren M. Costa

An Ordinance Amending Section 32 B 1 of the Zoning Ordinances: Inclusionary Zoning

MOTION: Postpone

MOVER: Stephanie Martins
SECONDER: Stephanie Smith
RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

14. C0098-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Stephanie Martins

That the ARPA panel consider engaging with the Everett Public Schools for feedback and a wider public reach

MOTION: Refer to Administration with an answer in writing

MOVER: Stephanie Martins
SECONDER: Darren Costa
RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

15. C0120-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, Councilor Darren M. Costa

A resolution requesting that the Mayor's Office provides the City Council with a copy of the 2019 School Space Study from the Mount Vernon Group

MOTION:

Placed on file

MOVER:

Darren Costa

SECONDER:

Stephanie Smith

RESULT:

Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES:

Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY:

Marchese

#### 16. C0124-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending the creation of a new special purpose stabilization fund, to be known as the Opioid Settlement Stabilization Fund and further, to appropriate \$193,152.27 from the Budgetary Fund Balance ("Free Cash") to establish said fund, such amount being equal to that received by the city from opioid litigation settlements...

MOTION:

**Favorable Action** 

MOVER:

Stephanie Smith

SECONDER:

Alfred Lattanzi

**RESULT:** 

Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES:

Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY:

Marchese

#### 17. C0125-23 Order/s/ Councilor Michael K. Marchese, as President

An order recommending the adoption of the last paragraph MGL Chapter 40, Section 5B and dedicate to said Opioid Settlement Stabilization Fund, without further appropriation, 100% of the opioid litigation settlement funds received by the city

MOTION:

**Favorable Action** 

MOVER:

Stephanie Smith

SECONDER:

Alfred Lattanzi

RESULT:

Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES:

Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY:

Marchese

## 18. C0129-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Darren M. Costa

A resolution requesting that the Administration provide a high-level cost analysis for their vision of the construction of a new high school building and its operations.

MOTION:

Placed on file

MOVER:

Darren Costa

SECONDER:

Stephanie Smith

RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

#### 19. C0134-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Stephanie Martins

That Representative McGonagle and State Senator DiDomenico provide an update on the Home Rule Petition creating the Cadet Program

MOTION: Referred to Senator DiDomenico & Representative McGonagle for

a response

MOVER: Stephanie Martins
SECONDER: Stephanie Smith
RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

# 20. C0135-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Stephanie Martins

That the CFO provide an update on the status of the process of building the new police station

**MOTION:** Referred to the C.F.O. for a response

MOVER: Stephanie Martins
SECONDER: Alfred Lattanzi
RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

# 21. C0136-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Stephanie Martins

That the Planning Board/ZBA consider sharing their agenda with the City Council as it gets posted and attaching public documents/presentations pertaining to each item to the agenda that is posted online for increased transparency

MOTION: Referred to Planning Board & Zoning Board of Appeals

MOVER: Stephanie Martins
SECONDER: Wayne Matewsky
RESULT: Passed [5 TO 3]

AYES: Costa, Hanlon, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen

NAYS: Cardillo, Lattanzi, Smith

AWAY: Marchese

# 22. C0147-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Stephanie V. Smith

That the Administration provide the City Council with the requested attached FY24 budget data by department in an electronic format in addition to paper packages.

MOTION: Referred to C.F.O.

MOVER: Stephanie Smith

SECONDER: Wayne Matewsky

RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

# 23. C0154-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Vivian Nguyen

To add a speed bump at the intersection of Kinsman St., Bradford St, and Park Rd.

MOTION: Referred to Traffic Commission, Sergeant Gaff, & Chief Mazzie

MOVER: Vivian Nguyen
SECONDER: Stephanie Smith
RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

# 24. C0155-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Vivian Nguyen, Councilor Stephanie Martins

That the administration consider using ARPA funds for an on-demand micro-transit pilot program.

MOTION: Referred to Administration

MOVER: Vivian Nguyen
SECONDER: Stephanie Martins
RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

# 25. C0156-23 Resolution/s/ Councilor Stephanie Martins

That the speed bump on Chestnut Street that was removed during the winter be returned.

MOTION: Referred to the Traffic Commission

MOVER: Stephanie Martins
SECONDER: Vivian Nguyen
RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

26. C0157-23 Ordinance/s/ Councilor Vivian Nguyen, Councilor Stephanie Martins

An Ordinance Banning the Sale of Nips in the City of Everett

MOTION: Amended to add Councilor Nguyen as the main sponsor

MOVER: Stephanie Martins
SECONDER: Vivian Nguyen
RESULT: Passed [7 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen

NAYS:

AWAY: Smith, Marchese

MOTION: Referred to City Solicitor, postponed

MOVER: Stephanie Martins
SECONDER: Vivian Nguyen
RESULT: Passed [7 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen

NAYS:

AWAY: Smith, Marchese

# **MAINTENANCE REQUESTS**

A. Councilor Wayne A. Matewsky

That City Services remove 9ft high unsightly tree stump at 19 Bailey St at homeowner's request

MOTION: Refer

MOVER: Darren Costa
SECONDER: Stephanie Martins
RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

#### ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:29pm

MOTION: Favorable Action
MOVER: Darren Costa
SECONDER: Alfred Lattanzi

RESULT: Passed [8 TO 0]

AYES: Cardillo, Costa, Hanlon, Lattanzi, Martins, Matewsky, Nguyen, Smith

NAYS:

AWAY: Marchese

Respectfully Submitted

Clerk of the City Council