AGENDA – UPDATED APRIL 15, 2022

Roll Call
Moment of Silence
Pledge of Allegiance
Minutes for Council Approval: 03/01/22 & 04/05/22
Public Participation

Public Hearing
326/19 Handicapped Parking-21-23 Shawsheen Road-Wilmarie Roman
272/21 Handicapped Parking-203 West Street-Maria Alicea
274/21 Handicapped Parking-16 Buswell Street-Pedro Obando
279/21 Resident Parking only on Champlain Avenue-Councilor Rodriguez
280/21 4 Way Stop at intersection of Margin and Melvin Street-Councilor Rodriguez
292/21 Handicapped Parking-68 Bunkerhill Street-Felix Breton and Councilor Estela Reyes
13/22 Handicapped Parking-32 Lawrence Street-Anna Melendez
14/22 Fifteen Minute Parking- [Currently 2 Hour Parking]-Suazo Market-50 Inman Street-Luis Suazo
57/22 National Grid-To install two new manholes on Essex Street [between Appleton St. and Jackson St.] – work to be done between 9:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m.  Dave Johnson, Supervisor
62/22 Resident Parking Only [from West Street between Acton Street and Florence St.]-Councilor Delrosario
72/22 Request to change Ordinance 2.64.270, Capital Asset Project Manager, submitted by CAFO Mark Ianello, sponsored by Mayor Brian DePeña.

Matters Pending a Public Hearing:
112/21 Acceptance of Diamond Street as a Public Way-Laiza L. St. Onge, Project Manager-Waiting on Engineering Department for Public Hearing Notice Language
140/21 Handicapped Parking-132 Margin Street-Councilor Rodriguez
170/21 Change Montgomery Street One Way-Councilor De La Cruz-Waiting on Engineering Report
39/22 Modify resident permit parking where there is currently resident permit parking on Merrimack St. to 2 Hour parking limit, Except Resident Sticker-President Laplante- Sent to City Attorney 3/16/22
Handicapped Parking – DELETE, 66-68 Osgood Street submitted by President Laplante, sent to City Attorney 4-6-22.

Request to approve change to Ordinance 2.12.050 Executive Assistant, Ordinance 2.12.030 Administrative Aide Special Projects, and Ordinance 2.12.040 Administrative Communications and Constituent Services, requested by Mayor Brian DePena, sent to City Attorney 4/6/22.

Resolutions:
- 129/22 Resolution to accept Lawrence lithograph gift from former City Councilor James (Jay) Dowd-President Laplante
- 131/22 Resolution in recognition of Angela Peña – Councilor Rodriguez

Committee Reports:
Committee of the Whole:
- 111/22 Council Comments to the Massachusetts Historical Commission on the Canal License-President Laplante

Budget and Finance:
- 76/22 Review & Approval of Annual Application to HUD for a CDBG Grant-HOME grant [$875,762]-ESG grant [$146,568]-Susan Fink, Manager of Financial & Admin Services
- 108/22 SEIU Local 888 Supervisors & Administrators Union-Collective Bargaining Agreement-Funding Approval-Mark Ianello, Chief Administrative & Finance Officer

Ordinance and Inter-Governmental Relations Committee:
- 55/22 Parking [15 minutes]-152 South Union St.-Nailuxe Lounge-Yennifer Vasquez-Councilor Celina Reyes-Pub. Hrg. Ordered
- 83/22 Junk Dealer License-Auto Recyclers Group, LLC-48-50 Medford Street-Robert Nash
- 87/22 Reigning in the Valley-08/19 & 08/20-Campagnone Common-Steven Ortega, AMEDAL
- 90/22 Earth Day-Campagnone Common-04/30/22-[7am-3pm]-Eddie Rosa, Groundwork Lawrence
- 92/22 United Way Community Baby Shower-Campagnone Common-05/07/22-[10am-2pm]-Hope Daveport, Greater Lawrence Community Action Council, Inc.
- 93/22 Puerto Rican Pride Parade & Festival-Campagnone Common-08/07/22-[11am-10pm]-Fernando Aguila, Pegate a las 4
- 95/22 Esperanza Academy-Graduation Ceremony-Campagnone Common-06/11/22-[9am-12pm]-Helen Pickad, Esperanza Academy
- 103/22 Request to change Ordinances-Ord. 2.12.060 (Scheduling Secretary)-Ord. 2.12.070 (Receptionist)-Ord. 2.12.090 (Program Coordinator for Economic Development)-Ord. 2.104.060 (Human Rights Executive Director)-Mayor Brian A. DePena
- 105/22 Reclassification of the Chief Administrative Officer Position-Mayor Brian A. DePena

Withdrawals:
- 89/22 Autism Awareness-O’Connell Park-04/30/22-[1pm-4pm]-Deliferd Rodriguez-Ord. Cmt.

Old Business:
- 101/22 Amend Rule 15-Question in Possession of Council-Councilor Rodriguez and Vice President Reyes.
- 102/22 Add Rule 26-Parliamentary Authority-Councilor Rodriguez and Vice President Reyes.
Tabled Matters: [updated: 04-14-22]:

133/14 Military/Veteran Recognition-Councilor Laplante-Taken off table 2-1-22-[Re-tabled]-2-1-22

Taken off table 2-1-22-[Re-tabled]-2-1-22


Taken off table 2-1-22-[Re-tabled]-2-1-22

11/18 Creation of City Council Standing Subcommittee on Education – Counc. De La Cruz – Ord. Cmt

85B/18 Rental Insurance Policy Requirement for All Rental Units- [Sec. 15.12.065] - Counc. Payano – Public Hearing

110/18 Haverhill St–One way between Prospect and Haverhill Sts–Counc. Levy – Public Hearing Open [8-21-18]

121/18 Recycling Program Ordinance-Counc. Payano-Ord. [PH Closed] [ud] [01-07-20]

189/18 A&M Auto Body, Inc. – 341 South Broadway –Zoning Amendment [Executive Session Anticipated] [T] [01-29-19]

Taken off table 2-1-22-[Re-tabled]-2-1-22

214/18 Board of Health Ordinance Amendment–Counc. Payano–Public Hearing Closed [8-21-18]

326/18 Lawrence Opioid Litigation – Councilor Payano and Council Vice Pres. Rodriguez [T] [12-4-18]

328/18 Lawrence Emergency Response- Councilor Payano[T] [09-18-18]

355/18 Arlington Street – One Way [30 minutes from 3pm to 3:30pm] in front of the Arlington School,
Counciler. DePeña [T] [05-21-19]


39/19 Handicapped Parking–2 Bennington Street-[T]- [03-16-21]

170/19 Resolutions- Recognition of Lawrence Academic Achievers-Councilor Laplante-[T] [06-04-19]

243/19 Request to display and sell produce-127 South Union St-Tropical fruit Corp.-Ysidro Polo-Ord. Committee,
[T] [09-03-19]

315/19 One Side Parking Only-Sunset Ave.-Councilor. De Pena [T] [PH Closed-Motion to Approve Pending [03-10-20]


[T-Recommit] [03-24-20]

71/20 JRM Carting Discussion-Councilor. Jeovanny Rodriguez [T] [03-24-20]

77/20 Appropriation Transfer-Resident Legal Assistance Fund-Mayor Rivera[T] [03-24-20]

81/20 No Parking-William Street-at corner of 50 Josephine Ave.-Councilor. De La Cruz [T] [03-02-21]


125/20 Petition to rename Columbus Day to Indigenous People’s Day-Frank Bonet-Ord. Cmt. -[T]- [03-16-21]-Re-tabled

280/20 Tenant Parking Only Sign-17 Alma Street Apt. 3-Elizabeth Ramos-Tabled 3-15-22

11/21 Loading/Unloading zone to support expansion of Revolving Test Kitchen-Intersection of Hampshire and Common
Street-Derek Mitchell, Executive Director of the Lawrence Partnership-Pub. Hrg. [T] 5-04-21

143/21 City Council Social Media Policy-Council President Laplante- [T] 08-03-21


283/21 Christmas Decoration-Campagnone Common Park [Across City Hall]-Mayor De Peña, Recreation Dept. and
Councilor Estela Reyes [T] 02-01-22

285/21 Christmas Decoration-Warehouse Square [1 Union Street]-Ateneo Dominicano and Councilor Estela Reyes-
Ord. Committee - [T] 02-01-22

50/22 Request to add position of Assistant Fire Chief-Chief Brian Moriarty, Fire Dept.-Tabled 3-15-22

70/22 Council Order, regarding poll worker compensation submitted by Councilor Levy and Councilor Rodriguez,
ORDERED: That the City Council hereby approves poll worker compensation rates as follows: Personnel to whom
the duties of voting tabulations are assigned - Inspectors, Minimum hourly wage plus 20%. Clerks, Minimum hourly
wage plus 25%. Wardens, Minimum hourly wage plus 30%. Personnel to whom the duties of early voting
tabulations are assigned, Minimum hourly wage plus 25%. Training for Inspectors, Clerks, and Wardens $20.00 an
hour. Tabled 4-5-22.
Resolution recognizing Lawrence High School Senior Jorday Volquez submitted by Councilor Payano. Tabled 4-5-22.

New Business:

112/22 Handicapped Parking-83 Warwick Street-Nereida Madera
113/22 Stop Sign Request-Newbury Street at Summer Street-Liliana Escobar
114/22 Appointment of Marlene Ferrer to the position of Voting Member for the Lawrence Planning Board [By Mayor Brian A. Depeña] (Submitted April 7, 2022)-Daniel McCarthy, Land Use Planner
115/22 Appointment of Francisco A. Abad to the position of Associate Member for the Lawrence Planning Board [By Mayor Brian A. Depeña] (Submitted April 7, 2022)-Daniel McCarthy, Land Use Planner
116/22 Un Dia de Clamor-O’Connell Park-09/03/22 [4-7PM]-Maribel Maldonado
117/22 Christian Community Fellowship Church Family Event-Gagnon Park-06/18/22 [11AM-7PM]-Anita Rodriguez
118/22 Junk Dealer License-Windfield Alloy, Inc.-15 Medford Street-Brandon Tetler
119/22 Old Gold License-Kajoma Joyeria-200-204 Broadway-Julio Ormaza
120/22 Stop Sign Request-1 North Parish Road-Luis A. Rivera, Jr.
121/22 Handicapped Parking-80 Trenton Street-Ana Martinez
122/22 Olive in July Anniversary Celebration-Campagnone Common-07/09/22 [2-7PM]-Eulalia Feliz
123/22 Traffic management during construction operations permit process, rules and regulations-Councilor Rodriguez
124/22 Enforcement plan for illegal/non-registered motorcycles-Councilor Rodriguez
125/22 Noise handling by illegal/non-registered motorcycles-Councilor Rodriguez
126/22 Quarterly Site visits to Lawrence Public Schools including but not limited to LHS to observe academic process and safety issues or concerns-Councilor Rodriguez
127/22 License plate reader’s technology update concerns-Councilor Rodriguez
128/22 Public cameras system update-Councilor Rodriguez
129/22 The Dream Network (Basketball)-O’Connell Park-06/25/22-Stacy Seward
130/22 Platform Outreach Ministries, Inc.-Campagnone Common-08/26 & 08/27 [1-6PM]-Ehimen Edokpa