

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH • CITY OF BINGHAMTON

Giovanni Scaringi, Ph.D., City Council President Janine Faulkner, City Clerk

CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION MINUTES City Hall, 38 Hawley St, Binghamton 6pm Monday, August 21, 2023

Called to Order by President Scaringi at 6:00pm

Present: Resciniti, Friedman, Burns (6:06pm), Strawn, Scanlon, Scaringi

Absent: Riley

Also Present: Janine Faulkner (City Clerk), John Sperduti (Deputy City Clerk), Nicole Sabasowitz (1st Assist.

Corporation Counsel), Mehtasim Mahfuz (Asst. Corporation Counsel)

The Work Session begins at 6pm. Times for RL(s)/Topics are approximate only and items may be considered earlier or later.

Time	Committee	Chair	RL/Topic	Pages	Presenter
6:00pm	Finance	Scanlon	RL23-174: Amend the General Fund for third round of Health Care Workers Bonus for the Fire Department	1-2	Alan Gardiner
6:05pm	Finance	Scanlon	*RL23-173: Amend the BJCJSTF budget for FEMA reimbursement	3-4	Billie Goodson
6:10pm	Finance	Scanlon	*RL23-177: Amend 2023 budget to fund emergency repairs to the Parks and Recreation Department Maintenance Garage	5-6	Megan Heiman
6:15pm	PW/Parks	Resciniti	RL23-181: To enter into Preservation Covenant with the NYS Office of Parks, Recreation and Historic Preservation for the Ross Park Carousel	7-15	Juliet Berling
6:20pm	Finance	Scanlon	*RL23-178: To amend the 2023 budget for emergency demolition of the fire damaged property at 33 Charlotte Street *RL23-180: To authorize the Mayor to accept monies in revolving loan funds from the BLDC as CDBG Program income RL23-176: To void O21-87 to unallocated ARPA funds	16-26	Megan Heiman
6:25pm	Finance	Scanlon	RL23-179: To allocate ARPA funds for a police retention incentive	27-28	Mayor Kraham
6:30pm	Employees	Strawn	RL23-175: To enter into an agreement with the Binghamton PBA for 2024-2026	29-32	Mayor Kraham
6:35pm	Finance	Scanlon	RL23-182: To amend 2023 Police and Corporation Counsel budgets for legal bills	33-34	Nicole Sabasowitz
6:40pm			Pending Legislation: *Found on the website calendar with the prior Work Session documents.		Janine Faulkner



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RL23-168: Enter into supplemental agreement 3	
with Barton & Loguidice for Phase 2 of DECO	
District project	
RL23-169: Apply for a grant from the NYS Home	
& Community Renewal Affordable Housing	
Corporation Home Improvement Program	

COMMITTEE REPORTS

*Please Expedite for Next Business Meeting

Motion to adjourn at 6:37pm: Scanlon

Second: Strawn All in Favor