

The City Council met in regular session in the Council Chambers on Wednesday, July 7, 2010 at 9:00 A.M.

Council Members present: Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski, and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

On motion of Mr. Schember, Seconded by Mr. Aleksandrowicz, the reading of the minutes of the Meeting of June 16, 2010 were dispensed with and same adopted with copies furnished to the members of City Council by yeas Council Members, Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

Copies of the bills under date of June 25, 2010, July 2, 2010 and July 9, 2010 were given to City Council and same adopted by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

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By Mr. Schember, Council File Ordinance #15,723,

An ordinance amending Ordinance No. 26-1958, the Traffic Code of the City of Erie by the installation of **stop signs** at the following intersections:

- 1). Averlon Ave and Royal Ave - stopping Royal Ave.
- 2). Averlon Ave and Zoar Ave - stopping Zoar Ave.
- 3). Averlon Ave and Balboa Ave - stopping Balboa Ave.
- 4). Meade Ave and Royal Ave - stopping Royal Ave.
- 5). Meade Ave and Zoar Ave - stopping Zoar Ave.
- 6). Meade Ave and Balboa Ave - stopping Balboa Ave.
- 7). West 34<sup>th</sup> and Washington Ave - stopping West 34<sup>th</sup>.
- 8). West 28<sup>th</sup> and Auburn St - stopping West 28<sup>th</sup> St.
- 9). East 2<sup>nd</sup> St and Sobieski St - stopping Sobieski St.
- 10). East Front St and Sobieski St - stopping Sobieski St.
- 11). West 4<sup>th</sup> and Shenley Dr - stopping West 4<sup>th</sup> St.
- 12). West 2<sup>nd</sup> and Peach St - stopping Peach St.
- 13). Parade Blvd /Lakeview Blvd - stopping NB Parade Blvd.

July 7, 2010. City Council on motion of Mr. Schember, Seconded by Mr. Aleksandrowicz, having read Council File Ordinance #15,723, does hereby adopt on First Reading by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

By Mr. Jones, Council File Ordinance #15,724,

An ordinance appropriating the sum of **\$84,740.00** from unappropriated and anticipated revenue; \$50,000 to be received as a Grant from the PA. Department of Community and Economic Development Account #316-1216-0000-3336; \$28,601.00 received earnings from the Enterprise Zone Revolving Loan Fund Account #316-1216-0000-3931 and \$6,139.00 program income Account #316-1216-0000-3699 and providing for the expenditure thereof by allocating said funds to various 316-1216-0000-40xx accounts.

July 7, 2010. City Council on motion of Mr. Jones, Seconded by Mr. Schember, having read Council File Ordinance #15,724, does hereby adopt on First Reading by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

By Mr. Cappabianca, Council File Ordinance #15,725,

An ordinance appropriating the sum of **\$93,848.61** from unappropriated and anticipated revenue from the 2010 Insurance Fraud Prevention Authority Account #231-0613-2010-3337 and providing for the expenditure thereof by allocating said funds to various 231-0613-2010-40xx accounts.

July 7, 2010. City Council on motion of Mr. Cappabianca, Seconded by Mr. Aleksandrowicz, having read Council File Ordinance #15,725, does hereby adopt on First Reading by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

By Mr. Thompson, Seconded by Mr. Aleksandrowicz, Resolved, etc.

That the proper City Officials are authorized to **abate the demolition lien** against property known as **669 Hess Avenue**, Erie, PA. identified as Index #(14)001-0010-23600 by the Erie County Tax Claim Bureau. (Lien was filed subsequent to the transfer of the property to the current owners and its existence was not known prior to the transfer of title). Amount of lien is \$10,621.89.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 6. Nays. 1. Mr. Cappabianca  
July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Schember, Seconded by Mr. Winarski, Resolved, etc.,

That the proper City Officials are authorized and directed to execute an **Easement Agreement** between the City of Erie and **EJH Entertainment LLC**, tenant of 8 East 10<sup>th</sup> Street, Index No. (15) 2001-119, in compliance with the attached City Engineer's metes and bounds descriptions locating one (1) entrance into the East 10<sup>th</sup> Street right-of-way for outside dining.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.  
July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Schember, Seconded by Mr. Winarski, Resolved, etc.,

That the proper City Officials are authorized and directed to execute an **Easement Agreement** between the City of Erie and **Sarah and Jason Fultz**, owners of 8 East 10<sup>th</sup> Index No. (15) 2001-119, in compliance with the attached City Engineer's metes and bounds descriptions locating one (1) entrance into the East 10<sup>th</sup> Street right-of-way for a permanent handicap entrance.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.  
July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

Memo To: Mayor Joseph Sinnott  
FROM: Thomas McIntire, Erie Enterprise Zone Coordinator  
DATE: July 1, 2010  
RE: Enterprise Zone Loan Review Committee Membership Term  
Renewal and New Member  
Cc: Kim Green, Director EC & CD

Mayor:  
Please authorize the following Enterprise Zone Loan Review Committee existing member term renewals effective September 1, 2010:

<u>Member</u>	<u>Term. Exp.</u>
James B. Ohrn, CFO, Custom Engineering Co. (Term renewal)	8/31/12
R. Larry Bossolt, Executive Director, Erie Redevelopment Authority (term renewal)	8/31/12

Both individuals have already agreed to extend their present terms beyond 08/31/2010 to provide continuity to our loan process. These are two of the five individuals that assist us with the review of loan requests that come before the Erie Enterprise Zone Loan Review Committee. These individuals are valuable resources for our enterprise zone loan process.

The experience available from all five members will be of direct benefit to Chris Groner as he assumes his new responsibilities as the Enterprise Zone Coordinator.

With your concurrence, the attached resolution will be submitted for the City Council Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, July 7, 2010.

If you have any questions, please call me at 870-1272  
Thank you.

By Mr. Jones, Seconded by Mrs. Horan-Kunco, Resolved, etc.

That City Council hereby confirms the Mayor's appointments and term extension for the **Enterprise Zone Loan Review Committee** Membership from September 1, 2010 as follows:

<u>Member</u>	<u>Term. Exp.</u>
James B. Ohrn, CFO, Custom Engineering Co. (Term renewal)	8/31/12
R. Larry Bossolt, Executive Director, Erie Redevelopment Authority (term renewal)	8/31/12

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.  
July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

Memo To: Members of City Council  
FROM: Christopher M. Groner, Enterprise Zone Coordinator  
RE: City Council Ratification of Enterprise Zone Loans

On June 29, 2010, our EZ Loan Review Committee acted favorably on the loan proposal(s) listed below. Therefore, we have prepared the attached resolution, which requests ratification of the approval at the City Council Meeting scheduled for Wednesday, July 7, 2010.

**TM Industrial Supply Inc., 1432 Walnut Street, Erie, PA. (Heather C. Steiner, President; Carl A. Steiner, 50.16% Owner):** Heather Steiner made the presentation on behalf of the business. This company, which was founded by Carl A. Steiner in 1976, engineers and builds customized filtration equipment which is used around in applications such as oil platforms, paper mills and power plants. They are presently faced with a situation that requires some roof repair and replacement along with an upgrade of some existing cranes along with the purchase of one new overhead crane. These improvements are vital to the ongoing operation of this business.

To assist them in this process our Loan Review Committee approved a \$128,503 loan for 15 years in conjunction with another \$128,503 that will be provided through a loan from the Northwest Commission Small Business Loan Program. We will have a pro-rata shared security interest in company assets and Carl A. and Donna M. Steiner will guarantee the loan.

The company presently employees 37 people in family-sustaining jobs and they want to preserve those jobs in Erie at 1432 Walnut Street.

We look forward to City Council's ratification of this request. If you have any questions, please direct them to my attention at 870-1272.

By Mr. Jones, Seconded by Mrs. Horan-Kunco, Resolved, etc.

That the Enterprise Zone Loan Review Committee's approval of a loan to **TM Industrial Supply, Inc.**, (Heather C. Steiner, President and Carl A. Steiner, owner) in the amount of \$128,503.00 for 15 years at a fixed rate of 4.00% per annum with a one time processing fee of \$642.00 for improvements vital to the operation of their business is hereby ratified. This loan is in conjunction with another loan from the Northwest Commission Small Business Loan Program.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Schember, Seconded by Mr. Winarski, Resolved, etc.,

That **Change Order #1** on the contract of **Vavala Concrete Construction, LLC**, 2059 West 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Erie, PA for the 2010 Curb Ramps IA, Bid #1644-10A, as recommended and concurred with by the Bureau of Engineering is hereby approved; the original contract amount was \$151,120.35 with Change Order addition of \$6,772.63 for a final contract amount of \$157,892.98

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Schember, Seconded by Mr. Winarski, Resolved, etc.,

That the Plan Revision for New Land Development for **Saint Vincent Health Center** for a parcel of land identified as **In-Fill Building** for **Sewer Tap-ins** is hereby approved and is to be submitted to the Department of Environmental Protection for its approval.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Thompson, Seconded by Mr. Cappabianca, Resolved, etc.,

WHEREAS, the City of Erie Higher Education Building Authority (the "Authority") is a body Corporate and politic existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania pursuant to The Municipality Authorities Act, 53 Pa. C.S. Ch. 56, as amended (the "Act");

WHEREAS, The Act, among other things, empowers authorities created there under to Borrow money and to make and issue bonds and other evidences of indebtedness for the various purposes set forth in the Act and to secure payment of such bonds and other evidences of indebtedness or any part thereof by pledge of deed of trust of all or any of its revenues and receipts;

WHEREAS, Gannon University (the "Institution"), a Pennsylvania not-for-profit Institution, has undertaken a project of consisting of (i) construction of a 293-bed (approximate) student housing facility, (ii) site and infrastructure improvements and other miscellaneous capital improvements to existing facilities of the institution and acquisition of capital equipment for use in or in connection with the Institution's facilities; (iii) funding capitalized interest on the Bonds; (iv) funding a debt service reserve fund for the Bonds; and (v) payment of certain costs of issuing the Bonds (the "Project");

WHEREAS, in order to provide funds for the Project, the Institution has requested the Authority to issue its Revenue Bonds in an amount not to exceed \$20,000,000 (the "Bonds");

WHEREAS, the Act requires that the City Council of Erie County, Pennsylvania declare that it is desirable for the health, safety and welfare of the people in the area served by the Institution that the Project be financed by the Authority.

NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved:

1. The Project, the issuance of the Bonds, and the undertaking and completion by the Authority of all other matters necessary or convenient for the conclusion of the Project and the financing described hereinabove are hereby approved, and it is hereby declared that it is desirable for the health, safety and welfare of the people in the area served by the Institution that the Project be financed by the Authority.

2. Nothing in this Resolution shall be construed to pledge the credit or taxing power of the City of Erie, Pennsylvania nor shall such City be in any manner liable for any indebtedness arising out of this transaction.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Thompson, Seconded by Mr. Cappabianca, Resolved, etc.,

WHEREAS, the City of Erie Higher Education Building Authority (the "Authority") is a body corporate and politic existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania pursuant to the Municipality Authorities Act, as amended (the "Act"); and

WHEREAS, the members of the Board of Directors of the Authority have indicated their desire to amend the Articles of Incorporation of the Authority to extend the term of the Authority's existence from December 31, 2035 to July 6, 2060; and

WHEREAS, the Act requires that the Amendment to the Articles of Incorporation of the Authority be approved by the incorporating municipality, namely the City of Erie.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of the City of Erie, Pennsylvania, pursuant to its powers and in compliance with the provisions of the Act, that the City of Erie, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, hereby adopts this Resolution, adopting and approving the Authority's Resolution to amend its Articles of Incorporation in accordance with the provisions of the Articles of Amendment in the form provided as Exhibit A attached hereto. The appropriate officers of the Authority are hereby authorized and directed to execute, on behalf of the Authority, Articles of Amendment in substantially the form as provided in Exhibit A attached hereto and specifically incorporated herein by reference.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Winarski, Seconded by Mr. Aleksandrowicz, Resolved, etc.,

WHEREAS, the Erie Parking Authority has entered into an Agreement of Sale of Real Estate to Medical Associates of Erie;

WHEREAS, the Erie Parking Authority deems it is in the best interest of the Erie Parking Authority to consummate such sale to Medical Associates of Erie; and

WHEREAS, the Erie Parking Authority has entered into several bond issues over the years, and

WHEREAS, the original bond indenture dated the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 1987, as amended has a condition for sale of real estate (§9.07 attached hereto and made a part hereof) that requires the Authority to receive the written consent for the sale and disposition of the asset from the City of Erie; and

WHEREAS, The Mayor of the City of Erie, the Honorable Joseph E. Sinnott, has consented to such sale.

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Erie City Council as follows:

1. The City Council of the City of Erie does hereby consent to the sale of 2617 and 2621 Parade Street, Erie, Pennsylvania by the Erie Parking Authority to Medical Associates of Erie as described in the Agreement attached hereto; and

2. The Officers of City Council of the City of Erie area authorized to execute all documents, and take such further action as may be deemed necessary to consent to and expedite the closing contemplated by attached Agreement of Sale.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Aleksandrowicz, Seconded by Mr. Schember, Resolved, etc.,

That the **Annual Financial Statement** for the **Erie Regional Airport Authority** for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2009 is hereby received and ordered filed with the Finance Department.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

## COOPERATION AGREEMENT

THIS COOPERATION AGREEMENT made and entered into this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2010 by and among the Redevelopment Authority of the City of Erie (the "Grantee") and the CITY OF ERIE, Pennsylvania (the "City").

### Background

- A. Grantee is authorized to file an Application for Financial Assistance with the Office of the Budget of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (the "Application") for a Redevelopment Assistance Capital Grant (the "Grant") in the amount of \$3,800,000 for the Union Square Revitalization Project.
- B. The application requires the Grantee to apply for the Grant.
- C. The Grant requires the City authorize the Project and become obligated to reimburse the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (the "Commonwealth") for any reimbursements of Project expenses from Grant funds that may later be determined by the Commonwealth to have been ineligible.
- D. This Cooperation Agreement is intended to memorialize the agreement among the Grantee and the City regarding the Application, the Grant and the administration of Grant Funds.

### Terms of Agreement

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises hereinafter set forth, and intending to be legally bound hereby, the Grantee and City agree as follows:

1. Grantee will file the Application for the Grant for the Project and implement the activities set forth in the Application.
2. The Grantee shall act as the project manager and develop the Project with the expenditure of the Grant proceeds.
3. Grantee shall provide for the financial management and accountability of Grant funds. Grantee shall set up a separate bank account for Grant purposes.
4. Grantee will comply with all rules and regulations issued by the Office of the Budget of the Commonwealth that are applicable to the activities described in the Application, the other Grant documents, and in this Cooperation Agreement. The parties further agree to comply with all statutes, ordinances laws and regulations dealing with the prohibition against discrimination against any person because of race, color, religion, national origin, handicap, age or sex in the execution and performance of this Agreement.
5. The City shall reimburse the Office of the Budget of the Commonwealth for the Commonwealth's share of any expenditure, which are determined by the Office of the Budget to be ineligible expenditures.
6. Nothing contained in this Agreement is intended to, or shall be construed in any manner, as creating or establishing any partnership or joint venture between the Grantee and the City.
7. The Grantee shall comply with all accounting standards, documentation, recordkeeping and retention, and other requirements of the Grant documents, and shall provide proof of such compliance to the City upon request.
8. The rights and obligations of the Grantee and the Project Manager hereunder may not be assigned without the specific written consent of the City.

By Mr. Jones, Seconded by Mrs. Horan-Kunco, Resolved, etc.,

That the proper City Officials are authorized to execute a **Cooperation Agreement** between the City of Erie and the **Redevelopment Authority**, 917 State Street, Erie, PA whereby the Redevelopment Authority will apply for a Redevelopment Assistance Capital Grant in the amount of \$3,800,000 for utilization in the Union Square Revitalization Project under terms specified by the Commonwealth of PA and overseen by the Office of Budget.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Aleksandrowicz, Seconded by Mr. Schember, Resolved, etc.,

That the Mayor and City Controller are authorized and directed to execute contracts between the City of Erie and the following individuals and /or companies for goods and/or services as noted and the City Council does hereby ratify and confirm the transactions which are to be charged to the respective Budget Code Numbers , viz:

1. **Vavala Concrete Construction LLC**, 2059 West 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Erie, PA for the 2010 Curb Ramps II Project, in the amount of \$203,009.50 (lowest of three responsible bidders) for the Department of Public Works.
2. **McCreary Roofing Company, Inc.**, 1909 Chestnut Street, Erie, PA., for the proposed insulation and roof membrane for the Streets Garage, East 20<sup>th</sup> & French for the sum of \$292,900.00 for the Bureau of Engineering (lowest of four bids received).
3. **Joseph McCormick Construction, Co., Inc.**, 3340 Pearl Ave., Erie, PA for the 2010 Proposed Milling and Asphalt Resurfacing of various city streets and installation of Concrete Curb Ramps-I in the sum of 960,980.31 for the Bureau of Engineering (lowest of three bids received).
4. **Chemung Supply Corp.** P.O. Box 527 Elmira, NY for various breakaway steel signposts, not to exceed \$20,000.00 for the Bureau of Streets. (COG Bid 2010: Unit Prices)

5. **OMSS**, 2016 Peach Street, Erie, PA. for 24 computers and 24 monitors to replace some of the city's oldest PC's for the Office of Computer Services at a total cost of \$16,045.05.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

By Mr. Schember, Seconded by Mr. Winarski, Resolved, etc.,

That the Purchasing Agent is authorized and directed to issue purchase orders to the following individuals and /or companies for goods and /or services as noted and the City Council does hereby ratify and confirm the said transactions which are to be charged to the respective Budget Code Numbers, viz:

1. **Biting Recreation** , Inc. P.O. Box 6445, Pittsburgh, PA, for the purchase of playground equipment for the Bureau of Parks at a total cost of \$2,210.67.
2. **Wendell August**, 620 Madison Avenue, Grove, City, PA, for assorted City of Erie gift awards for the Department of Economic and Community Development at a total cost of \$6,483.15.
3. **Five Star International**, P.O. Box 64006, Baltimore, MD, for parts and labor to repair sweeper #1168 for the Bureau of Streets, at a cost of \$3,021.68.
4. **Kafferlln Sales and Service, Inc.**, 7955 Route 97, Union City, PA, for repairing the compost site Hyundi, for the Bureau of Refuse at a total cost of \$3,690.06.
5. **East Jordan Iron Works, Inc.**, 59601 P.O. Box 67000, Detroit, MI for land mark covers for the Bureau of Streets at a cost of \$4,942.80.
6. **Wm. T. Spaeder Company**, 1602 East 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Erie, PA to install #3 flotation tank baffles for the Bureau of Sewers at a total cost of \$5,687.00.
7. **David Milano Construction**, 1827 West 36 Street, Erie, PA to repair sanitary connection at 358 West 2<sup>nd</sup> Street (\$2,555.18) and install new manhole & repair sanitary sewer main at 229 West 16<sup>th</sup> Street (\$5,639.62) for the Bureau of Sewers.
8. **David Milano Construction**, 1827 West 36<sup>th</sup> Street, Erie, PA to repair sanitary sewer connection at 1154 West 7<sup>th</sup> Street (\$2,408.70) and repair sanitary connection at 713 West 10<sup>th</sup> Street (\$2,290.58) for the Bureau of Sewers.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

#### Waive Rules

By Mr. Aleksandrowicz, Seconded by Mr. Thompson, Resolved, etc.,

WHEREAS, the National Night Out Observance this year is scheduled for August 3, 2010. National Night Out is America's Night Out against crime. Its purpose is to heighten crime awareness and drug use prevention; to strengthen neighborhood spirit and police community partnerships; and to let criminals know that neighborhoods are organizing and will fight back. These once a year events are usually held in public park areas, school grounds, street closings etc., and

WHEREAS, several of Erie's Neighborhood Watch Groups have become a major sponsor of this annual event throughout the city, are comprised of an all volunteer network, and receive a small grant from Weed and Seed Program to cover only the cost of food and supplies for the picnic event, and they do not have the funds to cover any rental fees or liability insurance required by governmental authorities that control and maintain some of our parks, so

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Erie that we respectfully request the Erie Western Pennsylvania Port Authority to waive all fees for the use of their property for Neighborhood Watch Groups that wish to use these properties for the National Night Out celebration event since they do not possess funds to absorb these additional expenses.

July 7, 2010. City Council adopt by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

July 7, 2010. Signed by the President. Attested by the City Clerk.

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July 7, 2010. City Council on motion of Mr. Jones, Seconded by Mr. Aleksandrowicz adjourned at 10:20 A.M. by yeas Council Members Aleksandrowicz, Cappabianca, Horan-Kunco, Jones, Schember, Winarski and Thompson. 7. Nays. 0.

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President of City Council

Attest:

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City Clerk