



Kansas City

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Meeting Minutes - Final

Transportation, Infrastructure and Operations Committee

*Chairperson Kevin O'Neill
Vice Chair Melissa Robinson*

Councilmember Eric Bunch

Councilmember Johnathan Duncan

Councilmember Lindsay French

Tuesday, January 7, 2025

9:00 AM

Virtual Only

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Public Testimony is Limited to 2 Minutes

Present: Kevin O'Neill, Melissa Robinson, Eric Bunch, Johnathan Duncan and Lindsay French

FIRST READINGS

COUNCIL

241062 Sponsor: Councilmember Wes Rogers

Amending Chapter 70, Code of Ordinances, Traffic and Vehicles, by enacting a new Section 70-308 for the purpose of prohibiting the operation of a motor vehicle with less than all wheels of the motor vehicle in constant contact with the ground.

Sponsors: Rogers

Councilmember Wes Rogers, presented on behalf of the ordinance. This ordinance amends Chapter 70, Code of Ordinances, Traffic and Vehicles, by enacting Section 70-308. The purpose of making this change is to prohibit the operation of a motor vehicle with less than all wheels in constant contact with the ground. This addresses individuals who choose to do wheelies on public streets, highways, allies, parking lots, driveways, or any other premises that are generally frequented by the public at large.

Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch, Councilmember Duncan and Councilmember French

GENERAL SERVICES

241101 Sponsor: Director of General Services Department

Authorizing the Director of General Services to execute a one-year contract amendment and lease amendment for Clean Energy CA Corporation to continue to operate, maintain, and repair a Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) Station at 5300 Municipal Avenue to sell CNG to the City, public and private fleets; and authorizing the Director of General Services to amend and extend the Amendment.

Sponsors: Director of General Services

Cedric Rowan, General Services Department, presented the ordinance. This ordinance authorizes the Director of General Services to enter a one-year contract amendment with Clean Energy CA Corporation to continue operating, maintain, and repair a Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) station. This station is located at 5300 Municipal Avenue. There is an option to extend the agreement if needed.

Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch, Councilmember Duncan and Councilmember French

PUBLIC WORKS

241036 Sponsor: Director of Public Works Department

Approving various Traffic Regulations in compliance with Chapter 70 of the Code of Ordinances.

Sponsors: Director of Public Works

Jason Waldron, Public Works Department, presented the ordinance. This ordinance is for the approval of aligning various Traffic Regulations in compliance with Chapter 70 Code of Ordinances. This includes signage and parking. The signs have been in place for 90 days for testing and are now ready for approval to move forward with departmental installations of signs in all appropriate places. A copy of this presentation is on file with the City Clerk's Office.

Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch, Councilmember Duncan and Councilmember French

241044 Sponsor: Director of Public Works Department

Reducing appropriations in the amount of \$60,842.88 in Fund Number 3518, the GO 2018 Q1 Fund and \$318,363.61 in Fund Number 3519, the GO 2019 Q1 Bond Fund; appropriating \$60,842.88 from the Unappropriated Fund Balance in Fund Number 3518, the GO 2018 Q1 Fund and \$318,363.61 from the Unappropriated Fund Balance in Fund Number 3519, the GO 2019 Q1 Fund to the Grand Ave Bridge Bike/Ped Accommodations (3rd Street to Riverfront); and recognizing this ordinance as having an accelerated effective date.

Sponsors: Director of Public Works

Jason Waldron, Public Works Department, presented the ordinance. This ordinance reduces appropriations for \$60,842.88 in Fund Number 3518, the GO 2018 Q1 Fund, and \$318,363.61 in Fund Number 3519, the GO 2019 Q1 Bond Fund. This is to move funds from one project to another eligible project. The previous projects have been completed and closed, so the project that the funds are being moved to can be completed within the appropriate timeline. This is recognized as having an accelerated effective date. A copy of this presentation is on file with the City Clerk's Office.

Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch, Councilmember Duncan and Councilmember French

241053 Sponsor: Director of Public Works Department

Amending Chapter 64, entitled "Streets, Sidewalks and Public Places," by repealing Sections 64-118 and 64-426; amending Chapter 70, entitled "Traffic and Vehicles," by repealing Sections 70-39, 70-263, and 70-562 and enacting in lieu thereof new sections of like number and subject matter all for the purpose of modifying the method permitting fees are adjusted and modifying the permit fees; and establishing an effective date.

Sponsors: Director of Public Works

Jason Waldron, Public Works Department, presented the ordinance. This ordinance authorizes the amendment of Chapter 64 Code of Ordinance, entitled "Streets, Sidewalks and Public Places," by repealing Sections 64-118 and 64-426; amending Chapter 70, entitled "Traffic and Vehicles" by repealing Sections 70-39, 70-263, and 70-562 and enacting in lieu thereof new sections of like number and subject matter. This update is to adjust the fee structure to align with the increase in cost of living. The adjustments are based on the Consumer Price Index. A copy of this presentation is on file with the City Clerk's Office.

Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch, Councilmember Duncan and Councilmember French

WATER SERVICES

241078 Sponsor: Director of Water Services Department

Authorizing a \$29,962,962.00 construction manager at risk Amendment No. 1 to Contract No. 9737 with The Whiting-Turner Contracting Company, for the Water Services Laboratory Remodel and Building Renovation CMAR project for a total contract amount of \$30,012,962.00; authorizing a maximum expenditure of \$33,000,000.00; authorizing a \$1,450,000.00 design professional services contract Amendment No. 2 to Contract No. 9522 pursuant to Code of Ordinance Section 3-7(a)(3) specialized waivers for design professional services contracts with Finkle-Williams, Inc., for the Laboratory Facility Renovations and Modifications project for a total contract amount of \$2,966,000.00; and recognizing this ordinance as having an accelerated effective date.

Sponsors: Director of Water Services

Jeff Martin and Blake Anderson, Water Services Department, presented the ordinance. This ordinance authorizes a \$29,962,962.00 construction manager at risk Amendment No.1, Contract No. 9737 with The Whiting-Turner Contracting company. This is for the lab remodel and building renovations. The building was constructed over 30 years ago has multiple deficiencies and no longer meets the requirements of the lab operations. A copy of this presentation is on file with the City Clerk's Office.

Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch,
Councilmember Duncan and Councilmember French

241079 Sponsor: Director of Water Services Department

Authorizing a \$6,905,104.00 progressive design-build Amendment No. 1 to Contract No. 470 with Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company, Inc., for the Dr. Jeremiah Cameron Park and Westport Stormwater Improvements project for a total contract amount of \$9,646,104.00; and recognizing this ordinance as having an accelerated effective date.

Sponsors: Director of Water Services

Andy Shively, Water Services Department, presented the ordinance. This ordinance authorizes a \$6,905,104.00 progressive design-build amendment No.1 to contract No. 470 with Burns & McDonnell Engineering Company, Inc., for the Dr. Jeremiah Cameron Park and Westport Stormwater Improvements project for a total contract amount of \$9,646,104.00. This is an attempt to alleviate frequent flooding in the Westport area. A copy of this presentation is on file with the City Clerk's Office.

Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Vice Chair Robinson, Councilmember Bunch,
Councilmember Duncan and Councilmember French

241080 Sponsor: Director of Water Services Department

Authorizing a \$521,498.00 facility repair and maintenance contract with Millgoal Enterprises II, LLC, for Renewal No. 1 for the Green Infrastructure Landscape Maintenance project; authorizing three successive one-year renewals for Facility Repair and Maintenance contracts with further City Council approval; and recognizing this ordinance as having an accelerated effective date.

Sponsors: Director of Water Services

Andy Shively, Water Services Department, presented the ordinance. This ordinance authorizes a \$521,498.00 Facility Repair and Maintenance contract with Millgoal Enterprises II, LLC, for renewal no.1 for the Green Infrastructure Landscape Maintenance project. This contract is for routine maintenance of specified green infrastructure sites including, but not limited to trash, sediment, and debris removal, weed and pest control, and vegetative pruning and edge control. Five sites are included in this agreement: Target Green Marlborough 81st & Troost, Target Green Marlborough Rachel Morado, Water Services Administration Building, KCATA Trolley Trail, and West Bottoms. A copy of this presentation is on file with the City Clerk's Office.

Adv and Do Pass

Aye: Chairperson O'Neill, Councilmember Bunch, Councilmember Duncan
and Councilmember French

Abstain: Vice Chair Robinson

HELD IN COMMITTEE

[240947](#) Sponsor: Director of Public Works Department

RESOLUTION - Directing the City Manager to enter negotiations with a professional services firm for scope related to project no. EV3164, Rapid Transportation from Airport to Downtown to support the City's decision-making in line with its long-term vision for an efficient, sustainable, inclusive, and robust rapid transit system; and directing the City Manager to provide updates to Council on the negotiated fee and future request for funding allocation.

Sponsors: City Manager's Office

Held until 1.14.2025

Hold on Agenda

[240987](#) Sponsor: Councilmember Eric Bunch

Appropriating funds in the amount of \$500,000.00 for Vision Zero from the Unappropriated Fund Balance of the Public Mass Transportation Fund; directing the City Manager to engage a consultant to review and recommend necessary infrastructure improvements for the top 20 high injury streets; directing the City Manager to develop and implement a crosswalk compliance campaign; and recognizing this ordinance as having an accelerated effective date.

Sponsors: Bunch

Hold on Agenda

SEMI-ANNUAL DOCKET

The listing of Semi-Annual Docket items are provided this week for informational purposes only. Please see the City Clerk's Office for full listing.

ADDITIONAL BUSINESS

1. There may be general discussion for current Transportation, Infrastructure and Operations Committee issues.
2. Closed Session
 - Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 1 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss legal matters, litigation, or privileged communications with attorneys;
 - Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 2 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss real estate;
 - Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsections 3 and 13 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss personnel matters;
 - Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 9 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss employee labor negotiations;
 - Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 11 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss specifications for competitive bidding;
 - Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 12 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss sealed bids or proposals; or
 - Pursuant to Section 610.021 subsection 17 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri to discuss confidential or privileged communications with auditors.
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Adjournment