CITY COUNCIL

(1) ADOPTED MEETING MINUTES and (2) APPROVED AGENDA ITEMS

Regular City Council Meeting Monday, March 25, 2024

ADOPTED MEETING MINUTES

REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY, March 25, 2024

Presented: 5/13/2024

Adopted: 5/28/2024

Item Nb. 240175





City of Flint, Michigan Meeting Minutes CITY COUNCIL

Third Floor, City Hall 1101 S. Saginaw Street Flint, Michigan 48502 www.cityofflint.com

DRAFT

Ladel Lewis, President, Ward 2
Candice Mushatt, Vice President, Ward 7

Leon El-Alamin, Ward 1 Judy Priestley, Ward 4 Tonya Burns, Ward 6 Quincy Murphy, Ward 3 Jerri Winfrey-Carter, Ward 5 Dennis Pfeiffer, Ward 8 Eva L. Worthing, Ward 9

Alicia Brown, Deputy Clerk

Davina Donahue, City Clerk

Monday, March 25, 2024

8:17 PM

Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER

President Lewis called this Regular City Council Meeting to order at 8:17 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Although Councilperson El-Alamin shows as ABSENT for this Roll Call Set he has not been appointed by the Council at this time.

Present: Councilperson: Councilperson Lewis, Councilperson Murphy, Councilperson

Priestley, Councilperson Winfrey-Carter, Councilperson Burns, Councilperson

Mushatt, Councilperson Pfeiffer and Councilperson Worthing

Absent: Councilperson: Councilperson El-Alamin

CITY COUNCIL APPOINTMENT - 1ST WARD VACANCY

1st Ward Applicants/Candidates: Linda Anthony, John B. Billings, Jr., Leon El-Alamin, Cynthia Haynes, Torrell King, Freddie McCoy, Rosemary Murrow, Nadine Roberts, and D. Eric Walker

Round One:

Councilperson Lewis: Mr. El-Alamin
Councilperson Murphy: Mr. El-Alamin
Councilperson Priestley: Ms. Roberts
Councilperson Winfrey-Carter: Ms. Murrow
Councilperson Burns: Ms. Murrow
Councilperson Mushatt: Ms. Roberts

Councilperson Mushatt: Ms. Roberts Councilperson Pfeiffer: Ms. Roberts Councilperson Worthing: Mr. El-Alamin

Round One Results: Mr. El-Alamin = 3; Ms. Roberts = 3; Ms. Murrow = 2

Round Two:

Councilperson Lewis: Mr. El-Alamin Councilperson Murphy: Mr. El-Alamin Councilperson Priestley: Ms. Roberts
Councilperson Winfrey-Carter: Ms. Murrow

Councilperson Burns: Ms. Murrow Councilperson Mushatt: Mr. Walker Councilperson Pfeiffer: Ms. Roberts Councilperson Worthing: Mr. El-Alamin

Round Two Results: Mr. El-Alamin = 3; Ms. Roberts = 2; Ms. Murrow = 2; Mr. Walker = 1

Round Three:

Councilperson Lewis: Mr. El-Alamin
Councilperson Murphy: Mr. El-Alamin
Councilperson Priestley: Mr. El-Alamin
Councilperson Winfrey-Carter: Ms. Roberts
Councilperson Burns: Ms. Roberts
Councilperson Mushatt: Mr. El-Alamin
Councilperson Pfeiffer: Ms. Roberts
Councilperson Worthing: Mr. El-Alamin

Round Three Results: Mr. El-Alamin = 5; Ms. Roberts = 3

Having received five votes in the third round, Leon El-Alamin was Appointed as Councilperson of the 1st Ward.

SWEARING IN OF 1st WARD COUNCIL MEMBER - APPOINTED

At approximately 8:30 p.m., Leon El-Alamin was sworn in as the newly appointed 1st Ward Councilperson.

CALL TO ORDER

After the swearing in, President Lewis once again called the meeting to order at 8:48 p.m.

ROLL CALL

Present: Councilperson: Councilperson El-Alamin, Councilperson Lewis, Councilperson Murphy, Councilperson Priestley, Councilperson Winfrey-Carter, Councilperson Burns, Councilperson Mushatt, Councilperson Pfeiffer and Councilperson Worthing

REQUEST FOR CHANGES AND/OR ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA

Councilperson Worthing requested to have resolution #240111 (Suspension of Councilperson Burns) and #240112 (Censure of Councilperson Pfeiffer) added to the City Council Agenda. This motion was ordered without objection.

Councilperson Murphy requested to add a Special Order about the North Flint Food Market at the end of the agenda. This request was ordered without objection.

CONSENT AGENDA

Councilperson Murphy, seconded by Councilperson Worthing made a Motion to Approve the Consent Agenda with any separations. The motion PASSED by a vote of 9:0.

APPOINTMENTS

240109

Appointment/Mass Transportation Authority Board/Candice Mushatt

Resolution resolving that the Flint City Council approves the appointment of Councilmember Candice Mushatt, of Rangely St., Flint, MI 48503, to the Board of the Mass Transportation Authority, to fill the remainder of a four-year term expiring on March 31, 2026, to fill the seat previously held by Joseph King, whose term expired on March 31, 2022.

SEPARATED FROM MASTER RESOLUTION

RESOLUTIONS (May Be Referred from Special Affairs)

240102

Opioid Settlement Funding/Ambulance-EMT Unit/Flint Fire Department

Resolution resolving that the Flint City Council appropriates Opioid Settlement funds in an amount not to exceed \$225,000.00, to purchase an ambulance van, accessories and other related equipment. Moneys shall be made available in a fund to be determined by the Finance Department upon Council approval, AND, resolving that the Flint City Council approves the purchase of ambulance vehicle for a not-to-exceed cost of \$192,481.00, as well as equipment and accessories, for total not-to-exceed cost of \$225,000.00.

This Matter was ADOPTED BY THE MASTER RESOLUTION on the Consent Agenda.

240103

Non-Profit Organization Recognition/Charitable Gaming License/Back to the Bricks Inc.

Resolution resolving that Back to the Bricks Inc., is recognized as a non-profit organization operating in the City of Flint for the purpose of obtaining a charitable gaming license, issued by the State of Michigan Lottery Charitable Gaming Division, relative to conducting charity and fundraising events, as allowed by Act 382 of the Public Act of 1972, as amended.

This Matter was ADOPTED BY THE MASTER RESOLUTION on the Consent Agenda.

240105

Special Primary and General Election/1st Ward City Council Seat

Resolution resolving that a special primary election shall be scheduled for Tuesday August 6, 2024, and a special general election shall be scheduled for Tuesday, November 5, 2024, to elect a Councilperson for the 1st Ward, for the term ending in November 2026, AND, resolving that the deadline for submitting nominating petitions for the 1st Ward seat shall be Tuesday, April 23, 2024.

This Matter was ADOPTED BY THE MASTER RESOLUTION on the Consent Agenda.

Passed The Consent Agenda

A motion was made by Councilperson Murphy, seconded by Councilperson Worthing, including all the preceding items marked as having been adopted on a Consent Agenda. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 9 - Councilperson El-Alamin, Councilperson Lewis, Councilperson Murphy, Councilperson Priestley, Councilperson Winfrey-Carter, Councilperson Burns, Councilperson Mushatt, Councilperson Pfeiffer and Councilperson

Worthing

RESOLUTIONS

240111

Suspension/Councilmember Tonya Burns/Conduct Unbecoming a City Councilmember

Resolution Resolving that the Flint City Council, pursuant to its authority under Section 3-103 of the Flint City Charter, suspends Councilmember Tonya Burns for a period of thirty days, effective immediately. While suspended, Councilmember Tonya Burns is prohibited from taking her seat or participating in any meeting of the City Council or its committee, her official capacity as a City Councilmember.

SEPARATED FROM MASTER RESOLUTION

240112

Censure/Councilmember Dennis Pfeiffer/Conduct Unbecoming a City Councilmember

Resolution Resolving that the Flint City Council, pursuant to its authority under Section 3-103 of the Flint City Charter, censures Councilmember Dennis Pfeiffer for conduct unbecoming a City Councilmember.

SEPARATED FROM MASTER RESOLUTION

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Resolution resolving that the Flint City Council approves the appointment of Councilmember Candice Mushatt, of Rangely St., Flint, MI 48503, to the Board of the Mass Transportation Authority, to fill the remainder of a four-year term expiring on March 31, 2026, to fill the seat previously held by Joseph King, whose term expired on March 31, 2022.

Councilperson Mushatt, seconded by Councilperson Murphy made a Motion to Call the Question. The motion PASSED by vote of 6:2:1 (No = Winfrey-Carter, Burns) (Abstain = Pfeiffer).

Approved

A motion was made by Councilperson Mushatt, seconded by Councilperson Murphy, that this matter be Approved. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 6 - Councilperson El-Alamin, Councilperson Lewis, Councilperson Murphy, Councilperson Priestley, Councilperson Mushatt and Councilperson Worthing

No: 1 - Councilperson Winfrey-Carter

Abstain: 2 - Councilperson Burns and Councilperson Pfeiffer

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Councilperson Worthing, seconded by Councilperson El-Alamin, made a Motion to Call the Question. The motion PASSED by vote of 6:3:(No = Winfrey-Carter, Burns, Pfeiffer).

Adopted

A motion was made by Councilperson Worthing, seconded by Councilperson Murphy, that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Councilperson Lewis, Councilperson Murphy, Councilperson Priestley, Councilperson Mushatt and Councilperson Worthing

No: 2 - Councilperson Winfrey-Carter and Councilperson Pfeiffer

Abstain: 2 - Councilperson El-Alamin and Councilperson Burns

ROLL CALL

Councilperson Burns left this meeting at approximately p.m.

Present: Councilperson: Councilperson El-Alamin, Councilperson Lewis, Councilperson Murphy, Councilperson Priestley, Councilperson Winfrey-Carter, Councilperson

Mushatt, Councilperson Pfeiffer and Councilperson Worthing

Absent: Councilperson: Councilperson Burns

240112 Censure/Councilmember Dennis Pfeiffer/Conduct Unbecoming a City Councilmember

Resolution Resolving that the Flint City Council, pursuant to its authority under Section 3-103 of the Flint City Charter, censures Councilmember Dennis Pfeiffer for conduct unbecoming a City Councilmember.

Councilperson Murphy, seconded by Councilperson Worthing, made a Motion to Call the Question. The motion PASSED by vote of 7:0:1 (Abstain = Winfrey-Carter).

Adopted

A motion was made by Councilperson Mushatt, seconded by Councilperson Worthing, that this matter be Adopted. The motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Councilperson Lewis, Councilperson Murphy, Councilperson Priestley, Councilperson Mushatt and Councilperson Worthing

No: 2 - Councilperson Winfrey-Carter and Councilperson Pfeiffer

Abstain: 1 - Councilperson El-Alamin

Absent: 1 - Councilperson Burns

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Councilperson Priestley, and seconded by Councilperson Mushatt to Adjourn the meeting. The motion FAILED by vote of 0:7 (Absent: Winfrey-Carter, Burns).

ADJOURNMENT

Councilperson Priestley, seconded by Councilperson Murphy, made a Motion to Adjourn this meeting at 10:49 p.m. The motion PASSED by a vote of 6:1 (Murphy) (Absent: Winfrey-Carter, and Burns).

Respectively transcribed and submitted,

Jasmine Green City Council Secretary

APPROVED AGENDA ITEMS

REGULAR CITY COUNCIL MEETING MONDAY, March 25, 2024

OFFICE OF THE CITY COUNCIL



MEMORANDUM

TO: Whom It May Concern

FROM: Christel Snider and Jasmine Green - City Council Secretaries

DATE: March 28, 2024

RE: CITY COUNCIL APPROVED RESOLUTIONS/ORDINANCES

(March 25, 2024)

The attached copies of City Council APPROVED resolutions (as listed below) are being distributed to you as a matter of record. If applicable, ordinances as approved by council are also detailed below.

Agenda items that were FAILED and /or DROPPED by council are noted here as well. Thank you.

RESOLUTIONS (as ADOPTED by City Council - March 25, 2024)

240102 240103 240105 240109 240111

240112 240113

NOTE:

ORDINANCES (as ADOPTED by City Council - March 25, 2024)

Note: Ordinance abstracts only outline what was approved by the City Council during this meeting, as every adopted ordinance is subject to veto by the Mayor.

(MISC AGENDA ITEMS (as FAILED/DROPPED BY City Council-March 25, 2024)

POSTPONED INDEFINITELY-

3-20-2024



RESOLUTION NO.:_

RESOLUTION TO UTILIZE OPIOID SETTLEMENT FUNDING FOR THE PURCHASE OF AN AMBULANCE/EMT UNIT FOR THE FLINT FIRE DEPARTMENT

To better serve the City of Flint residents and community, the Flint Fire Department recommends establishing an in-house EMT/Ambulance service to reduce response times, increasing safety and wellbeing of residents in need of emergency medical transportation;

The Division of Purchasing and the Fleet Services Division has used Sourcewell cooperative contract #110921-DEM to acquire a Class II Ambulance/EMT from ambulance vendor Kodiak Emergency Vehicles for a cost not-to-exceed \$192,481.00. Additional supplies needed to outfit the apparatus such as decaling, equipment, medical/safety supplies, etc., will be procured in accordance with the City's purchasing ordinance and policies for an overall cost not-to-exceed \$225,000.00;

The City of Flint has received funding from partial settlement of the National Prescription Opiate Litigation MDL No. 2804. City Administration requests appropriation of available opioid settlement monies to fund this purchase, to establish the capacity to improve medical response for ongoing opioid remediation efforts.

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Account #/Grant Code	Description	Amount
	As designated by Finance Department	\$225,000.00
288-xxx.xxx-863.900	after City Council approval FY2024 GRAND TOTAL:	\$225,000.00
	FY2024 GRAND TOTAL	

IT IS RESOLVED that the Flint City Council appropriates Opioid Settlement funds in an amount not to exceed \$225,000.00, to purchase an ambulance van, accessories and other related equipment. Moneys shall be made available in a fund to be determined by the Finance Department upon Council approval.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the Flint City Council approves the purchase of ambulance vehicle for a not-to-exceed cost of \$192,481.00, as well as equipment and accessories as described, for total notto-exceed cost of \$225,000.00. Funding for said purchases will come from the following account:

FOR THE CITY OF FLINT:	APPROVED BY CITY COUNCIL:
CLYDE D EDWARDS CLYDE D EDWARDS (Mar 12, 7074 18:40 EDT)	
Clyde Edwards, City Administrator	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	APPROVED AS TO FINANCE:
William Kim (Mar 12, 2024 13:54 EOT)	Phillip Moore (Mar 17, 2024 13:50 EDT) Phillip Moore, Chief Finance Officer
William Kim, City Attorney	Phillip Moore, Chief Philade
APPROVED AS TO PURCHASING:	
Lauren Rowley.	
Lauren Rowley, Purchasing Manager	



CITY OF FLINT

STAFF REVIEW FORM

BID/PROPOSAL#

AGENDA ITEM TITLE: In-house Ambulance Service for City of Flint Residents

PREPARED BY: Karen Shim, Flint Fire Department

VENDOR NAME: Kodiak Emergency Vehicles

BACKGROUND/SUMMARY OF PROPOSED ACTION:

To better service the City of Flint residents and community, the Flint Fire Department has determined, because of lack of ambulance transport services, to establish an in-house Ambulance service to assist in the transport of City of Flint residents to emergency facilities in a more timely manner.

We utilized Sourcewell cooperative contract #110921-DEM for the Ambulance vendor Kodiak Emergency Vehicles to acquire a Class II Ambulance/EMT for a cost not-to-exceed \$192,481.00. Additional vendors will be procured according to Purchasing Ordinance #3865 for supplies needed to outfit the apparatus such as decaling, equipment, medical/safety supplies, etc. for an overall cost not-to-exceed \$225,000.00. The Administration is requesting the allocation of Opioid Settlement monies to fund this purchase.

FIN	Α	NCIAL	IMPL	ICA1	rions:	None
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BUDGETED EXPENDITURE? YES 🖂 NO 🗌 IF NO, PLEASE EXPLAIN:

Funding for said purchases will come from the following account:

Account No /Grant Code	Description	Amount
288-xxx.xxx-863.900	(TBD Upon Council Approval)	\$225,000.00
	FY 2024 GRAND TOTAL:	\$225,000.00

PRE-ENCUMBERED? YES NO REQUISITION NO:				
ACCOUNTING APPROV	VAL: Karen Shim	Date:3/11/2024		
	IENT NEED A CONTRACT? YES			
WHEN APPLICABLE, IF MO	RE THAN ONE (1) YEAR, PLEASE ESTIMATE	TOTAL AMOUNT FOR EACH		

WHEN APPLICABLE, IF MORE THAN ONE (1) YEAR, PLEASE ESTIMATE TOTAL AMOUNT FOR EACH BUDGET YEAR: (This will depend on the term of the bid proposal)



RESOLUTION	NO.:
PRESENTED: 3-20-202	
ADOPTED:	3-25-2024

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING BACK TO THE BRICKS, AS A NONPROFIT ORGAINZATION OPERATING IN THE CITY OF FLINT FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING A CHARITABLE GAMING LICENSE, ISSUED BY THE MICHIGAN LOTTERY CHARITABLE GAMING ORGANIZATION.

BY THE MAYOR:

Back to the Bricks Inc., a non-profit organization, whose purpose is to keep produce family - focused events the educate the public about Flint, Michigan's automobile heritage and its impact upon the global automotive industry.

The City of Flint, being the local governing body with authority to grant local charitable gaming licenses that also conform to requirements set forth by the State of Michigan, Back to the Bricks, a non-profit organization, having made proper application for a Charitable Gaming License. This resolution is submitted in accordance with the qualification process pursuant to the State of Michigan, Bureau of State Lottery, as allowed by Act 382 of the Public Act of 1972, as amended.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Back to the Bricks Inc., is recognized as a non-profit organization operating in the City of Flint for the purpose of obtaining a charitable gaming license, issued by the State of Michigan Lottery Charitable Gaming Division, relative to conducting charity and fundraising events, as allowed by Act 382 of the Public Act of 1972, as amended.

FOR THE CITY OF FLINT:	APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL:
CLYDE D EDWARDS CLYDE D EDWARDS (May 15, 2024 16:02 EDT) The City of Flint	<u>US</u>
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
William Kim (Mar 15, 2024 16:03 EDT) William Kim, City Attorney	



State of Michigan
Michigan Geming Control Board
Millionaire Party Licensing
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www.mlchigan.gov/mgcb

LOCAL GOVERNING BODY RESOLUTION FOR CHARITABLE GAMING LICENSES (Required by MCL.432.103(k)(ii))

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called to order by	President La	idel Lewis on M	arch 25, 2024
at 4,50	a.m.p.m)the	e following resolution was offere	ed:
Moved by Coun	cilperson Pries	Heyand supported by Co	uncilperson ffeiffer
that the request from	m Back to The	2 Bricks, Inc.	or Flint
county of	<u>enesee</u> county	, asking that	t they be recognized as a nonprofit
organization operat	ting in the community, for t	the purpose of obtaining charit	able gaming licenses, be
considered for API	PROVAL/DISAPPROVAL		
APPROVAL: Y	eas:	DISAPPROVAL:	Yeas:
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by theTO	WNSHIP, CITY, OR VILLAGE CO	OUNCIL/BOARD at a	REGULAR OR SPECIAL
meeting held on _	3/25/2024		
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RESOLUTION N	iO.:
PRESENTED:	3-20-2024
ADOPTED:	3-25-2024

Resolution Scheduling a Special Primary and Special General Election for the 1st Ward City Council Seat

After many years of dedicated service to the City of Flint and the residents of the 1st Ward, Councilperson Eric B. Mays passed away on February 24, 2024, creating a vacancy in the office of Councilperson for the 1st Ward.

Section 2-410(B)(2) of the Flint City Charter states that the Flint City Council shall "[s]chedule a special primary election as soon as possible to be followed by a special election to fill the office for the balance of the unexpired term, to be conducted in the same manner as is practical for the nomination, primary, and general elections as is provided for in this Charter."

IT IS RESOLVED that a special primary election shall be scheduled for Tuesday August 6, 2024 and a special general election shall be scheduled for Tuesday, November 5, 2024, to elect a Councilperson for the 1st Ward, for the term ending in November 2026.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the deadline for submitting nominating petitions for the 1st Ward seat shall be Tuesday, April 23, 2024.

FOR THE CITY COUNCIL

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

William Kim (Mar 27, 2024 15:42 EDT)

William Y. Kim, City Attorney





RESOLUTION APPROVING APPOINTMENT OF CANDICE MUSHATT TO THE MASS TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY BOARD

Article IV of the Articles of Incorporation of the Mass Transportation Authority specifies that its Board shall consist of, among others, "[o]ne Flint resident appointed by the Flint City Council."

Pursuant to that authority, the Flint City Council appoints Councilmember Candice Mushatt, of Rangely St., Flint, MI 48503, to the Board of the Mass Transportation Authority, to fill the remainder of a four-year term expiring on March 31, 2026, to fill the seat previously held by Joseph King, whose term expired on March 31, 2022.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Flint City Council approves the appointment of Councilmember Candice Mushatt, of Rangely St., Flint, MI 48503, to the Board of the Mass Transportation Authority, to fill the remainder of a four-year term expiring on March 31, 2026, to fill the seat previously held by Joseph King, whose term expired on March 31, 2022.

APPROVED BY CITY COUNCIL:

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
William Kim (Mar 15, 2024 17:03 EDT)	
William Kim, City Attorney	



RESOLUTION NO.:	
PRESENTED: 3-25-2024	
ADOPTED: 3-26-2024	

Resolution Suspending Councilmember Tonya Burns for Conduct Unbecoming a City Councilmember

Section 3-103 of the Flint City Charter provides that the City Council "may punish its own members for misconduct" and Section 3-104 of the Flint City Charter provides that City Councilmembers are "expected to conduct themselves with appropriate decorum [and] act respectfully with constituents, each other, and other public servants;"

On Monday November 28th, 2023, Councilmember Tonya Burns was censured for behavior unbecoming of a councilperson.

On Monday February 19, 2024, Councilmember Tonya Burns violated rules of decorum by:

- Using her elected platform and social media platform to speak to the motives of council members and community members;
- Refusing to depart her elected seat in silence;
- Being asked to depart the meeting in silence but departing the meeting in a disorderly
- manner by yelling "girl shut up" to the chair; Continuing to misuse privileged motions after being warned not to;
- Violating Roberts Rule of Order 4:30 by refusing to maintain a courteous tone and utilize
- decorum when she repeatedly said "girl shut up"; and
 Obstructing the business of the City by interfering in police operations and inciting chaos
- in Council chambers.

On March 7, 2024, Councilmember Tonya Burns violated rules of decorum by yelling "shut up Judy," disrespecting the chair, and standing up and turning her back on her colleague Councilmember Quincy Murphy while he was speaking.

On March 18, 2024, Councilmember Tonya Burns violated rules of decorum by refusing to leave a Council meeting after receiving her second warning for abusing privileged motions, and violating Council rule 29.2 by verbally attacking a member of the public, Doug Matthews.

On March 20, 2024, Councilmember Tonya Burns violated rules of decorum by being derelict of duty in that she refused to go into executive session and return to her elected seat from sitting in the audience to establish quorum.

Such actions violate Section 3-104 of the Flint City Charter, in that they do not reflect "appropriate decorum" and are not acts that are respectful towards "constituents, each other, and other public servants" and are thus conduct unbecoming a Flint City Councilmember.

BE IT RESOLVED that that the Flint City Council, pursuant to its authority under Section 3-103 of the Flint City Charter, suspends Councilmember Tonya Burns for a period of thirty days, effective immediately. While suspended, Councilmember Tonya Burns is prohibited from taking her seat or participating in any meeting of the City Council or its committees, in his official capacity as a City Councilmember.

FOR THE CITY COUNCIL

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Joseph N. Kuptz, Chief Deputy City Attorney



RESOLUTION NO.:		
PRESENTED: 3-25-2024		
ADOPTED: 3-25-2024		

Resolution Censuring Councilmember Dennis Pfeiffer for Conduct Unbecoming a City Councilmember

Section 3-103 of the Flint City Charter provides that the City Council "may punish its own members for misconduct" and Section 3-104 of the Flint City Charter provides that City Councilmembers are "expected to conduct themselves with appropriate decorum [and] act respectfully with constituents, each other, and other public servants;"

On November 13, 2023, Councilmember Dennis Pfeiffer violated rules of decorum by destroying City of Flint property.

Furthermore, Councilmember Dennis Pfeiffer violated rules of decorum towards fellow Councilmembers by:

- On December 20, 2023, he called a colleague a "fake ass Republican";
- On January 8, 2024, he called a colleague "biggest piece of shit";
- On March 18, 2024, he told a colleague to "shut up" and put his hand in their face;
- On March 20, 2024, he told two separate colleagues to "shut up."

These actions violate Section 3-104 of the Flint City Charter, in that they are not "appropriate decorum" nor are they respectful towards "constituents, each other, and other public servants" and is thus conduct unbecoming a Flint City Councilmember.

BE IT RESOLVED that the Flint City Council, pursuant to its authority under Section 3-103 of the Flint City Charter, censures Councilmember Dennis Pfeiffer for conduct unbecoming a City Councilmember.

FOR THE CITY COUNCIL		
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APPR	OVED AS TO FORM:	
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RESOLUTION: 240113

PRESENTED:

March 25, 2024

ADOPTED:

March 25, 2024

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE APPOINTMENT OF LEON EL-ALAMIN TO THE FLINT CITY COUNCIL REPRESENTING WARD 1

BY THE CITY COUNCIL:

A vacancy exists in the Office of Flint City Council Member Ward 1, due to the February 24, 2024, passing of Councilmember Eric Mays; and

After interviewing 10 candidates during a Special City Council Meeting on March 21, 2024, the Flint City Council voted to appoint Leon El-Alamin to represent Ward 1, replacing Mr. Mays, until a general election is conducted, and a candidate is certified as elected; and

Leon El-Alamin's appointment to fill the vacancy in the Office of 1st Ward Council Member shall be effective as of March 25, 2024.

IT IS RESOLVED, that the Flint City Council approves the appointment of Leon El-Alamin to the Flint City Council representing Ward 1 and replacing Councilmember Eric Mays. This appointment shall continue until the November 5, 2024 General Election is conducted to fill the balance of the unexpired term (November 2026), and a candidate is certified as elected.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:	APPROVED BY CITY COUNCIL:
William Kim (Mar 28, 2024 14:48 EDT)	

William Kim. Chief Legal Officer