

### CITY OF HARTFORD

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HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT 06103

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October 13, 2009

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Department of Homeland Security Assistance to Firefighter Grants provide funding to Fire Departments and Emergency Responder through the Federal Emergency Management Agency and Emergency Preparedness and Response Directorate (EP&R/FEMA of DHS); and

WHEREAS, The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has the ability to provide annual funding through its grants program to Fire Departments and Emergency Responder; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford Class 1 Fire Department provides Fire Suppression, EMS First responder, HAZ-MAT, River Rescue, and Automobile Extraction providing services that protect and save lives; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Mayor, or his designee, on behalf of the City of Hartford, is hereby authorized to accept the 2009 Department of Homeland Security Assistance to Firefighter Grants funds in the amount of \$240,800; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor is hereby further authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to effectuate the above transaction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned contract agreement or other documents, or to take any of the other aforesaid actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the parties executing such lease agreement and documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Greater Hartford TGA (Transitional Grant Area) was identified in its 2009 Quality Management review by the Office of Performance Review as "in need of an intervention" to engage and retain women in women's health services within Hartford. The Office of Women's Health has awarded the Ryan White Program a one time funding of \$3,000 for year 2009-2010; and

WHEREAS, Once received, these funds will be allocated to fund a subcontract with Central Area Health and Education Center (AHEC), a provider in the North end of Hartford who provides Outpatient Ambulatory Care to individuals living with HIV/AIDS. These women are hard to reach and engage for care; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Mayor and Court of Common Council do hereby authorize the application for and acceptance of funding in the approximate amount of \$3,000 from the Federal U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) under the Part A of the Ryan White and to subcontract with the Central Area Health and Education Center (AHEC), to provide woman's health services to HIV/AIDS affected women who receive HIV infectious disease care at the Burgdorf Clinic; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or his designee is hereby authorized to make, execute and approve on behalf of the City, any and all contracts and amendments and to execute and approve on behalf of the City, other instruments, a part of or incident to such contracts and amendments effective until otherwise ordered by the appropriate authority; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or his designee is hereby authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to effectuate the above transaction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned agreement or other documents, or to take any of the other aforesaid actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the Mayor executing such agreement and documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Greater Hartford TGA (Transitional Grant Area) covering Hartford, Middlesex, and Tolland Counties had 3,742 persons living with HIV/AIDS in 2008 and has received funding each year since 1996 including \$4,527,381 for the 2009 Federal entitlement and supplemental financial assistance under Part A of the Ryan White Treatment Modernization Act of 2006; and

WHEREAS, To continue to procure these funds the City of Hartford must submit an application each year to the Federal U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), through its Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA); and

WHEREAS, In September 2008, the City of Hartford applied for \$3,790,748 to enable not only the City of Hartford but fifty-seven towns in Hartford, Middlesex, and Tolland Counties to better meet the needs of residents affected by HIV/AIDS for the next year; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford's Health and Human Services Department has successfully addressed these disparities via services provided through the Ryan White Program, and has received grant funding by the Federal U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), through its Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) to continue to provide Regional services; and

WHEREAS, Once received, these funds will be allocated to fund subcontracts, administered by the City of Hartford's Department of Finance's Purchasing Division, to the various City and State health providers which provide medical care and support services for low-income families and individuals in the Greater Hartford Metro Region; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Mayor and Court of Common Council do hereby authorize the application for and acceptance of funding in the approximate amount of \$4,527,381 from the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) under the Part A of the Ryan White Treatment Modernization Act of 2006, to develop and implement the Ryan White Part A Program for persons living with HIV/AIDS for the period of March 1, 2010 through February 28, 2011; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee is hereby authorized to make, execute and approve on behalf of the City of Hartford, any and all contracts, subcontracts and amendments until otherwise ordered by the appropriate authority; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee is hereby authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to effectuate the above transaction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned agreement or other documents, or to take any of the other aforesaid actions; and be it further

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The City through the Department of Health and Human services wishes to solicit and accept monetary donations on behalf of the City funded Elderly and Disabled Dial-A-Ride Transportation Program; and

WHEREAS, The monetary donations accepted from individuals, corporate, community based donors and other interested persons in support of the transportation program will be deposited in the donation account; and

WHEREAS, The monetary donations accepted may be used to compliment the current Dial-A-Ride Program scope of services to include special trips and miscellaneous transportation related activities not covered within the overall Dial-A-Ride operational budget; and

WHEREAS, It is in the opinion of the Department of Health and Human Services that these auxiliary transportation services will add value to the transportation program and ultimately improve the quality of life for the Elderly and Disabled residents; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, The Mayor and the Court of Common Council do hereby authorize the Department of Health and Human Services to solicit and accept monetary donations on behalf of the City funded Elderly and Disabled Transportation program; and be it further

RESOLVED, The monetary donations accepted be deposited into the Department of Health and Human Services donation account; these donations to be used to compliment the current Dial-A-Ride Program scope of services and to be managed by the Department's Director of Health and Human Services.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford was successful in securing Federal Stimulus (ARRA) Funds in 2009 for the Pope Commons Streetscape Project pursuant to a competitive solicitation for "shovel ready" construction projects; and

WHEREAS, This project will create streetscape improvements on Park Street from Park Terrace to Pope Park Highway #4, using these Federal Stimulus (ARRA) Funds; and

WHEREAS, The Federal Government will provide the State of Connecticut Department of Transportation (DOT) funds in the amount of approximately \$3.6 million for this project that will cover 100 percent of construction and inspection costs, which in turn will be provided to the City as reimbursement for eligible costs; and

WHEREAS, The City's financial match for this project will consist of the funding the City has already encumbered, primarily in the prior fiscal year, that facilitated the engineering design and thus rendered the project in "shovel ready" status at the time of the competitive process; and

WHEREAS, The project will consist of new brick paver sidewalks, decorative lighting, raised center median, storm drainage, new traffic signal, pavement, and other typical streetscape elements; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford will be responsible for the bidding, project administration, and coordination of the project; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford will be reimbursed for 100 percent of the cost of an engineering consultant that will be retained to perform construction inspection and direct administration of the project; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford must commit to providing long term maintenance, repair, and operation of the completed project; and

WHEREAS, The City must enter into a formal agreement with the State of Connecticut as a condition of receiving the grant; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee, is hereby authorized to sign an agreement between the State of Connecticut and the City Of Hartford for the Construction, Inspection, and Maintenance of the Pope Commons Streetscape Project utilizing Federal Funds From ARRA Federal Stimulus, State Project No. 63-660, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee, is hereby authorized to sign a certification indicating that the City Council adopts as its policy to support the Non-discrimination Agreements and warranties required under the Connecticut General Statutes, and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee is authorized to enter into any and all supplemental or related agreements necessary to fully implement this project as described above; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee is hereby authorized to make, execute and approve in behalf of the City of Hartford, any and all contracts, subcontracts and amendments until otherwise ordered by the appropriate authority; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee is hereby authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to effectuate the above transaction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned agreement or other documents, or to take any of the other aforesaid actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the Mayor executing such agreement and documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, Recent public health concerns related to the novel H1N1 influenza outbreaks have brought to light the need for a coordinated response to mass vaccination, in collaboration with community health partners and agencies, to vaccinate priority populations for H1N1, based upon CDC and DPH recommended guidelines; and

WHEREAS, The Centers for Disease Control, through the Connecticut Department of Public Health, has established a Cooperative Agreement Award for Public Health Emergency Response to H1N1 with the purpose of upgrading State and local public health jurisdictions preparedness for and response to an outbreak of infectious disease and other public health threats and emergencies; and

WHEREAS, Since April 2002 the Department of Health and Human Services has worked collaboratively with other health departments and health organizations to develop a comprehensive pandemic influenza response plan; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Mayor and Court of Common Council do hereby authorize the Department of Health and Human Services to accept funding in the amount of approximately \$53,338.00 from the State of Connecticut's Department of Public Health to provide various services to operate the Public Health Emergency Response to H1N1 Mass Vaccination Program for the period of July 31, 2009 through July 30, 2010; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee to make, execute and approve on behalf of the City, any and all contracts and amendments to assist the Department of Health and Human Services in developing the infrastructure needed to plan and prepare for a mass vaccination event; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee is hereby authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to effectuate the above transaction; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned agreement or other documents, or to take any of the other aforesaid actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the Mayor executing such agreement and documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Hartford, a leading provider of auto, home, business, life, and other insurance, is engaged in a public relations and media campaign known as the Pothole Patrol Program; and

WHEREAS, The Hartford, in exchange for certain publicity and branding opportunities, wishes to assist the City of Hartford and its Public Works Department in its ongoing work related to maintenance of roadways through financial support of such work through The Hartford's Pothole Patrol Program; and

WHEREAS, The Hartford and the City of Hartford, Connecticut ("City") agree to implement a "Pothole Patrol" initiative pursuant to the following terms and conditions of the agreement herein are, as follows:

- The Hartford will provide the funding for he operation of pothole trucks from October 13, through October 30, 2009;
- The Hartford will donate \$8,000 to operate the trucks on the designated day, including costs of materials and labor;
- The Hartford will provide temporary signage to affix the pothole trucks for the day, will distribute to targeted media outlets and will pursue media coverage for the event;
- The Hartford will provide an on-site spokesperson who will participate in any media interviews about the initiative;
- The City of Hartford will provide the designated number of city vehicles as well as adequate number of City employees, supplies, and materials to repair the potholes through the day;
- The City will participate in any media interviews that are scheduled at a time agreeable to the spokespersons; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee is hereby authorized to enter into and execute the Agreement with The Hartford for the purposes set forth above, upon and subject to the above terms and conditions and such other terms and conditions that the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Mayor or the Mayor's designee is hereby further authorized to execute any and all manner of other documents and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to effectuate the above transactions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That no person or entity shall be entitled to rely on, or otherwise claim any benefit by reason of this resolution should the Mayor fail to execute the aforementioned Proposed Operations Agreement, or to take any of the other aforesaid actions; and be it further

RESOLVED, That all approvals and authorizations provided hereby are contingent upon, and only shall be effective on and by means of, the Mayor executing Agreements and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The development of Adriaen's Landing is almost complete with the present construction on Front Street; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford is in the preliminary stages of large scale redevelopment in the northern Downtown area; and

WHEREAS, There has been discussion and plans of a creating a system of bicycle and pedestrian connectedness between various downtown cultural centers dubbed "iQuilt"; and

WHEREAS, These projects lead up to Main Street, but there have not been any public discussions thus far about project that would revitalize Hartford's main thoroughfare, Main Street; and

WHEREAS, Some downtown residents and stakeholders are seeking a designation of the corridor of Main Street between Trumbull Street and Park Street as the City of Hartford's "Magnificent Mile" and interested in improving the street so that it would live up to its newly minted nickname; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Department of Development Services' Planning Division holds a series of public discussions with the various stakeholders (including, but not limited to, the South Downtown Neighborhood Revitalization Zone, the Hartford Young Professionals and Entrepreneurs, Hartford Business Improvement District and the Clay Hill Neighborhood Revitalization Zone) and residents before the end of 2009 to discuss the coming improvements to the areas bordering upon Main Street and the possibility of improvements to Main Street itself; and be it further

RESOLVED, That, if at the end of the period of public meetings, there is significant desire by those in attendance at the meetings for further improvement and investment in Main Street, the Court of Common Council shall empanel a task force compromised of Main Street residents and stakeholders to discuss further and recommend improvements to Main Street.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed, as amended.

WHEREAS, The First Company Governor's Foot Guard is sponsoring "Rochambeau Day" on September 19, 2009 from 2:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, The event will take place at the Foot Guard Armory on High Street, Christ Cathedral, the Old State House, Ancient Burial Ground, and various downtown streets; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting a closure of the right lanes of traffic for a procession from along the following route: 159 High Street to Church Street, Church Street to Main Street, Main Street to Gold Street, Gold Street to Trumbull Street, and Trumbull Street to Church Street; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provides in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Risk Manager of the Finance Department; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council's waiver, if any, of fees will be consistent with the recommendation of the Public Works, Parks, and Environment Committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council waives 42 percent of applicable City fees associated with the event.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed, as amended.

WHEREAS, The Mission for Jesus International, Inc. is sponsoring "The Heart of Hartford" event in Bushnell Park from September 23, 2009 to September 27, 2009 from 6:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting a 50 percent fee waiver; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provides in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Risk Manager of the Finance Department; now, therefore, be it

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed, as amended.

WHEREAS, The Brotherhood of Miracles of Peru HESMiPERU is sponsoring the "Lord of Miracles Procession" on October 18, 2009 from 1:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, The procession route will begin at 79 New Park Avenue, turn left on Grace Street, turn right on Greenwood Street, turn right on Park Street, turn right on New Park Avenue, and end upon returning to the church; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting closure of the right lanes of traffic on the aforementioned streets and a 50 percent fee waiver; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provides in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Risk Manager of the Finance Department; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council's waiver, if any, of fees will be consistent with the recommendation of the Public Works, Parks, and Environment Committee; and be it further

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed, as amended.

WHEREAS, The Blue Hills New Testament Church of God is sponsoring the "Celebration Walk/Parade" on October 10, 2009 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting a 50 percent fee waiver and a closure of the right lanes of Traffic of Blue Hills Avenue from 339 to 1170 Blue Hills Avenue; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provides in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Risk Manager of the Finance Department; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council's waiver, if any, of fees will be consistent with the recommendation of the Public Works, Parks, and Environment Committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council waives 42 percent of applicable City fees associated with the event.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed, as amended.

WHEREAS, The Greater Hartford Convention & Visitors Bureau is sponsoring the "Women of Faith – Grand New Day" on June 13, 2009 from 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting a closure of the right lane of traffic on Pratt Street between Main and Trumbull Streets; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting a 50 percent fee waiver for City fees associated with the event; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provides in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Finance Department; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council's waiver, if any, of fees will be consistent with the recommendation of the Public Works, Parks, and Environment Committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council waives 42 percent of applicable City fees associated with the event.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed, as amended.

WHEREAS, The Alzheimer's Association, Connecticut Chapter is sponsoring the "Memory Walk" on Sunday, October 4, 2009 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in Bushnell Park; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting a closure of Trinity Street where it passes through Bushnell Park and a 50 percent fee waiver; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provides in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Risk Manager of the Finance Department; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council's waiver, if any, of fees will be consistent with the recommendation of the Public Works, Parks, and Environment Committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council waives 42 percent of applicable City fees associated with the event.

Attest:

John V. Bazzano,



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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Hartford Marathon Foundation is sponsoring the "ING Run for Something Better" on October 9, 2009 and the "ING Hartford Marathon" on October 10, 2009 from 7:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, The sponsor of this event is requesting usage of Bushnell Park; closing of numerous City streets; permission to vend food, beverages, alcohol, and merchandise; and a 50 percent fee waiver for City fees associated with the events; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provided in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, That prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Risk Manager of the Finance Department; and

WHEREAS, The permittee is also required where applicable to apply and obtain a liquor permit from the Connecticut Liquor Control Commission. A copy of this approved liquor permit must be presented to the Risk Management Department prior to the event; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council's waiver, if any, of fees will be consistent with the recommendation of the Public Works, Parks, and Environment Committee; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the event sponsor will work with the City's residents and business owners to inform them of the street closures so that they are not unduly affected by the event; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the event sponsor will provide the police and community organizations, such as the Neighborhood Revitalization Zones, with maps and other informational material so that motorists and others who are traveling through and around the City on the day of the event will be able to reach their destinations with a minimum inconvenience.

Attest:

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, Residents of Whitney Street and the West End Civic Association are sponsoring the "Whitney Street Block Party" on October 4, 2009 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting a 50 percent fee waiver and a closure of all lanes of traffic on Whitney Street between Cone and Fern Streets; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provides in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Risk Manager of the Finance Department; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council's waiver, if any, of fees will be consistent with the recommendation of the Public Works, Parks, and Environment Committee.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following SUBSTITUTE RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The Hartford Public Library wishes to serve alcohol at the following functions at the main branch of the library, located at 500 Main Street:

- Art Walk Reception Friday, November 6, 2009, 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- American Mural Reception Friday, November 13, 2009, 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
- Wallace Stevens Annual Birthday Bash Saturday, November 7, 2009, 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford insures the Hartford Public Library; an additional certificate of insurance is not required as the Library is a City agency; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council grants permission to the Hartford Public Library to serve alcohol at the aforementioned events under the condition that the proper permits, if required, are obtained from the Liquor Control division of the Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

RESOLVED, That the following individual is hereby appointed to the Parks and Recreation Advisory Commission beginning on September 14, 2009 and ending on March 10, 2012:

Joel D. Johnson (U) of 9 Gillett Street, Apt. 3B, Hartford, 06105.

Attest:

John V. Bazzano,





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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

RESOLVED, That the following individual is hereby appointed to the Commission on Disability Issues beginning on September 14, 2009 and ending on March 2012:

 Maria T. Cerniuskas-Upton (D) of 88 Fern Street, Hartford, 06105 (Person Active in the Community) to replace Miriam E. Hendricks (D) of 120 Brookfield Street, Hartford, 06106.

Attest:

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

RESOLVED, That the following individual is hereby appointed to the Human Relations Commission beginning on October 13, 2009 and ending on February 24, 2012:

• Benita Toussaint (G) of 45 Niles Street, Hartford, 06105.

Attest:

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, On May 5, 2009, Rep. Linda T. Sanchez of California introduced H.R. 2262, A Bill to amend the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act to include bullying and harassment prevention programs; and

WHEREAS, Included in the bill's definitions of *Bullying* and *Harassment* are adverse conduct based on a student's sexual orientation and gender identity, as well as race, color, national origin, sex disability and religion; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford LGBT Commission strongly supports H.R. 2262 due its inclusive anti-bullying and anti-harassment clauses and feels that it will go far to secure a safe and welcoming environment for all of Hartford's students, as well as students across the Country; and

WHEREAS, Hartford prides itself on being a community that upholds the values of equality, fairness, tolerance and respect; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council and the Mayor of the City of Hartford express their support for H.R. 2262, A Bill To amend the Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act to include bullying and harassment prevention programs; and be it further

RESOLVED, That Court of Common Council requests that the Town and City Clerk transmit copies of this certified resolution to the Connecticut Delegation to Congress as well the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the Majority Leader of the United States Senate.

Attest:

John V. Bazzano, Zown and City Clerk



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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, AFSCME Local 566 is sponsoring the "Local 566 Barbeque" on October 10, 2009 from Noon to 4:00 p.m. at Elizabeth Park; and

WHEREAS, The event sponsor is requesting a 50 percent fee waiver; and

WHEREAS, On January 28, 2002, the Court of Common Council passed a resolution that provides in part that special event fee waivers, if granted, shall not exceed an amount equal to one-half of the City's costs and fees associated with an event; and

WHEREAS, Prior to the event the sponsor is required to obtain the proper Insurance Certificate, which holds the City harmless for any claims arising out of the event. This Certificate must be reviewed and approved by the Risk Manager of the Finance Department; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council's waiver, if any, of fees will be consistent with the recommendation of the Public Works, Parks, and Environment Committee.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, October 13, 2009, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

WHEREAS, The urban terrain of downtown Hartford is regarded by skateboarders as some of the best in the United States; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford has been Internationally recognized in newspaper and magazine articles, and numerous skateboarding videos; and

WHEREAS, At times, the skateboarding community finds itself at odds with property owners and security companies due the sport's impact on ledges, stairs, and railings, in addition to the negative and rebellious perception of the sport; and

WHEREAS, Over the years, New Ross, County Wexford Park, atop Interstate 84, has been dubbed, "Heaven" by local skateboarders due to its uniquely skateboard-friendly concrete landscape. However, much of the park has fallen into disrepair; and

WHEREAS, The construction of a skate park at New Ross, County Wexford Park would assuage tense relationships between skateboarders and downtown property owners, provide a non-traditional after school option for the City's youth, and creates fringe economic development benefits for the downtown businesses; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council hereby establishes a Skateboarding Task Force comprised of various interested stakeholders to address the feasibility, design, and overall vision of the construction of a skate park at New Ross, County Wexford Park or another area in the City.

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WHEREAS, The Blue Hills Civic Association (BHCA) is initiating an arts initiative to unite Hartford youth for civic pride across neighborhood lines; and

WHEREAS, This art project will create a safe environment for youth to express themselves creatively while enhancing their leadership and teambuilding skills; and

WHEREAS, There will be a total of 30 youth from the Blue Hills Civic Association and the Upper Albany area; and

WHEREAS, The City of Hartford has funded similar youth art activities in the past to include the Make It Beautiful Initiative (MIBI) which landed a mural in 2005 on the back wall of the Albany Avenue Police Sub-Station; and

WHEREAS, This art project will serve as a way to address quality of life issues in open lots and engage youth in civic pride by the end of October 2009, now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Court of Common Council grants approval of this \$2,000 request from the Civic and Cultural Account for Fiscal Year 2009-2010 and encourages BHCA to consider applying for Community Development Block Grant funds, and/or seek address of said funds for future projects of this nature through our Hartford Office of Youth Services for Fiscal Year 2010-2014.

Attest:

John V. Bazzano, Town and City Clerk.