



# CITY OF HARTFORD

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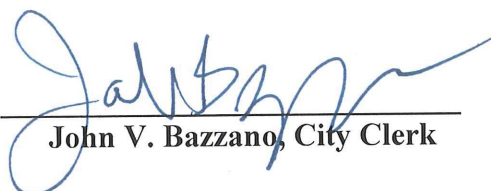
JOHN V. BAZZANO  
TOWN & CITY CLERK  
REGISTRAR OF VITAL STATISTICS

September 10, 2019

Honorable Luke A. Bronin, Mayor

Dear Mayor Bronin:

Please find attached the following ordinance and resolutions that were passed at a regular meeting of the Court of Common Council on September 9, 2019. I have duly certified these documents and respectfully send them to you for your review.



John V. Bazzano, City Clerk

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# Court of Common Council

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, September 9, 2019, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

**WHEREAS**, The State of Connecticut Office of Policy Management has offered several cities State funding for Gun Violence Prevention; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Hartford has been awarded \$24,710.45 by the State of Connecticut through a Justice Assistance Grant to fund special overtime; and

**WHEREAS**, Funds from this program will provide the Hartford Police Department additional staffing resources needed to help address gun violence in the City; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Mayor is hereby authorized to accept a Gun Violence Prevention Grant in the amount of \$24,710.45 from the State of Connecticut Office of Policy Management with no local match required; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, That the Mayor is authorized to accept such further sums as may be additionally awarded by the grantor under the same program, for the same authorized contract period or any immediate extension thereof, and for the same purposes; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, That the Mayor is 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 receive, contract and expend the above referenced grant funds; 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 parties executing such documents, and taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

**Attest:**



**John V. Bazzano**  
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**WHEREAS**, Debt Service and Non-Operating Departments will fund critical capital, vehicle, equipment and technology in Fiscal Year 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, In accordance with Chapter X Section 7(a) of the City of Hartford Charter, the Mayor has recommended the transfer of \$15,188,378 within the General fund to cover these projected expenditures; and


**WHEREAS**, Funds are projected to be available in the unencumbered appropriation balances in the Fiscal Year 2019 General Fund Budget in Benefits and Insurances and other General Fund departments for transfer to the departments noted below; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Mayor is hereby authorized to make the following transfers in the FY 2019 General Fund Budget:

- Transfer \$15,188,378 from Benefits & Insurances and any other General Fund Departmental appropriations with available unencumbered appropriation balances, and
- Transfer \$10,577,885 to Debt Service (Pay-As-You-Go Capital Expenditure Reserve),
- Transfer \$4,610,493 to Non-Operating; and be it further

**RESOLVED**, That the Mayor is hereby authorized to modify such transfers up to and including audit adjustments.

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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, September 9, 2019, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

**WHEREAS**, There is on file in the Office of the Town and city Clerk, and in the Office of the Tax Collector a detailed listed of certain personal property taxes that are due to the City of Hartford, but which have not been paid; and

**WHEREAS**, The Tax Collector is required, at least annually, to certify as to the doubtful collection of taxes that have remained unpaid for some time, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes 12-165; and

**WHEREAS**, The Tax Collector has been unable to collect these taxes, despite making demand for payment upon the taxpayer at the last known address on record; and

**WHEREAS**, In some instances, the businesses associated with the tax have closed and the owner cannot be located; and

**WHEREAS**, These accounts may be referred to a collection agency for further collection effort and the Tax Collector may pursue collection of these taxes in the future, should new information be discovered that could aid in enforcement or collection of these taxes; and

**WHEREAS**, Interest on any outstanding tax bill that is transferred to the suspense tax book will continue to accrue at a statutory rate of eighteen percent annually; and



**WHEREAS**, Nothing herein contained shall be construed as an abatement of any tax transferred to the suspense tax book, but any such tax, as it shall have been increased by interest or penalty, fees and charges, may still be collected, as provided by law; and

**WHEREAS**, The following is the total outstanding tax liability of years of levy in accordance with the above mentioned Collector's file, as set for in the certification:

Property Type	Grant List(s)	Taxes Owed
Personal Property	2006-2016	\$404,513.18
<u>Total amount to be moved to the suspense tax book</u>		\$404,513.18

**WHEREAS**, Approval of this transfer is required before the end of the fiscal year; now therefore be it

**RESOLVED**, That the aggregate sum of \$404,513.18 in outstanding personal property taxes, and the same hereby is, transferred to the Municipal suspense tax book effective as of June 30, 2019, in accordance with Section 12-165 of the State of Connecticut General Statutes.

**Attest:**

  
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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, September 9, 2019, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

**WHEREAS**, The City of Hartford has a License Agreement with Almada Lodge - Times Farm Camp Corp., DBA Channel Three Kids Camp for the operation of the annual Holiday Lights Fantasia at Goodwin Park, a not-for-profit youth development organization; and

**WHEREAS**, Said License Agreement is scheduled to terminate on August 31, 2019; and

**WHEREAS**, The annual Holiday Lights Fantasia at Goodwin Park is the largest fundraising event for the Channel 3 Kids Camp each year, providing critical financial support for the organization's year-round and summer camp programs that serve over 3,000 children annually; and

**WHEREAS**, The annual Holiday Lights Fantasia at Goodwin Park is a Hartford tradition and a significant tourism attraction for the City, drawing a large attendance from residents of the greater Hartford region; and

**WHEREAS**, The operation of the Holiday Lights Fantasia is in keeping with the use and character of Goodwin Park; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Mayor is hereby authorized to enter into a License Agreement with Almada Lodge - Times Farm Camp Corp., DBA Channel Three Kids Camp, for the operation of the annual Holiday Lights Fantasia at Goodwin Park for a term of five (5) years commencing September

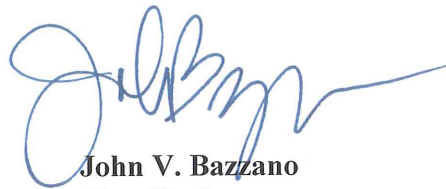


1, 2019, and to take such other actions as he and the Corporation Counsel may deem appropriate and in the best interests of the City in order to effectuate the execution of said License Agreement; and be it further

**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 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 taking such actions, all of which shall be, in form and substance, acceptable to the Mayor and the Corporation Counsel.

Attest:

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "John V. Bazzano", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

John V. Bazzano  
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This is to certify that at a meeting of the Court of Common Council, September 9, 2019, the following RESOLUTION was passed.

**WHEREAS**, The City of Hartford has historically experienced severe damage from natural hazards and it continues to be vulnerable to the effects of those natural hazards profiled in the plan (e.g. flooding, high wind, thunderstorms, winter storms, earthquakes, droughts, dam failure, and wildfires), resulting in loss of property and life, economic hardship, and threats to public health and safety; and

**WHEREAS**, The Hartford Court of Common Council approved the previous version of the Plan in 2014; and

**WHEREAS**, The City of Hartford and Capitol Region Council of Governments developed and received conditional approval from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for the Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan Update, 2019-2024 under the requirements of 44 CFR 201.6; and

**WHEREAS**, Public and committee meetings were held and public input was sought in 2017 and 2018 regarding the development and review of the Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan Update, 2019-2024; and

**WHEREAS**, The Plan specifically addresses hazard mitigation strategies and Plan maintenance procedure for the City of Hartford; and

**WHEREAS,** The Plan recommends several hazard mitigation actions/projects that will provide mitigation for specific natural hazards that impact the City of Hartford, with the effect of protecting people and property from loss associated with those hazards; and

**WHEREAS,** Adoption of this Plan will make the City of Hartford eligible for funding to alleviate the impacts of future hazards; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED,** By the Court of Common Council:

1. The Plan is hereby adopted as an official plan of the City of Hartford;
2. The respective officials identified in the mitigation strategy of the Plan are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended actions assigned to them;
3. Future revisions and Plan maintenance required by 44 CFR 201.6 and FEMA are hereby adopted as a part of this resolution for a period of five (5) years from the date of this resolution.
4. An annual report on the progress of the implementation elements of the Plan shall be presented to the Court of Common Council.

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**WHEREAS**, Summer of Solutions began in 2010; and


**WHEREAS**, Summer of Solutions mission is to educate young people, ages 5-30, to build an alternative food system in Hartford that supports healthy communities and a healthy overall environment; and

**WHEREAS**, Summer of Solutions, based in Hartford, has collaborated with Hartford and greater Hartford non-profits and the community alike to bring programming; and

**WHEREAS**, Summer of Solutions recognizes the need for non-profits and the overall community to come together and as such will be offering Free anti-racism trainings for the general public; now, therefore, be it

**RESOLVED**, That the Hartford Court of Common Council honor the dates of October 12, 2019, from 4:00-8:00pm, and the dates of January 16<sup>th</sup> & January 22<sup>nd</sup>, for Summer of Solutions to hold a Free Anti-Racism Training at Parker Memorial in Hartford.

Attest:

  
John V. Bazzano  
City Clerk