

**PUBLIC SAFETY  
AND  
LEGAL ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE  
MINUTES**

**SEPTEMBER 9, 2008**

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee was held on **Tuesday, September 9, 2008 at 3:46 p.m., in Committee Room #2.** The following members were present:

**The Honorable Cleta Winslow, Chair  
The Honorable Anne Fauver  
The Honorable Joyce Sheperd  
The Honorable Carla Smith  
The Honorable H. Lamar Willis**

The following members were absent:

**The Honorable C. T. Martin, Vice-Chair**

Others present at the meeting were: Judge Greene; Jerry Deloach, Dianne Mitchell and Amber Robinson, Law Department; Deputy Chiefs Turner, Peter Andresen and Carlos Banda, Director Malachi Hull and Sgt. Davis; Police Department; Greg Pridgeon, Office of the Mayor; media, public and council staff.

Chair Cleta Winslow called the meeting to order at 3:46 p.m. after declaring a quorum present. She then proceeded with the following order of business.

- A. ADOPTION OF AGENDA- ADOPTED**
- B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES - APPROVED**

**CONSENT**

- C. RESOLUTIONS**

**Claims with favorable recommendations:**

- 08-R-1723 ( 1) Claim of **Shea E. Roberts, through her attorney, Brian E. Daughdrill**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of trip and fall incident in an uncovered water meter on November 13, 2008 between 358 and 362 Peachtree Avenue, NE. **\$4,000.00**



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**RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)**

**Claims with favorable recommendations:**

- 08-R-1732 (10) Claim of **Eric E. Farmer and Antoine D. Farmer**, for vehicular damages alleged to have been sustained due to an automobile accident on June 27, 2008 at Larkin Street, SW and Walker Street, SW. **\$2,347.57**
- 08-R-1733 (11) Claim of **Zachary Karmer**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a vehicular accident on April 17, 2008 at 880 Cherokee Avenue. **\$2,367.36**
- 08-R-1734 (12) Claim of **David S. Ritchey**, for property damages alleged to have been sustained due to an automobile accident on April 7, 2008 at Boulevard, NE and Highland Avenue, NE. **\$2,500.00**
- 08-R-1735 (13) Claim of **Barbara Sanders and Odell Sanders, through their attorneys, Martin and Jones**, for property damages alleged to have been sustained from a sewer backup on December 31, 2007 at 2298 Barge Road, SW. **\$62,500.00**

**Claims with unfavorable recommendations:**

- 08-R-1736 (14) Claim of **Allstate Insurance Company, as subrogee of Walter Childs**, for property damages alleged to have been sustained when a limb from a tree fell on a residence on October 19, 2007 at 1578 North Avenue, NW.
- 08-R-1737 (15) Claim of **Robert Morgan, through his attorney, John M. Foy, Esq.**, for bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained from an automobile accident on June 3, 2008 at Northside Drive, NW and 17<sup>th</sup> Street, NW.
- 08-R-1738 (16) Claim of **Kenneth Brooks, through his attorney, John M. Foy, Esq.**, for bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained from an automobile accident on June 3, 2008 at Northside Drive, NW and 17<sup>th</sup> Street, NW.

**RESOLUTIONS (CONT'D)**

**Claims with unfavorable recommendations:**

- 08-R-1739 (17) Claim of **Wilda Watson Cobb, Esq.**, for property damages alleged to have been sustained when stone steps were destroyed during a sidewalk installation in July 2007 at 3843 Lake Forrest Drive.
- 08-R-1740 (18) Claim of **Marchelle Moon**, for bodily injuries alleged to have been sustained when a section of tile fell from the ceiling of an elevator on June 5, 2008 at 55 Trinity Avenue, SW.
- 08-R-1741 (19) Claim of **Theron Gresham**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of vehicle being impounded on February 22, 2008 at an undisclosed location.
- 08-R-1742 (20) Claim of **Patrick Coppinger**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of striking a metal plate on July 8, 2008 at 1439 Peachtree Street.
- 08-R-1743 (21) Claim of **Christina Horten**, for damages alleged to have been sustained due to a water main break on March 12, 2008 at 2242 Edison Avenue.
- 08-R-1744 (22) Claim of **Lindsey Tanner and Frances Tanner, through their attorney, Clint W. Sitton, Esq., Martin & Jones**, for damages alleged to have been sustained due to a sewer backup on November 10, 2007 at 5480 East Idlewood Lane, Sandy Spring, Georgia.  
**(Councilmember Smith made a motion to approve Items C1-C22)**

**FAVORABLE**

**REGULAR**

**D. ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING**

- 08-O-1676 ( 1) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to amend Chapter 10, Article II, Division 2, Section 10-66, Entitled "Public Hearing on Application; approval by Mayor", to allow an applicant for an Alcoholic Beverage License to appear before the License Review Board before receiving its final Fire, Health, and Building Letters; to reduce the amount of time before the Mayor must deny, grant, or remand to the License Review Board an Alcoholic Beverage License application following receipt of all required documentation; to provide for expiration of Alcoholic Beverage License Applications, other than for profit or non-profit special events, six months following the Mayor's receipt of the recommendation of the License Review Board if the Mayor is not in receipt of all required documentation at that time; to further reduce the amount of time before the Mayor must deny, grant or remand to the License Review Board an application for a temporary permit for the sale of alcoholic beverages for both for-profit and non-profit special events; to require that all recommendations of the License Review Board be delivered to the Mayor within three business days of the public announcement of the vote of the Board on such recommendations; and for other purposes.  
**(Councilmember Winslow made a motion to hold for a work session)**

**HELD**

- 08-O-1677 ( 2) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to amend Chapter 14, Article I (Entitled "Shooting Galleries") at Section 14-5; Chapter 14, Article I (Entitled "Game Centers") at Section 14-9; Chapter 14, Article IV, Division 2 (Entitled "Poolrooms and Billiard Rooms") at Section 14-103; Chapter 14, Article VI, Division 2 (Entitled "Bungee Jumping") at Section 14-189; Chapter 14, Article VII, Division 2 (Entitled "Burlesque Theaters") at Section 14-231; Chapter 14, Article VIII, Division 2 (Entitled "Lingerie Modeling Studios") at Section 14-323; Chapter 14, Article IX, Division 1 (Entitled "Adult Dancehalls") at Sections 14-382 and 14-384; Chapter 14, Article IX, Division 2 (Entitled "Teen Dancehalls") at Sections 14-427 and 14-429; Chapter

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30, Article V (Entitled "Automobile or Motorcycle Races") at Section 30-528; Chapter 30, Article VI (Entitled "Bonding Agents") at Division 2, Section 30-566; Chapter 30, Article VII (Entitled "Door to Door Sales") at Division 2, Section 30-613; Chapter 30, Article VIII (Entitled "Escort Services") at Division 2, Section 30-652; Chapter 30, Article X (Entitled "Handwriting Analysis, Fortunetelling, and Astrology") at Division 2, Section 30-727; Chapter 30, Article XI (Entitled "Hotels, Lodginghouses, and Rooming Houses") at Division 2, Section 30-767; Chapter 30, Article VIX (Entitled "Gymnasiums, Health Clubs and Weight Reducing or Body Building Institutions") at Section 30-841; Chapter 30, Article XV (Entitled "Labor Pools") at Division 2, Section 30-874; Chapter 30, Article XVI (Entitled "Massage Establishments") at Division 2, Section 30-957; Chapter 30, Article XXI (Entitled "Street Patrols") at Section 30-1361; Chapter 30, Article XXII (Entitled "Telephone Sales Campaigns") at Section 30-1381; Chapter 30, Article XXIII (Entitled "Vending on Public Property") at Division 2, Section 30-1435; Chapter 30, Article XXIV (Entitled "Vending on Private Property") at Division 2, Section 30-1490; Chapter 30, Article VI (Entitled "Car Washes") at Section 30-1503; Chapter 106, Article VI (Entitled "Weapon Control") at Division 2, Section 106-268; Chapter 122, Article III (Entitled "Pawnbrokers") at Division 2, Section 122-83; Chapter 122, Article IV (Entitled "Precious Metal Dealers") at Division 2, Section 122-127; Chapter 122, Article V (Entitled "Secondary Metal Recyclers") at Division 2, Section 122-172; Chapter 162, Article IV (Entitled "Wreckers and Towing Services") at Section 162-225; to establish a uniform period of sixty days within which the Mayor may either affirm or revise recommendations made by the License Review Board, or, in order to prevent clear error or to prevent manifest injustice, to remand certain matters back to the License Review Board for further consideration; and for other purposes.

**(Councilmember Winslow made a motion to hold for a work session)**

**HELD**

**ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING (CONT'D)**

- 08-O-1678 ( 3) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee amending the 2008 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget, Department of Police, by adding to anticipations and appropriations, in the amount of \$4,520,044.00, for grant funds, from the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy, for the purpose of continuing the High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area ("HIDTA") Task Force, to disrupt drug trafficking organizations; and for other purposes.  
**(Councilmember Sheperd made a motion to approve.)**

**FAVORABLE**

- 08-O-1679 ( 4) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee amending Ordinance Number 08-O-1047 and amending the 2007 (Intergovernmental Grant Fund) Budget, Department of Police, by adding to anticipations and appropriations, in the amount of \$4,839,882.00, for grant funds, from the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy, for the purpose of continuing the High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area ("HIDTA") Task Force, to disrupt drug trafficking organizations; and for other purposes.  
**(Councilmember Sheperd made a motion to approve.)**

**FAVORABLE**

- 08-O-1753 ( 5) An Ordinance by Councilmember Mary Norwood to amend Article XXIV entitled "Vending on Private Property"; and for other purposes.  
**(Councilmember Winslow made a motion to hold.)**

**HELD**

**ORDINANCES FOR SECOND READING (CONT'D)**

08-O-1754 ( 6) An Ordinance by Councilmember Clela Winslow **as substituted by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee** to extend all permits for vending on Public Property in 2003 until the Department of Public Works notifies existing vendors that the City is implementing the "Public Property Vending Program" authorized by Ordinance 08-O-1220 in that geographic area formerly defined as Vending District; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes.  
**(Councilmember Smith made a motion to approve on substitute.)**

**FAVORABLE ON SUBSTITUTE**

08-O-1760 ( 7) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Jim Maddox, C. T. Martin, Clela Winslow, H. Lamar Wills, Ceasar Mitchell, Ivory L. Young, Jr., Kwanza Hall, Clair Muller to create a new Section 62-27.1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, which section shall provide that effective January 1, 2010, the number of Municipal Court Judges shall be eight (8); to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes.  
**(Councilmember Winslow made a motion to hold.)**

**HELD**

**E. RESOLUTION**

08-R-1722 ( 1) A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor to apply for and accept the Georgia Alternative Non-Emergency Services (GANES) providers grant from the Georgia Department of Community Health in an amount not to exceed \$625,000.00, to fund Project Philanthropy; and for other purposes.  
**(Councilmember Smith made a motion to approve.)**

**FAVORABLE**

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**F. PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE**

- 06-R-0433 ( 1) Claim of **Robert Colgin**, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of flooding on July 9, 2005 at 3340 Chatham Road, NW. **(Referred back by Council 2/20/06) (Held 2/28/06 for further investigation at the request of Councilmember Muller)**
- 06-O-1044 ( 2) An Ordinance by Councilmembers H. Lamar Willis and C. T. Martin to amend the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, Chapter 162, Article 2, Section 162-61(a) and Chapter 162, Article 2, Section 162-34(f) to allow short breaks in service for Taxicabs; to allow the Chief of Police or his designee, discretion to grant further extension for correction slip matters; to repeal conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. **(Held 5/9/06 at the request of Councilmember Martin)**
- 06-O-1601 ( 3) An Ordinance by Councilman C. T. Martin to amend Article XXIII (Entitled "Vending on Public Property"), Division 1, Section 30-1401, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, so as to exempt Disabled Veterans from most of the provisions of the Public Property Vending Code; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. **(Held 8/15/06 for further review)**
- 07-O-0078 ( 4) An Ordinance by Councilmember Cleeta Winslow **as amended by Full Council** to amend Chapter 30, Article II, Section 30-26 (b), of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances, so that meetings of the License Review Board are not held during the month of December; and for other purposes. **(Amended by Full Council and referred back by Council 1/16/07) (Held 1/30/07 so that a copy of the ordinance can be forwarded to the NPU's for review and comment)**
- 07-O-0249 ( 5) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Kwanza Hall and Cleeta Winslow authorizing the Mayor or her designee to grant an exemption to the City's Distance Requirements for on-premise consumption of alcohol and the sale of wine by the package on the 300 block of Walker Street. **(Held 2/13/07 for further review)**

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- 07-R-0545 ( 6) Claim of Nancy Montgomery, for damages alleged to have been sustained as a result of a water main break during the installation of a sidewalk on June 6, 2006 at 2340 Hurst Drive, NE. **(Referred back from Council 4/16/07) (Held 5/1/07 at the request of Councilmember Shook)**
- 07-O-1522 ( 7) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Anne Fauver and Natalyn Archibong to amend Chapter 18, Article I, of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, so as to prohibit the practice of inhumanely chaining or tethering dogs; and for other purposes. **(Held 7/31/07 at the request of the author for further review)**
- 07-O-1525 ( 8) An Ordinance by Councilmember Joyce Sheperd to amend Section 122-172 under Chapter 122, Article V, Division 2, of the Code of Ordinances, so as to provide for a review by the affected Neighborhood Planning Unit(s) whenever an application for a license to operate a Secondary Metal Recycler is submitted; and for other purposes. **(Held 7/31/07 at the request of the author for further review. 9/25/07 a motion was approved to forward to the NPU's for review)**
- 07-O-1526 ( 9) An Ordinance by Councilmember Joyce Sheperd to amend Section 30-1503(a) under Chapter 30, Article XXV, of the Code of Ordinances, so as to provide for a review by the affected Neighborhood Planning Unit(s) whenever an application for a license to operate a Self-Service Car Wash is submitted; and for other purposes. **(Held 7/31/07 at the request of the author for further review. 9/25/07 a motion was approved to forward to the NPU's for review)**
- 07-O-1795 (10) An Ordinance by Councilmember H. Lamar Willis to establish Chapter 21 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta entitled "Transportation of Hazardous Materials"; to create a new Article I to be entitled "Terrorism Prevention in Hazardous Materials Transportation Act of 2007," to create a new Division 1 to be entitled "Terrorism Prevention in Hazardous Materials Transportation Act of 2007"; so as to prohibit large shipments of certain extremely hazardous

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materials near the City of Atlanta in an effort to reduce the risk of attacks by terrorists; to allow for the issuance of permits authorizing such shipments in special cases; to require the Mayor to issue regulations to implement the provisions of this act; and for other purposes. **(Held 8/28/07 for further review.)**

07-O-1800 (11) An Ordinance by Councilmembers C. T. Martin, Ceasar C. Mitchell, H. Lamar Willis, Ivory L. Young, Jr. and Joyce Sheperd **as substituted by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee** to create Section 106-13 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia to be entitled "Wearing of Pants Below the Waist in Public, Unlawful"; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. **(Held 8/28/07 at the request of the author for a work session and a public hearing) (Substituted and held 9/11/07)**

07-O-1879 (12) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to revise the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances pertaining to secondary metal recyclers by amending the following Sections of Chapter 122, Article V, Divisions I and II; Section 122-151 (Definitions); Section 122-152 (Records Required); and Section 122-157 (Unlawful Acts); Section 122-171 (Required Application); to add the following new Sections to Chapter 122, Article V, Divisions I and II of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances: Section 122-158 (Daily Written Report to Police); Section 122-159 (Offenses; Defenses, Penalty); Section 122-160 (Possessor of Secondary Metals); Section 122-161 (License to Possess Secondary Metals); Section 122-162 (Revocation of License to Possess Secondary Metals); and Section 122-170 (Processing Application; Issuance of License, Possessor of Secondary Metals); to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. **(Public Hearing held on 10/30/07) (Held 10/30/07 for further review)**

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- 07-R-2294 (13) A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee authorizing the Mayor to approve or reject the decision of the evaluator presiding in the early neutral evaluation process, an alternative dispute resolution process, in the matter of Veolia Water North America Operating Services, LLC v. City of Atlanta, in the U.S. District Court, Northern District of Georgia, Civil Action No. 06-CV-1457-TWT; and for other purposes. **(Held 10/30/07 for further review)**
- 07-O-2513 (14) An Ordinance by Councilmember Ceasar C. Mitchell to amend Ordinance #07-O-2135, adopted October 15, 2007 and approved October 22, 2007, amending Section 10-12 of the City Code, which amendment eliminated the provision allowing persons 18 years of age or older to provide entertainment in any premises licensed for the sale of alcoholic beverages, so as to exempt from said ordinance, those persons currently employed as entertainers with active and valid permits, which will afford such persons a "Grandfathered" status; and for other purposes. **(Held 11/27/07 at the request of the author)**
- 08-O-0190 (15) An Ordinance by Councilmember H. Lamar Willis to amend Chapter 30, Article II of the City Code of Ordinances to reflect new fees for owners of Adult Entertainment establishments which sell alcohol to provide for certain programs for the prevention of sexual assault; and for other purposes. **(Held 1/29/08 at the request of the author)**
- 08-O-0507 (16) An Ordinance by Councilmember Mary Norwood to create a new Section 106-15 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, to be entitled "Loitering"; and for other purposes. **(Held 3/11/08 for further review by the Law Department)**

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- 08-O-0824 (17) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Ceasar C. Mitchell, Clela Winslow, Joyce M. Sheperd, Mary Norwood, C. T. Martin, Ivory L. Young, Jr., Kwanza Hall and H. Lamar Willis to amend Article V (Entitled "Offenses by and against Minors") of Chapter 106 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, by creating a new Section 106-229 to be entitled "Day-Time Curfew" so as to impose a Day-Time Curfew on minors, ages six (6) to sixteen (16) years; and for other purposes **(Held 4/29/08 per the Department of Police to have discussion with the Atlanta Board of Education.)**
- 08-O-0843 (18) An Ordinance by Councilmember Natalyn M. Archibong amending Sections 10-1, 10-88 and 10-88.1 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, by adding a paragraph to define the term "Specialty Food Shop" and by adding and amending paragraphs to create distance requirements for same; and for other purposes. **(Held 4/29/08 for two week certain per the author to have a discussion with the Law Department.)**
- 08-R-0845 (19) A Resolution by Councilmembers Ceasar C. Mitchell and C. T. Martin expressing the Atlanta City Council's support and encouragement of the Atlanta Police Department increasing the number of members of the City's Red Dog Unit from its current strength to not less than seventy-five (75) officers in order to have an effective number of personnel in order to combat street level drug trafficking; and for other purposes. **(Held per the Committee so that the Law Department can review.)**
- 08-O-0884 (20) An Ordinance by Finance/Executive Committee to amend Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-1 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Atlanta, Georgia, so as to amend the definition of the word "Restaurant" to more closely reflect the definition of the term "Bona Fide Full-Service Restaurant" contained in Chapter Three of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated; to repeal conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. **(Held 5/27/08 for further review)**

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**PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)**

- 08-O-0984 (21) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to amend Article XXIII of Chapter 30 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta which contains the Code Section applicable to vending on Public Property by replacing said article with new text for the purpose of authorizing and implementing a Public Vending Management Program; and for other purposes. **(Held 5/27/08) (Work session held 6/4/08)**
- 08-O-1211 (22) An Ordinance by Councilmembers H. L. Willis, C. T. Martin, Ivory L. Young, Jr. and Mary Norwood to create a separate Department/Organization (Dept/Org) to account for the activity of the Citizen Review Board (CRB); to move funds budgeted in the FY 2008 General Fund Budget in the Police Department's Public Affairs Unit for the purposes of the CRB; and for other purposes. **(Held 6/10/08 for further review)**
- 08-O-1230 (23) An Ordinance by Councilmember Kwanza Hall **as substituted by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee** to amend Section 10-1, 10-62 and 10-88 to Chapter 10 of the Code of Ordinances, City of Atlanta, Georgia, so as to create a new category of Alcoholic Beverage License for Community Theatres; to make such Community Theatres exempt from the distance requirements contained in Section 10-88; and for other purposes. **(Held 6/10/08) (Substituted and held 7/1/08 for further review)**
- 08-O-1252 (24) An Ordinance by Councilmember Howard Shook to amend the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia, Chapter 10, Article II, Division 2, Section 10-94(a), to exempt certain properties from the distance requirements of 10-88 for the sale of alcoholic beverages for consumption on the premises; and for other purposes. **(Held 7/1/08 at the request of the Law Department)**

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**PAPERS HELD IN COMMITTEE (CONT'D)**

- 08-O-1289 (25) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to amend Chapter 10, Article II, Division 2, Section 10-61, Entitled "Date for Payment of License Fees; Prorated Fees", to provide for an expiration date for all licenses issued under Division 2 of Chapter 10, Article II of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances; to change the date by which all Annual License Fees and Renewal Applications of all Annual Licenses issued under Division 2 of Chapter 10, Article II of the City of Atlanta Code of Ordinances must be submitted; to provide for prorated fees based upon the new deadline; to set forth that the effective date of this amendment shall be January 2, 2009; to repeal conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. **(Held 7/15/08 at the request of the Law Department)**
- 08-O-1485 (26) An Ordinance by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to amend Chapter 106, Article IV, Division 1, Section 106-127, entitled "Solicitation for an Illicit Sexual Act", to create a Pretrial Intervention and Diversion Program to be administered by the City of Atlanta Solicitor's Office for the purpose of ending the demand for prostitution through the education of eligible defendants; and for other purposes. **(Held 8/26/08 for further review.)**
- 08-O-1538 (27) An Ordinance by Councilmembers Jim Maddox, Joyce Sheperd, Mary Norwood, Ivory Lee Young, Jr., H. Lamar Willis, Kwanza Hall, C. T. Martin, Natalyn Archibong and Ceasar C. Mitchell to amend the Charter of the City of Atlanta, Georgia pursuant to the authority of the Municipal Home Rule Act of 1965, O.C.G.A. Section 36-35-1 et seq., as amended, by amending Section 4-104 (d) so as to provide that for the next Election of Municipal Court Judges, to be held in 2009, if more than seven (7) Judges elect to continue to serve for an additional four year term, only the seven (7) Judges receiving the highest number of votes shall continue to serve; to waive conflicting ordinances and charter amendments; and for other purposes. **(Referred by Full Council on 8/18/08) (Held 8/26/08 for a legal opinion.)**

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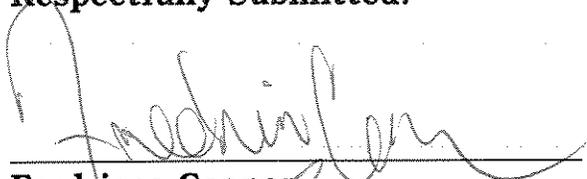
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- 08-O-1544 (28) An Ordinance by Councilman C. T. Martin to amend Section 162-78 (a) (3) and (6) (Taxicabs and Vehicles for Hire) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Atlanta, Georgia so as to eliminate the Annual Fingerprinting Requirement for Taxicab Drivers and to change the Driver's Training Course Requirement from annually to every three years; to waive conflicting ordinances; and for other purposes. **(Referred back by Full Council on 8/18/08) (Held 8/26/08 for further review.)**
- 08-R-1680 (29) A Resolution by Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee to rescind Resolution 08-R-0270 authorizing payment in the amount of \$5,136.83 in settlement of the claim of Cornelia Erquitt against the City of Atlanta; and for other **(Held 8/26/08 for at the request of the Law Department.)**

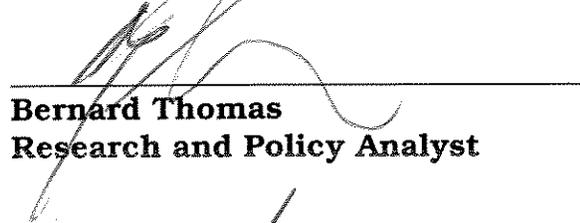
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**There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at 5:32 p.m.**

**Respectfully Submitted:**



**Fredrieca Cooper  
Legislative Assistant**



**Bernard Thomas  
Research and Policy Analyst**



**The Honorable Cleta Winslow, Chair  
Public Safety and Legal Administration Committee**