

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Actions of the City Council for February 8, 2016

The following legislation was considered and acted upon by the City Council of the City of Falls Church. Copies of legislation are available from City Clerk Celeste Heath, cityclerk@fallschurchva.gov or 703-248-5014.

Roll Call

Upon roll call, the following members were present: Mayor Tarter, Ms. Connelly, Mr. Duncan, Ms. Hardi, Ms. Oliver, Mr. Snyder, and Mr. Sze.

Second readings of ordinances and other items requiring public hearings

(TO15-13) ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 48 “ZONING” OFFICE, MIXED-USE, RETAIL AND BICYCLE PARKING, AND OTHER RELATED PROVISIONS

MOTION to adopt TO15-13, as amended, PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0. (Ord. 1946)

(TO15-14) ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 48 “ZONING” TO ALLOW SECOND STORY BUSINESS SIGNS IN B DISTRICTS, PERMIT STRINGS OF LIGHTS IN TREES AND OUTDOOR CAFES AND PLAZAS AND REMOVE OBSOLETE CODE LANGUAGE

MOTION to adopt TO15-14 PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0. (Ord. 1947)

(TO15-17) ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 14 “ENVIRONMENT,” ARTICLE V, OUTDOOR LIGHTING, TO DELETE STRINGS OF LIGHTS FROM PROHIBITED INSTALLATIONS

MOTION to adopt TO15-17, as amended, PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0. (Ord. 1948)

Resolutions and first readings of ordinances

(TR16-03) RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR “SOLARIZE NOVA”, AN INITIATIVE OF THE NORTHERN VIRGINIA REGIONAL COMMISSION AND THE LOCAL ENERGY ALLIANCE PROGRAM TO PROMOTE SOLAR ENERGY

MOTION to adopt TR16-03 PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0. (Res. 2016-08)

(TR16-04) RESOLUTION APPOINTING CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS AS LIAISONS TO CITY BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS AND TO CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEES AS OF JANUARY 1, 2016

MOTION to adopt TR16-04 PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0. (Res. 2016-09)

(TR16-06) RESOLUTION REQUESTING THAT THE COMMONWEALTH TRANSPORTATION BOARD ACCEPT CERTAIN ELIGIBLE STREETS INTO THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH URBAN HIGHWAY SYSTEM

MOTION to adopt TR16-06 PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0. (Res. 2016-10)

(TR16-07) RESOLUTION TO ADOPT CITY OF FALLS CHURCH EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN AS REVISED IN JANUARY 2016

MOTION to adopt TR16-07 PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0. (Res. 2016-11)

(TR16-08) RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN EASEMENTS ON BEHALF OF CITY OF FALLS CHURCH

MOTION to adopt TR16-08 PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0. (Res. 2016-12)

Consent items

MOTION to approve the following Consent Items PASSED on roll call vote, 7-0:

(TR16-09) RESOLUTION APPROVING ADMINISTRATIVE AMENDMENTS TO THE POLICE AND BASIC PENSION PLANS (SECTIONS 2.16, 8.01, 9.01, 9.02, AND 15.01 OF EACH PLAN) TO UPDATE SUCH PLANS TO COMPLY WITH IRS REQUIREMENTS; ADOPTING AMENDED AND RESTATED PLANS; AND RATIFYING AND APPROVING PLAN ADMINISTRATOR AND CITY MANAGER’S EXECUTION OF SUCH AMENDMENTS, WHICH ARE REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN THE PLAN’S QUALIFIED STATUS.

(Res. 2016-13)

AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO SIGN AN AGREEMENT ON BEHALF OF THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH WITH THE STEVENS CONSTRUCTION CORPORATION IN AN AMOUNT UP TO \$365,000; AND TO RENEW THIS CONTRACT ANNUALLY FOR TWO (2) ADDITIONAL ONE-YEAR TERMS (SUBJECT TO ANNUAL APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS)

Approval of Minutes

Minutes of September 28, 2015 were approved with one abstention upon roll call vote.

Minutes of May 26, 2015 were approved with two abstentions upon roll call vote.

Adjournment

Upon proper motion and unanimous voice vote, the meeting was ADJOURNED at 11:00 p.m.

Check List

	Legislation	Advertise
	Ord. 1946	none
	Ord. 1947	
	Ord. 1948	
	Res. 2016-07	
	Res. 2016-08	
	Res. 2016-09	
	Res. 2016-10	
	Res. 2016-11	
	Res. 2016-12	

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