

LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Actions of the City Council for August 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 the City Clerk cityclerk@fallschurchva.gov or 703-248-5014.

Call for Order: Mayor Tarter called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m.

Roll Call: Upon roll call, the following members were present: Mayor Tarter, Ms. Connelly, Mr. Duncan, Ms. Hardi, Ms. Oliver, and Mr. Sze. Mr. Snyder was absent because of work obligations.

Second readings of ordinances and other items requiring public hearings

(TO16-13) ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 16 “FINANCE” AND CHAPTER 40 “TAXATION” OF THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH TO ALLOW FOR ADDITIONAL FEES AND PENALTIES FOR DELINQUENT TAXES, TO ALLOW PENALTIES FOR BAD CHECKS, AND TO ALLOW FOR ALTERNATE PAYMENT ARRANGEMENTS TO BE MADE BY THE TREASURER **MOTION to adopt (TO16-13), but without the changes to section 40-232, PASSED on roll call vote, 6-0. (Mr. Snyder was absent.) (Ord. 1961)**

(TO16-14) ORDINANCE TO AMEND THE CODE OF THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH, CHAPTER 26 “MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAFFIC”, ARTICLE V, “TOWING AND IMMOBILIZATION OF VEHICLES,” SECTION 26-138, “REMOVAL OF TRESPASSING VEHICLES BY OWNERS OF PARKING OR OTHER LOT OR BUILDING” TO PERMIT INITIAL HOOK-UP AND TOW FEES OF \$135.00 AND PERMIT AN ADDITIONAL \$25 FEE FOR NIGHTS, WEEKENDS, AND HOLIDAYS AS REQUIRED BY THE CODE OF VIRGINIA **MOTION to adopt (TO16-14) PASSED on roll call vote, 6-0. (Mr. Snyder was absent.) (Ord. 1962)**

(TR16-31) RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE OFFICIAL FUTURE LAND USE PLAN MAP AND COMPREHENSIVE PLAN OF THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA, BY RECLASSIFYING APPROXIMATELY 85,965 SQUARE FEET OF LAND AT 604 SOUTH OAK STREET (RPC #52-206-077), FROM “LOW DENSITY RESIDENTIAL (4.0)” TO “PARKS AND OPEN SPACE”, TO ADD THE SCHOOL SYMBOL TO THAT SITE, AND AMEND THE FUTURE PARKS MAP IN CHAPTER 6 OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN TO DEPICT THE SITE AND THE ENTIRE THOMAS JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL AS “OTHER PARKS & OPEN SPACE” **MOTION to adopt (TR16-31) PASSED on roll call vote, 5-1. (Mr. Sze voted Nay, Mr. Snyder was absent.) (Res. 2016-35)**

(TR16-32) RESOLUTION TO AMEND CHAPTER 4 OF THE COMPREHENSIVE PLAN: LAND USE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TO ADD REVITALIZATION AREAS, SMALL AREA PLANS, & URBAN DEVELOPMENT AREAS **MOTION to adopt (TR16-32) PASSED on roll call vote, 6-0. (Mr. Snyder was absent.) (Res. 2016-36)**

Resolutions and first readings of ordinances

(TR16-39) RESOLUTION ADOPTING RULES OF PROCEDURE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA AS OF AUGUST 9, 2016 **MOTION to TABLE (TO16-39) PASSED on roll call vote, 6-0. (Mr. Snyder was absent.)**

Consent items

(CONSENT) APPROVAL OF THE FY 2017- 2018 PERFORMANCE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE FAIRFAX-FALLS CHURCH COMMUNITY SERVICES BOARD AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES

(CONSENT) AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER ON BEHALF OF THE CITY TO AWARD A CONTRACT TO THE ATLANTIC MACHINERY, INC. IN THE AMOUNT OF \$257,668 FOR THE PURCHASE OF A HIGH-POWERED SEWER CLEANER TRUCK

(CONSENT) (TR16-38) RESOLUTION REINSTATING A TASK FORCE CREATED BY RESOLUTION 2014-24 “RESOLUTION CREATING A TASK FORCE TO REFINE THE PLAN FOR CITY HALL AND PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS” TO ALLOW IT TO COMPLETE ITS WORK AS THE CITY HALL AND PUBLIC SAFETY FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS TASK FORCE WITH A NEW SUNSET DATE OF JULY 31, 2018 **(Res. 2016-37)**

MOTION to adopt Consent Items PASSED upon voice vote.

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings

The minutes of the July 11, 2016 meeting were approved as amended upon voice vote.

The minutes of the July 25, 2016 meeting were approved as amended upon voice vote with one abstention (Mr. Sze.)

Adjournment

Upon proper motion and unanimous voice vote, the meeting was ADJOURNED at 9:41 p.m.

Check List

	Legislation	Action
	Ord. 1961, Ord. 1962	Update City Code
	Res. 2016-35, Res. 2016-36, Res. 2016-37	