

City of Ann Arbor

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Action Minutes

Monday, September 12, 2011

7:00 PM

Work Session

City Hall, 301 E. Huron Street, 2nd Floor
City Council meets in caucus the Sunday prior to each regular session at 7 p.m. in the Council Chamber.

City Council

WORK SESSION

Mayor Hieftje called the Working Session to order at 7:09 p.m. in the Guy C. Larcom, Jr. Building, 2nd Floor Council Chambers, 301 E. Huron St.

Present: 9 - Mayor John Hieftje, Councilmember Stephen Rapundalo, Councilmember Stephen Kunselman, Councilmember Marcia Higgins, Councilmember Margie Teall, Councilmember Mike Anglin, Councilmember Sabra Briere, Councilmember Tony Derezinski and Councilmember Christopher Taylor

Absent: 2 - Councilmember Sandi Smith and Councilmember Carsten Hohnke

WS-1 11-1173 Property Assessed Clean Energy Program (PACE) - (Wendy Barrott/ Matt Horning)

Wendy Barrott of the Clean Energy program presented to Council the City's proposal for a Property Assessed Clean Energy Program (PACE), City Treasurer Matthew Horning was available to answer any questions of the Council. A copy of the presentation is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

WS-2 11-1172 Ann Arbor/Washtenaw County Consolidated Police Dispatch (Barnett Jones)

Ann Arbor Police Chief Barnett Jones presented to Council a proposal to consolidate the Ann Arbor Police Dispatch services with the Washtenaw County Sheriff's Department. County Sheriff Jerry Clayton; Interim City Administrator Tom Crawford; Ann Arbor Police Deputy Chief Greg Bazick; Kerry Laycock, consultant; Marc Breckenridge, WCSO Emergency Management Director; and Gregory Dill, WCSO Director of Administration; were present to answer questions of the Council. A copy of the presentation is on file in the City Clerk's Office.

One of the efficiencies highlighted was the combined LEIN position in the dispatch room, as opposed to each agency staffing their own LEIN operator position.

Councilmember Anglin requested additional information regarding calls for service.

Councilmember Taylor inquired about consolidating only the LEIN position, as opposed to the entire operation. Mr. Laycock replied that to achieve all of the cost savings part-time staff are needed, as well as the overtime reduction and personnel cost savings are only realized by moving from the City pay rates to the County.

Councilmember Briere inquired about potential savings that might be achieved through technology.

Councilmember Anglin inquired about 911 revenue that is paid by cell phone users who live in Ann Arbor, but have out-of-town area codes, such as students. Director Breckenridge replied that 911 revenue from cellular accounts is paid to the jurisdiction where the cellular bill is sent.

ADJOURNMENT

Seeing no further business before the Council, Mayor Hieftje called the meeting adjourned at 8:28 p.m.

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