

**COLUMBUS CITY COUNCIL
MEETING HIGHLIGHTS**

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HONORING AN ENTREPRENEUR FOR CHAMPIONING SUPPORTIVE EMPLOYMENT: Council President [Shannon Hardin](#) is sponsoring resolution 0263X-2019 to Recognize Joe DeLoss with the Reese Neader Memorial Award for Entrepreneurship & Social Change.

PUTTING YOUR DOLLARS TO WORK EFFICIENTLY: Council President Pro Tem [Elizabeth Brown](#), chair of the Finance committee is sponsoring ordinance 2323-2019 to capitalize personnel costs related to the City's management of capital projects. This capitalization of costs will save the City's general fund \$345,000 which can then be utilized to provide other basic services to residents such as operating recreation and parks facilities, refuse collection, and police, fire and EMS operations.

REBUILDING JAMES ROAD BETWEEN LIVINGSTON AND MAIN: Councilmember [Shayla Favor](#), Chair of the Public Service & Transportation committee is sponsoring ordinance 2216-2019 to allocate funds for the Arterial Street Rehabilitation- James Road project, which will reconstruct James Road from Livingston Avenue to Main Street for an expenditure of \$6,442,953.93.

HONORING REVEREND DR. WILLIAM S. WHEATLEY: Councilmember [Mitchell J. Brown](#) is sponsoring resolution 0229x-2019 to recognize Rev. Dr. William S. Wheatley, in Honor of his 33 years of Distinguished Service to the City of Columbus.

CELEBRATING 30 YEARS OF TOMMY'S DINER: Councilmember [Emmanuel V. Remy](#) is sponsoring resolution 0259x-2019 to recognize, celebrate and congratulate Tommy and Kathy Pappas and the Tommy's Diner family on 30 years of serving the Columbus community in Franklinton.

PRIORITIZING NEIGHBORHOOD SAFETY IN WESTLAND: Councilmember [Rob Dorans](#), chair of the Public Utilities committee is sponsoring ordinance 2232-2019 to fund the Division of Power's Hall Road Street Lighting Improvements Project that will install 64 aluminum LED light poles along Old Hall Road to



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Georgesville Road in the Westland Planning Area.

RECOGNIZING NATIONAL INFANT MORTALITY AWARENESS MONTH: Councilmember [Priscilla Tyson](#) is sponsoring resolution 0262x-2019 to recognize September as National Infant Mortality Awareness Month in the City of Columbus, and to thank StepOne for a Healthy Pregnancy, Celebrate One and Columbus Public Health for their steadfast efforts to reduce infant mortality in this community.

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