

# **Louisville Metro Government**

601 W. Jefferson Street Louisville, KY 40202

# **Action Summary - Final Government Accountability & Ethics** Committee

Committee Members: Tina Ward-Pugh (D-9)\* Jerry T. Miller (R-19)\* Kevin Kramer (R-11) Vicki Aubrey Welch (D-13) Marilyn Parker (R-18) Madonna Flood (D-24) Brent Ackerson (D-26) \* Denotes the Committee Chair(s)

Tuesday, December 16, 2014

3:30 PM

**Council Chambers** 

#### THIS IS CONSIDERED A SPECIAL MEETING

# **Call to Order**

Chair Person Ward-Pugh called the meeting to order at 3:40 p.m. and introduced the members and non-members that were present. A quorum was established.

### Rollcall

Present: 7 - Chair Person Tina Ward-Pugh (D-9), Vice Chair Jerry T. Miller (R-19), Council Member Kevin Kramer (R-11), Council Member Vicki Aubrey Welch (D-13), Council Member Marilyn Parker (R-18), Council Member Madonna Flood (D-24), and Council Member Brent Ackerson (D-26)

#### Also Present

Council Member Kelly Downard (R-16)

Sarah Martin, Assistant County Attorney, Patrick Mulvihill, Director of Civil Division of the County Attorney's Office and Deborah Kent Attorney, with the **Ethics Commission.** 

#### Clerk

Mary Whitlock, CKMC

# **Pending Legislation**

#### 1. O-515-14

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING THE STATE WHISTLEBLOWER ACT AND AMENDING THE ETHICS CODE TO PROVIDE EXPANDED PROTECTION FOR LOUISVILLE METRO EMPLOYEES. (AS AMENDED.)

<u>Sponsors:</u>Tina Ward-Pugh (D-9), Kelly Downard (R-16), Cindi Fowler (D-14), Vicki Aubrey Welch (D-13), Jerry T. Miller (R-19), Kenneth C. Fleming (R-7), Madonna Flood (D-24), Marilyn Parker (R-18), Kevin Kramer (R-11), Glen Stuckel (R-17) and Rick Blackwell (D-12)

Attachments: O-515-14 WHISTLEBLOWER ACT

State Whistleblower Act

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ADOPTING THE STATE WHISTLE BLOWER ACT AND AMENDING

A motion was made by Vice Chair Miller, seconded by Council Member Kramer, that this Ordinance be untable. By a voice vote, the Ordinance was untabled.

A technical change was made by placing a comma in 21.07 (1) after the reading (whose allegations,).

A motion was made by Councilmember Kramer, seconded by Council Member Welch to amend section 21.07 (G). The motion carried by a voice vote. The amendment passed.

The motion carried by the following vote and the Ordinace as amended was sent to Old Business:

Yes: 7 - Ward-Pugh, Miller, Kramer, Welch, Parker, Flood, and Ackerson

#### 2. O-548-14

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 51.05 REGARDING METRO COUNCIL'S REVIEW OF POLICY CHANGES MADE BY WASTE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT BOARD. (Action Required By: June 2015)

Sponsors: Kevin Kramer (R-11)

This item was held in committee.

# **Adjournment**

Without objection the meeting adjourned at 4:25 p.m.

\*NOTE: Items sent to the Consent Calendar or Old Buisness will be heard before the Full Council at the Metro Council Meeting on December 18, 2014.