



March 7, 2012

Dear City Council Members,

I am writing to inform you that my Administration has filed a lawsuit to block the Monarch at Shipyard project and to require that they build the tennis courts and other amenities that had been previously promised. This is in addition to appealing the permit granted by the DEP.

Also, I am providing the modified budget schedule below. Please note that Community Development and Health and Human Services workshops previously scheduled for March 13<sup>th</sup> will now take place on March 12<sup>th</sup>. To coincide with these two workshops, we are calling a Special Council Meeting on March 12<sup>th</sup> for consideration of a resolution to award a contract to IQ architects for design work on 1600 Park so that work can continue on a timely basis.

**Budget Introduction:** March 7<sup>th</sup> (Regularly Scheduled Meeting)

**Workshops:**

- Community Development, Brandy Forbes: Monday, March 12<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm-8pm
- Health and Human Services, Leo Pellegrini: Monday, March 12<sup>th</sup>, 8pm-10pm
- Environmental Services, Les Shenkler: Saturday March 17<sup>th</sup>, 10am-12pm
- Legal Department, Mark Tabakin: Saturday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, 1pm-3pm
- Administration, Nick Trasente: Saturday, March 17<sup>th</sup>, 3pm-5pm
- Transportation & Parking, Ian Sacs: Tuesday March 20<sup>th</sup>, 6pm-8pm
- Public Safety, Jon Tooke: Tuesday March 20<sup>th</sup>, 8pm-10pm

**Public Hearing:** April 4<sup>th</sup> (Regularly Scheduled Meeting)

**Final Adoption:** April 11<sup>th</sup> (Special Meeting)

As a reminder, our directors are available to meet with their respective committees in advance of the budget workshops to provide an overview of their budgets and answer any questions you may have. I urge you to contact them to set up a time for a meeting.

Sincerely,

  
Mayor Zimmer

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