

FINANCE COMMITTEE AGENDA

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 2013 @ 6:30 P.M.

COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 869 PARK AVENUE, CITY HALL, CRANSTON, RI

CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:

CORRESPONDENCE:

OLD BUSINESS:

- **Executive Session pursuant to RIGL 42-46-5(a)(2) Pending Litigation - Administration Update: City litigation cost to date in Bello v. City of Cranston, and funding source and review of legal bills (Councilman Archetto) (Cont. from 1/17/2013).**
- **Report from Chair on Feb 5, 2013 meeting with administration regarding overspending on overtime accounts in City Departments. (Cont. from 1/17/2013).**
- **Report from Administration regarding road bonds (which bonds were used for each project and whether spending authorized by the City Council was exceeded).**
- **Discussion of cost of moving Finance Committee Budget Hearings to locations other than City Hall.**

PUBLIC HEARING:

NEW BUSINESS:

- **Real Estate and Tangible Tax Abatements**
- **Motor Vehicle Tax Abatements**
- **Board of Tax Assessment Review for taxes assessed December 31, 2011 (informational only)**
- **Tax Interest Waiver Approvals**
- **Tax Interest Waiver Denials**

1-13-3 Ordinance in amendment of Title 3, Chapter 12 of the Code of the City of Cranston, 2005, entitled “Revenue and Finance, Taxes Generally” (Collection of Past Due Taxes). [\[click here to view\]](#)

1-13-4 Ordinance in amendment of Title 2 of the Code of the City of Cranston, 2012 entitled “Administration and Personnel/Municipal Court” (Judges’ Salaries and Auxiliary Judge Duties). [\[click here to view\]](#)

- **Resolution in support of legislation to allow the City to use income criteria in determining whether to grant property tax relief. [\[click here to view\]](#)**

**City Council Printing: Business cards, notepads, envelopes
Informal quotes: [\[click here to view\]](#)**

Paperless meetings: Quote for City Council laptops. [\[click here to view\]](#)