

FINANCE COMMITTEE AGENDA

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THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 2012

6:30 P.M.

COUNCIL CHAMBERS, THIRD FLOOR, CITY HALL, CRANSTON, RI

COUNCILMAN PAUL H. ARCHETTO, CHAIR

CALL MEETING TO ORDER:

MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:

CORRESPONDENCE:

OLD BUSINESS:

Resolution in support of reinstating the 50/50 sidewalk repair program. [\[click here to view\]](#)
Referred from 2/16/2012 Public Works Committee.

Report from Administration on the results of the experience study and the cost conducted by Buck Consultant regarding Pension System. (2/16/2012 Committee).

Presentation by Berkshire Group on cost saving strategies in developing the 2012-2013 Budget. Cont. from 2/16/2012.

PUBLIC HEARING

NEW BUSINESS

- **Real Estate Tax Abatements** [\[click here to view\]](#)
- **Motor Vehicle Tax Abatements** [\[click here to view\]](#)

- **Tax Interest Waiver Approvals** [\[click here to view\]](#)

Richard Bernardo, Director of Public Works. - Advice and Consent

Cranston School Committee Response Feb. 23, 2012 to Resolution 2012-2 and suggestion by Councilman Stycos of having two Council members meet with School Committee to have an overview discussion regarding this issue. Referred from City Council 2/27/2012.
[\[click here to view\]](#)

Resolution requesting the General Assembly provide adequate funding for Rhode Island Public Transit Authority. Sponsored by Councilman Stycos. [\[click here to view\]](#)

Resolution requesting the General Assembly to delay implementation of action taken on Bills S2100 and H7098 until Fiscal Year 2014 and to make all changes revenue neutral for municipalities. Sponsored by Council President Lupino. [\[click here to view\]](#)

Building permit fees – review of fines. Councilman Archetto

On-street overnight parking – review of fines. Councilman Archetto

Discussion in changing time of meeting