CITY OF MONTPELIER
CAPITAL CITY OF VERMONT

City Manager's Weekly Report – 12/23/2015

UPCOMING MEETINGS …

Monday, December 28th	Planning Commission Meeting *CANCELLED*
Tuesday, December 29th	Design Review Committee, 5:30 P.M. in the City Council Chambers
Friday, January 1st, 2016	*CITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED*

FOR YOUR CALENDARS …

✓ Thursday, January 28, 2016   Welcome Legislators Reception, Capitol Plaza (Governor's Ballroom), 5:00 – 7:00 P.M.

ATTACHMENTS …

➕ *None*

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT …

Legal

VCFA vs. City, Tax Appeal. – Oral argument on cross motions for Summary Judgment is scheduled for hearing at Washington Superior Court on Tuesday, January 12th, 2016 at 1:00 P.M. Represented by Robert Fletcher

Illuzzi vs. City, Law, Motyka, Renaud Bros. – Motions have been filed; going into mediation. Represented by Constance Tryon Bell through VLCT

Hallsmith Grievance Hearing wrapped up on November 18, 2015; each party has to submit their briefs and findings to the neutral hearing officer, Michael Marks, by the 9th of December. Although there is no set period of time in which Attorney Marks is required to provide his findings, City's counsel has indicated that Attorney Marks *might* possibly issue his findings within 30 days.

WEEKLY UPDATES FROM DEPARTMENT HEADS …

None

TOPICS FOR UPCOMING CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS …

January 6, 2016   Budget Workshop

January 13   1st Public Hearing on Budget
                                   1st Public Hearing on Warning
                                   Public Hearing on Charter Changes
                                      (Berlin Pond and Local Options Tax)
                                   Necessity Resolution for Bond
                                   Bond Public Hearing
                                   Kiosks – Smart Meters
                                   Transportation Committee Role
                                   Community Fund Board Report
                                   Bicycle Advisory Committee Appointments
                                   Montpelier Foundation Appointments
                                   Conservation Commission Appointment

January 21 (Thursday)   2nd Public Hearing on Budget & Adoption
                                   2nd Public Hearing on Warning & Adoption
                                   Deadline for Petitioned Items
                                   Bond Public Hearing
                                   Audit Report

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