

**City of Somerville, Massachusetts**  
**Matters of Business of the City Council**

**REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**

November 12, 2020, 7:00 PM  
Meeting by Remote Participation  
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**NOTICE**

Pursuant to Governor Baker's March 12, 2020 Order suspending certain provisions of the Open Meeting Law, G.L. C. 30A, s. 18, and the Governor's March 15, 2020 Order imposing strict limitations on the number of people that may gather in one place, as well as Mayor Curtatone's Declaration of Emergency, dated March 15, 2020, this meeting of the City Council will be conducted via remote participation. We will post an audio recording, audio-video recording, transcript, or other comprehensive record of these proceedings as soon as possible after the meeting on the City of Somerville website and local cable access government channels.

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**OPENING CEREMONIES**

1. Roll Call            Call of the Roll.  
(ID # 23757)
  
2. Remembrances    Remembrances.  
(ID # 23758)
  
3. Minutes            Approval of the Minutes of the Regular Meeting,  
(ID # 23759)        October 8, 2020.

**CITATIONS**

4. Citation            By City Councilor Ballantyne  
(ID # 23761)        Commending the staff of the Elections Department for their tireless efforts to insure for every registered voter the opportunity to vote safely and securely in the recent presidential election.

**PUBLIC HEARINGS**

5. Grant of            Submitted by TC Systems Inc to install 65 feet of  
Location            conduit in Florence Street, from utility pole 127/8 to a  
(ID # 23714)        proposed handhole at the intersection of Pearl and  
                                 Florence Streets.

6. Grant of Location (ID # 23715) Submitted by TC Systems Inc to install 132 feet of conduit from a Comcast manhole at 77 Middlesex Ave to a proposed manhole at the intersection of Middlesex Ave and Foley St, then branching, with 7 feet going to Verizon Manhole #447 and 45 feet going to Pole 213/6, both at the same intersection.
7. Grant of Location (ID # 23709) Submitted by Eversource to install 138 feet of conduit in Professors Row, from utility pole 289/12 to a point of pickup at 91 Professors Row.
8. Grant of Location (ID # 23710) Submitted by Eversource to install 76 feet of conduit in Joy Street, from manhole 22832 to a point of pickup at the rear of 135 Linwood Street.
9. Grant of Location (ID # 23711) Submitted by Eversource to install 31 feet of conduit in Woodbine Street, from utility pole 632/2 to a point of pickup at 15 Woodbine Street.
10. Grant of Location (ID # 23712) Submitted by Eversource to install 337 feet of conduit in Grand Union Boulevard, from manhole 29310 to manhole 29175.
11. Grant of Location (ID # 23713) Submitted by Eversource to install 5 feet of conduit in Curtis Street, from utility pole 289/16 to a point of pickup at 131 Curtis Street.

**ORDERS, ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS AND MOTIONS OF MEMBERS**

12. Resolution (ID # 23685) By City Councilor McLaughlin and the Mayor Proclaiming this 12th day of November, 2020 to be a day to celebrate the 30th anniversary of the Americans with Disabilities Act, and rededicating ourselves to make Somerville accessible and inclusive for all who live here.
13. Resolution (ID # 23730) By City Councilor McLaughlin Calling on Governor Baker to implement a streamlined process for MassHealth applicants to simultaneously file for SNAP benefits.
14. Order (ID # 23720) By City Councilor Ballantyne, Clingan That the Director of Inspectional Services update this Council on the processes used to better manage and enforce conditions identified in building permits.
15. Order (ID # 23728) By City Councilor Strezo, McLaughlin, Ballantyne That this Council undergo diversity, gender, racial and cultural sensitivity training, once per term, beginning in January 2021, which may be administered by the Personnel Department or a consultant.

16. Order (ID # 23750) By City Councilor Strezo  
That the Director of Parks and Recreation discuss with this Council's Committee on Housing and Community Development whether public playground sandbox coverings are an option when the parks are closed.
17. Order (ID # 23734) By City Councilor Clingan  
That the Director of Engineering appear before this Council's Committee on Public Utilities and Public Works to discuss the Medford Street sidewalk repaving "book job" and the subsequent usage conditions left as a result of bringing the sidewalks to ADA compliance.
18. Order (ID # 23735) By City Councilor Clingan  
That the Director of Engineering address residents' concerns regarding possible property owner liability relating to the conditions created by the City in its efforts to bring sidewalks to ADA compliance.
19. Order (ID # 23736) By City Councilor Clingan  
That the Director of SPCD prioritize painting the crosswalk on Sycamore Street near Evergreen Avenue.
20. Order (ID # 23737) By City Councilor Clingan  
That the Director of Parking install a NO PARKING HERE TO CORNER sign on Forster Street at the Central Street end of the roadway.
21. Order (ID # 23738) By City Councilor Clingan  
That the Director of SPCD and the Director of Parking remove the parking meters at 315 Broadway.
22. Order (ID # 23739) By City Councilor Clingan  
That the Commissioner of Public Works address the streetlight outage on the entire length of Fellsway West, resulting from the work being done by DCR at Foss Park.

**UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

23. Resolution 210586 By City Councilor McLaughlin  
That the Mayor update this Council, in Executive Session, on alleged suspicious activity in the DPW Fleet yard in March of 2020.
24. Communication 210692 By City Councilor Strezo  
Reporting on the demographic breakdown of employees in the E-911 dispatch, Fire Alarm dispatch, and Constituent Services Departments.

25. Order 210805 By City Councilor Scott  
That this Council meet in Executive Session to discuss the reputation, discipline, or dismissal of, or complaints or charges brought against, Ron Bonney, who was last known as the Director of Fleet.
26. Order 210806 By City Councilor Davis  
That this Council invoke its right to engage outside counsel to compel the Administration to update this Council in Executive Session on alleged suspicious activity in the DPW Fleet Yard in March, 2020.

### **REPORTS OF COMMITTEES**

#### **27. CONFIRMATION OF APPOINTMENTS AND PERSONNEL MATTERS COMMITTEE**

- A. Committee Report (ID # 23745) Report of the Committee on Confirmation of Appointments and Personnel Matters, meeting on November 2, 2020.
- B. Order 208511 By City Councilor Rossetti  
That the Director of Personnel provide the City Council with a monthly vacancy report.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- C. Mayor's Request 210723 Requesting confirmation of the appointment of Kenneth Silva to the position of District Fire Chief.  
RECOMMENDED: Approved.
- D. Mayor's Request 210792 Requesting confirmation of the appointment of Justin Bonner to the position of Fire Captain.  
RECOMMENDED: Approved.
- E. Mayor's Request 210793 Requesting confirmation of the appointment of Michael Khoury to the position of Fire Captain.  
RECOMMENDED: Approved.
- F. Mayor's Request 210794 Requesting confirmation of the appointment of Dennis Sullivan to the position of Fire Captain.  
RECOMMENDED: Approved.
- G. Mayor's Request 210795 Requesting confirmation of the appointment of Thomas Bellini to the position of Fire Lieutenant.  
RECOMMENDED: Approved.
- H. Mayor's Request 210796 Requesting confirmation of the appointment of Eric Saulnier to the position of Fire Lieutenant.  
RECOMMENDED: Approved.
- I. Mayor's Request 210797 Requesting confirmation of the appointment of Danielle O'Hearn to the position of Fire Lieutenant.  
RECOMMENDED: Approved.

28. EQUITY, GENDER, FAMILIES AND VULNERABLE POPULATIONS COMMITTEE
1. Committee Report (ID # 23746) Report of the Committee on Equity, Gender, Families and Vulnerable Populations, meeting on November 4, 2020.
  
  2. Order 205289 By City Councilor Hirsch, Ballantyne, Davis, Clingan That the Director of Purchasing share the process for procuring food, food packaging and flatware for the school cafeterias.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
  
  3. Order 205290 By City Councilor Hirsch, Ballantyne, Davis That the Commissioner of Public Works share the process of handling different types of cafeteria waste, including recyclables and food waste.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
  
  4. Order 205361 By City Councilor Hirsch, Davis, Mbah, Ewen-Campen, Clingan That the Director of Parks and Recreation and the Superintendent of Schools share their policies and procedures for allocating indoor spaces and outdoor spaces, in particular for local or youth-serving organizations.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
  
  5. Officer's Communication 205531 Parks and Recreation Director responding to #205361 re: the allocation of indoor and outdoor spaces.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
  
  6. Officer's Communication 205532 Parks and Recreation Director submitting the Department's Fall, 2017 youth participation statistics.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
  
  7. Resolution 206188 By City Councilor Ewen-Campen, Niedergang, Hirsch, Mbah, Ballantyne, and the Entire Board That the Administration update this Board prior to July 12, 2018, on providing public restrooms at public parks, including parks that will be used by programs that would otherwise use Conway Park, including Dickerman Park.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
  
  8. Resolution 206232 By City Councilor Niedergang, and the Entire Board That the Administration install portable toilets at playgrounds and the following parks: Albion, Dickerman, North Street, Lincoln (when it reopens), Marshall Street, Chuckie Harris, Kenney, Grimmons, Healey, Hoyt-Sullivan (when it reopens) and Conway, no later than July 2018.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.

9. Resolution 206643 By City Councilor Hirsch, Ballantyne  
That the Administration report on how the port-a-potty pilot went this summer, whether or not it can be expanded, and how residents should notify the city if port-a-potties need cleaning.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
10. Public Communication 210290 3,380 citizens (approx.) submitting comments re: redistributing Police Department funding.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
11. Order (ID # 23729) By City Councilor Mbah, Ballantyne, Strezo  
That #210239 and #210240 be discharged from the Committee on Equity, Gender, Families and Vulnerable Populations and referred to the Committee on Public Health and Public Safety.

29. FINANCE COMMITTEE

- A. Committee Report (ID # 23749) Report of the Committee on Finance, meeting on November 10, 2020.
- B. Order 208132 By City Councilor Ballantyne, Ewen-Campen, Scott, Clingan, Davis, Niedergang, Rossetti, McLaughlin, Hirsch, Mbah, White Jr.  
That the Director of Water and Sewer discuss the option for property owners to add a second water meter to use for irrigation and other outdoor uses.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed
- C. Order 210221 By City Councilor Ballantyne  
That the Director of Finance discuss providing small businesses the option to pay the Licensing Commission's annual license renewal fees in installments instead of all at once.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed
- D. Resolution 210483 By City Councilor Rossetti  
That the Administration consider relief for local small businesses as it relates to their annual renewal of licenses and associated fees.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed
- E. Order 210748 By City Councilor Rossetti  
That the Commissioner of Public Works provide this Council with a report of total known expenses for FY19, FY20 and FY21 to date.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed
- F. Mayor's Request 210751 Requesting approval to pay a prior year invoice totaling \$473.54 using available funds in the Health & Human Services Supply Account for Somerville Farmers Market bags and folders for a training.

RECOMMENDED: Approved

- G. Mayor's Request 210752 Requesting the approval for a change in the scope of the CPA FY16 and FY19 award to the Somerville Museum.  
RECOMMENDED: Approved
- H. Officer's Communication 210799 Interim Director of Water and Sewer submitting a draft Scope of Services for the long-term Water and Sewer Rate Study and Affordability Analysis.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed
- I. Order (ID # 23784) By City Councilor Scott  
That the Commissioner of Public Works provide this Council's Finance Committee with every invoice from the Fleet Division's Ordinary Maintenance budget for FY21 year to date, including documentation supporting encumbrance figures listed in the current Munis report.

30. HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

- A. Committee Report (ID # 23743) Report of the Committee on Housing and Community Development, meeting on October 28, 2020.
- B. Order 210781 By City Councilor Strezo  
That the Director of Health and Human Services appear before this Council's Committee on Housing and Community Development to discuss the Teen Snow Shoveling Program for the 2020-2021 winter season.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed

31. LAND USE COMMITTEE

- A. Committee Report (ID # 23742) Report of the Committee on Land Use, meeting on October 27, 2020.
- B. Public Communication 210718 Anthony Martignetti proposing a zoning amendment to re-zone his property at 360 Medford St to High Rise.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
- C. Public Communication 210731 2 residents submitting comments re: #210364, a residents' petition to rezone 6 parcels in the Gilman Sq area.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.

32. LEGISLATIVE MATTERS COMMITTEE

- A. Committee Report (ID # 23744) Report of the Committee on Legislative Matters, meeting on October 29, 2020.

- B. Mayor's Request 208703 Requesting approval of a Home Rule Petition to authorize the City to appoint Police Cadets under certain circumstances.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
- C. Order 209377 By City Councilor Niedergang  
That the City Solicitor draft an ordinance to ban the sale of alcohol in containers up to 100 milliliters, including "nips," to enhance public health and reduce litter, plastic use, and public drunkenness.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.

33. OPEN SPACE, ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY COMMITTEE

- A. Committee Report (ID # 23747) Report of the Committee on Open Space, Environment and Energy, meeting on November 9, 2020.
- B. Order 201857 By City Councilor Ballantyne, McWatters, Niedergang, Davis  
That the Commissioner of Public Works and the Director of Sustainability and Environment inform the Special Committee on Open Space, Environment and Energy which elements of the AMA's 2016 guidelines on LED lighting could be or have been used to minimize potential harmful effects.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- C. Order 202992 By City Councilor Davis  
That the Director of Sustainability and Environment and the City Solicitor advise this Board on the feasibility requiring certain commercial and multi-family buildings to require composting as a part of regular waste disposal.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- D. Resolution 204434 By City Councilor Ballantyne, Davis, Niedergang  
That the Administration provide this Board's Special Committee on Open Space, Environment and Energy with an analysis of the attached communication regarding LED street lights.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- E. Resolution 205711 By City Councilor Scott, Ewen-Campen, Mbah  
That the Administration present a Heat Island Impact Analysis on the proposed replacement of Conway Park's grass fields with artificial turf.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- F. Order 207376 By City Councilor Mbah  
That the Director of Sustainability and Environment and the Director of SPCD formalize and implement a modern urban forestry management plan, including best practices and a resilient species list.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.



- G. Resolution 208590 By City Councilor Davis, Mbah  
That the Administration revisit the proposal to institute citywide curbside composting.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- H. Order 208920 By City Councilor Ballantyne  
That the Director of SPCD develop a plan to plant a native species pollinator garden along the Community Path.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- I. Order 209624 By City Councilor Ballantyne  
That the Committee on Open Space, Environment and Energy provide feedback on the SomerVision 2040's chapters on 1) Public Space & Natural Environment and 2) Climate & Sustainability with respect to metrics, key tasks, and other strategies as noted within.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- J. Order 210689 By City Councilor Ewen-Campen  
That the Director of Public Space and Urban Forestry work with the Ward 3 Councilor to facilitate a community meeting to plan a replacement tree(s) for the large Elm tree in Prospect Hill Park that appears to be succumbing to Dutch Elm disease.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.

34. PUBLIC HEALTH AND PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE

- A. Committee Report (ID # 23740) Report of the Committee on Public Health and Public Safety, meeting on October 26, 2020.
- B. Order 209664 By City Councilor McLaughlin, Ewen-Campen, Scott, Clingan, Ballantyne, Davis, Rossetti, Niedergang, Hirsch, White Jr.  
That the Director of Health and Human Services discuss using city policies to address pollution mitigation for new developments along high transit roads and highways.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
- C. Order 209667 By City Councilor McLaughlin  
That the Directors of Health and Human Services and Somerville Cares About Prevention appear before this Council's Committee on Public Health and Public Safety to discuss their roles regarding recreational marijuana applications.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- D. Resolution 210182 By City Councilor Strezo  
That the Postmaster provide any contingency plans to be implemented in the event of a forced shut-down or suspension of service due to a lack of funding or the COVID-19 pandemic.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.

- E. Order 210208 By City Councilor Clingan, Ballantyne  
That the Director of Parks and Recreation report to this Council's Public Health and Public Safety Committee the plan to re-open the Dilboy Pool on July 1.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
- F. Order 210209 By City Councilor Clingan, Ballantyne  
That the Director of Parks and Recreation report to this Council's Public Health and Public Safety Committee with the plan for re-opening the department's Summer Camp.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
- G. Order 210211 By City Councilor Clingan, Scott  
That the Director of Health and Human Services work with all community partners in contact with parents to make sure those parents identify someone to care for their children should they need to be hospitalized, and make that information is accessible, with contact information, in case it is needed.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.
- H. Officer's Communication 210282 Director of Parks and Recreation responding to #210208 and #210209 on plans to re-open Dilboy Pool and Summer Camps.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
- I. Public Communication 210356 US Postal Service Manager of Governmental Relations responding to #210182 re: Postal Service operations during the pandemic.  
RECOMMENDED: Placed on File.
- J. Order 210433 By City Councilor Ewen-Campen, Clingan, Davis  
That the Director of Health and Human Services report to this Council the feasibility of using weekly pooled Covid-19 testing and/or relatively affordable "test strips" for school children, public employees, and workers at public-facing businesses.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.

35. RODENT ISSUES SPECIAL COMMITTEE

- A. Committee Report (ID # 23741) Report of the Special Committee on Rodent Issues, meeting on October 27, 2020.
- B. Order 209803 By City Councilor Hirsch, Ewen-Campen, Scott, Clingan, Ballantyne, Davis, Niedergang, Rossetti, McLaughlin, Mbah, White Jr.  
That the Director of Inspectional Services and the Director of Health and Human Services report on how the new sign-off administrative procedure for demolitions is progressing.  
RECOMMENDED: Work Completed.

**COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MAYOR**

36. Mayor's Request (ID # 23694) Requesting approval of the attached amendments to the Zoning Ordinances to establish an Affordable Housing Overlay District.
37. Mayor's Request (ID # 23765) Requesting the appropriation of \$7,129,550 from Unreserved Fund Balance ("Free Cash") to the COVID-19 Stabilization Fund to provide resources to fight the pandemic.
38. Mayor's Request (ID # 23755) Requesting approval to appropriate \$3,000,000 from the COVID-19 Stabilization Fund for Building Renovations and HVAC System Improvements to reopen the public schools.
39. Mayor's Request (ID # 23756) Requesting approval to appropriate \$1,500,000 from the Facility Construction & Renovation Stabilization Fund for Building Renovations and HVAC System Improvements to reopen the public schools.
40. Mayor's Request (ID # 23731) Requesting the appropriation of \$1,672,769 from the Receipts Reserved for Appropriation Parking Meter Receipts Account in order to reduce the FY21 Tax Rate.
41. Mayor's Request (ID # 23732) Requesting a supplemental appropriation of \$600,000 to the School Lunch Revolving Fund to fund a projected budget deficit in FY21.
42. Mayor's Request (ID # 23752) Requesting a supplemental appropriation of \$259,492 to the Veterans Ice Rink Enterprise Fund.
43. Mayor's Request (ID # 23683) Requesting a supplemental appropriation of \$209,280 to the Fire Department Repair & Maintenance Vehicles Account to repair Ladder Two's aerial ladder.
44. Mayor's Request (ID # 23753) Requesting the appropriation of \$51,712 from the Dilboy Enterprise Fund Retained Earnings to balance the FY21 Dilboy Enterprise Fund Budget.
45. Mayor's Request (ID # 23688) Requesting the supplemental appropriation of \$11,907 to the Public Library's Digital Subscription Account to meet the FY21 appropriation requirement outlined by the MA Board of Library Commissioners.
46. Mayor's Request (ID # 23762) Requesting a supplemental appropriation of \$10,704 to the City Clerk Software Repair and Maintenance Account to develop new domestic partnership software and extend the city's MinuteTraQ contract.

47. Mayor's Request (ID # 23733) Requesting the rescission of the prior appropriation of \$5,253,206 from Unreserved Fund Balance ("Free Cash") to reduce the FY21 Tax Levy, as approved on July 14 in #210317.
48. Mayor's Request (ID # 23760) Requesting the reduction of the FY21 Kennedy School Pool Enterprise Budget by \$65,000 to balance the budget.
49. Mayor's Request (ID # 23754) Requesting the reduction of \$8,848 from the appropriated FY21 Dilboy Enterprise Fund Budget to balance the budget.
50. Mayor's Request (ID # 23691) Requesting approval to pay prior year invoices totaling \$2,872.50 using available funds in the Communications Professional and Technical Services Account.
51. Mayor's Request (ID # 23695) Requesting approval to pay a prior year invoice totaling \$200 using available funds in the Fire Department Dues and Memberships Account for CHAMP membership.
52. Mayor's Request (ID # 23608) Requesting acceptance of a \$1,400,000 payment from the MBTA/MA DoT to the SPCD Mobility Division for required GLX traffic and pedestrian environmental commitments.
53. Mayor's Request (ID # 23679) Requesting acceptance of \$878,051 in CDBG CARES Act funds and \$632,359 in ESG CARES grant funds with no new match required, from the Department of Housing and Urban Development to prepare for, prevent, and respond to the impacts of Covid-19.
54. Mayor's Request (ID # 23686) Requesting acceptance of a \$295,463 grant with no new match required, from the State 911 Office to the Police Department to fund E911 personnel costs.
55. Mayor's Request (ID # 23721) Requesting acceptance of a \$100,000 grant with no new match required, from the MA Department of Health to the Health and Human Services Department for its Covid-19 response.
56. Mayor's Request (ID # 23687) Requesting acceptance of a \$89,234.57 grant with no new match required, from the State E911 Office to the Police Department for 911 training and the certification of 911 telecommunicators.

57. Mayor's Request (ID # 23722) Requesting acceptance of a gift of \$88,140 with no new match required, from Ginkgo Bioworks to supply and process COVID 19 PCR tests for schools and other essential city personnel.
58. Mayor's Request (ID # 23684) Requesting acceptance of a \$25,600 grant with no new match required, from the MA Emergency Management Agency to the Fire Department for the purchase of safety equipment.
59. Mayor's Request (ID # 23681) Requesting acceptance of a \$13,305 grant with no new match required, from the MA Board of Library Commissioners to the Public Library to create a 2-year program to train immigrants via an ESOL civics awareness class, provide USCIS citizenship workshops, create a Citizenship Corner at each branch, and create a mechanism to sustain the program past the 2-year award.
60. Mayor's Request (ID # 23693) Requesting acceptance of an \$6,233.33 grant with no new match required, from the MA Dept of Public Health to the Police Department to purchase and provide training for Naxalone.
61. Mayor's Request (ID # 23692) Requesting approval of a waiver in annual license fees for certain business licenses.
62. Mayor's Request (ID # 23717) Requesting approval of a contract extension for the KZLA Architects construction administration contract for services at Prospect Hill Park.
63. Mayor's Request (ID # 23718) Requesting approval of a contract extension for the NELM Corp construction contract for services at Prospect Hill Park.
64. Mayor's Request (ID # 23690) Requesting confirmation of the appointment of Lian Guertin to the Commission for Persons with Disabilities.
65. Mayor's Request (ID # 23697) Requesting confirmation of the re-appointment of Zachary Zasloff to the Condominium Review Board.
66. Mayor's Request (ID # 23699) Requesting confirmation of the re-appointment of Elizabeth Janiak to the Condominium Review Board.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS OF CITY OFFICERS**

67. Officer's Communication (ID # 23696) Condominium Review Board submitting its FY20 Annual Report.

- 68. Officer's Communication (ID # 23751) City Clerk responding to #210676 re: discrepancies in abutter notifications in applications from various utilities for Grants of Location.
- 69. Officer's Communication (ID # 23682) Director of Health and Human Services responding to #210687 re: current and potential services available to neighbors experiencing homelessness, mental illness, and addiction.

**NEW BUSINESS**

- 70. License/Permit (ID # 23716) New Drainlayer's License, Manafort Transit LLC.
- 71. License/Permit (ID # 23724) New Drainlayer's License, JET Holding Corp.
- 72. License/Permit (ID # 23704) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 1, Mercedes Benz of Boston, 259 McGrath Hwy.
- 73. License/Permit (ID # 23705) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 1, Smart Center Boston, 257 McGrath Hwy.
- 74. License/Permit (ID # 23706) Renewing Used Car Dealer Class 1, Herb Chambers Mercedes Benz of Boston Commercial Vans, 161 Linwood St.
- 75. License/Permit (ID # 23703) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 2, Broadway Brake, 45 Broadway.
- 76. License/Permit (ID # 23707) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 2, Hillside Service Center, 45 Mystic Ave.
- 77. License/Permit (ID # 23708) Renewing Used Car Dealer Class 2 License, Valente Enterprise, 154 Glen St.
- 78. License/Permit (ID # 23725) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 2, Broadway Auto Sales, 525 Broadway.
- 79. License/Permit (ID # 23726) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 2, Top Gear Motor Group, 24 Joy St.
- 80. License/Permit (ID # 23727) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 2, William Doucette Auto Sales, 325 Alewife Brook Pkwy.

- 81. License/Permit (ID # 23702) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 2, Tech Auto Body, 9 Union Sq.
- 82. License/Permit (ID # 23701) Renewing Used Car Dealers License Class 3, Joseph Talewsky and Son, 512 Columbia St.
- 83. Public Communication (ID # 23763) Tufts University submitting its Fall 2020 University Accountability report.
- 84. Public Communication (ID # 23764) Harvard University submitting its Fall 2020 University Accountability report.
- 85. Public Communication (ID # 23766) 5 citizens submitting comments re: #210595, Conditions for Special Permits with respect to LaCourt Realty.

**SUPPLEMENTAL ITEMS**

- 86. Order (ID # 23769) By City Councilor Strezo  
That the Director of Parks and Recreation appear before this Council’s Committee on Housing and Community Development to discuss installing playground communication boards in all parks to expand park accessibility for children who are nonverbal or have other communication challenges.
- 87. Order (ID # 23774) By City Councilor Ballantyne  
That the Director of SPCD change the language and photo on page 66 in SomerVision2040, to what is attached within.
- 88. Resolution (ID # 23775) By City Councilor Niedergang, Davis  
That the Mayor submit a supplemental budget request to immediately add staff and funding to the Mobility Division for traffic calming, and increase its staff and funding by at least 50% in FY22.
- 89. Resolution (ID # 23785) By City Councilor Davis  
That the Administration expand and maintain the use of bollards and other pedestrian safety measures citywide so they are replaced immediately as needed.
- 90. Order (ID # 23786) By City Councilor Davis  
That the Director of Capital Projects revise the College Avenue reconstruction plan to include additional safety measures for pedestrians at both perpendicular and parallel crossings.

91. Order (ID # 23787) By City Councilor Davis  
That the Director of SPCD update the Ward 6 Councilor on the overdue new equipment necessary to improve signal timing in Davis Square.
92. Order (ID # 23788) By City Councilor Davis  
That the Director of SPCD implement a traffic calming plan on Morrison Avenue including alternating parking to create chicanes.
93. Order (ID # 23789) By City Councilor Davis  
That the Director of SPCD update the Ward 6 Councilor on any plans to further improve pedestrian safety at the intersection of Willow Avenue, Elm Street and Beech Street, possibly with a center island and bump outs.
94. Order (ID # 23790) By City Councilor Davis, Strezo, Mbah  
That the Director of SPCD and the Director of Parking implement traffic calming measures on Powder House Terrace.
95. Order (ID # 23791) By City Councilor Davis  
That the Director of SPCD update the Ward 6 Councilor on previously discussed plans to reconfigure the Powder House Traffic Circle.
96. Order (ID # 23792) By City Councilor Davis  
That the Director of Parking make sure a DO NOT ENTER sign prohibiting left turns from College Avenue onto Kidder Avenue is visible to drivers on College Avenue who might be considering such a turn. (3rd request)
97. Mayor's Request (ID # 23783) Requesting to appear before this Council on November 12, 2020 to discuss the Public School COVID-19 Response and Reopening Plan.
98. Mayor's Request (ID # 23793) Requesting a transfer of \$15,000 from the Executive Administration Personal Services Account to the Grants Development Personal Services Account to cover an increase in hours for the part-time grant writer.
99. Mayor's Request (ID # 23723) Requesting acceptance of a \$50,000 grant with no new match required, from the Boston Mayor's Office of Emergency Management to the Police Department for the purchase of maritime equipment to enhance responses to marine incidents.



100. Mayor's Request (ID # 23689) Requesting acceptance of a \$24,500 grant with no new match required, from the State 911 Office to the Police Department to fund E911 emergency medical dispatch services.
101. Mayor's Request (ID # 23776) Requesting approval of the Surveillance Technology Impact Report for BriefCam.
102. Mayor's Request (ID # 23777) Requesting approval of the Surveillance Technology Impact Report for Covert Device Cameras.
103. Mayor's Request (ID # 23778) Requesting approval of the Surveillance Technology Impact Report for GPS and Monitor.
104. Mayor's Request (ID # 23779) Requesting approval of the Surveillance Technology Impact Report for GreyKey.
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106. Mayor's Request (ID # 23781) Requesting approval of the Surveillance Technology Impact Report for Pole Cameras.
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111. Officer's Communication (ID # 23794) Director of SPCD responding to #205709 re: public fields in the Inner Belt District.

**LATE ITEMS**

**ADJOURNMENT**