



CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS CLERK OF COMMITTEES

RODENT ISSUES SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Wednesday - September 17, 2014, 6:30 PM

Committee Room – 2nd Floor – City Hall

AGENDA

Approval of the Minutes of June 04, 2014

- **196852: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect the dumpsters and area around the Highland Creole Cuisine restaurant, 2 Highland Avenue, for signs of rodent activity, and take appropriate actions.
- **196876: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect the Park Avenue/Laurel Street area for rodents and communicate with residents and the Ward 2 Alderman on actions taken.
- **196877: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect the Bowdoin Street area, including Lincoln Park and Washington Street, for rodents and communicate to residents and the Ward 2 Alderman on actions taken.
- **197005: Discuss** That the Director of Health and the Director of SPCD (ISD) direct the building manager at Bryant Manor to inform the residents not to throw food out their windows to feed the birds, as they are inadvertently feeding the rats as well.
- **197006: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait George Street and inspect the area for rodent related problems.
- **197007: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait the corner of Cross Street East and Pennsylvania Avenue for rodents and install signage prohibiting the feeding of animals at the intersection.
- **197008: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait Myrtle Street for rodents.

- **197009: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) investigate reports of rodents on Gilman Terrace, Pickney Street, Pearl Street, Mt. Vernon Street, Indiana Avenue, Pennsylvania Avenue and George Street.
- **197010: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) investigate the rat burrows along the Starbucks in Assembly Square.
- **197011: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) report on the compliance of construction workers along Broadway, and elsewhere in East Somerville, regarding required rodent baiting.
- **197104: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait Wilton Street and inspect the area for rodent related problems.
- **197141: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait Sunnyside Avenue for rodents.
- **197142: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait the Alston Street area for rodents.
- **197143: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait Pennsylvania Avenue for rodents.
- **197223: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) direct the owner of 47 Webster Avenue to clear the rear lot of all overgrowth and debris and bait the property if evidence of rodent activity is found.
- **197232: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) direct the owner of the vacant lot adjacent to 12 Beacon Place to clear it of overgrowth and debris, bait it for rodents, and address rodent burrows.
- **197263: Discuss** That the Commissioner of Public Works clean the area along the billboard near 3 Chester Avenue, and that the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait it for rodents.
- **197354: Discuss** DPW Commissioner responding to various Board Orders submitted 6/26/14.
- **197376: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait the area around 80 and 82 Morrison Avenue for rodents.
- **197449: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect 14 Otis Street and 27 Pinckney Street for rodents and bait the area.
- **197459: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect 20 Mt. Vernon Street for rodent activity and issue fines accordingly.
- **197460: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait the area around 55 Bonair Street for rodents.
- **197461: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait Otis Street, by the Edgerly School.

- **197462: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect the area around 50 Oliver Street for signs of rodent activity and bait the area.
- **197500: Discuss** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) monitor the 23-25 Highland Road area for continued rodent activity.