



City of Somerville, Massachusetts

Legislative Matters Committee

Meeting Minutes Dispositions

Tuesday, April 28, 2026

6:00 PM

**City Council Chamber and Remote
Participation**

This meeting was held via Zoom and in the Chamber and was called to order by Chair Scott at 6:01pm and adjourned at 8:08 pm on a roll call vote of 5 in favor (Councilors Davis, Mbah, Ewen-Campen, Strezo, Scott), 0 absent.

Others present: Shumeane Benford - Police Chief, Sean Sheehan - Police Captain, Kevin Shackelford - Police Lieutenant, Yasmine Raddassi - Legislative Liaison, Madalyn Letellier - Assistant City Clerk.

Roll Call

Present: Ward Three City Councilor Ben Ewen-Campen, City Councilor At Large Kristen Strezo and Ward Two City Councilor Jefferson Thomas (J.T.) Scott

Remote: Ward Six City Councilor Lance L. Davis and City Councilor At Large Wilfred N. Mbah

1. Approval of the Minutes of the Legislative Matters Committee Meeting of March 17, 2026. [26-0500](#)
Accepted
Aye: Ward Six City Councilor Davis, City Councilor At Large Mbah, Ward Three City Councilor Ewen-Campen, City Councilor At Large Strezo and Ward Two City Councilor Scott
2. Conveying the 2025 Surveillance Technology Annual Report. [26-0302](#)
Kept in committee
3. Requesting approval of the Surveillance Technology Impact Report for Crime Tracer. [26-0485](#)
Kept in committee
4. Requesting approval of the Surveillance Technology Impact Report for Body Worn Cameras. [26-0484](#)
Kept in committee
5. Digital Fourth submitting comments re: Surveillance Technology Annual [26-0475](#)

Report.

Kept in committee

6. Hala Jadallah submitting comments re: surveillance. [26-0495](#)
Recommended to be marked work completed
7. Three residents submitting comments re: item #26-0485, Surveillance Technology Impact Report for Crime Tracer. [26-0496](#)
Recommended to be marked work completed
8. Tamara Grasty and Emma Rybeck submitting comments re: item #26-0485, Surveillance Technology Impact Report for Crime Tracer. [26-0607](#)
Recommended to be marked work completed

Referenced Documents:

- Legislative Matters - 2026-04-28 BWC-presentation-final (with 26-0484)
- Legislative Matters - 2026-04-28 BWC-presentation-final-handout (with 26-0484)