

CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS CLERK OF COMMITTEES

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Tuesday - February 11, 2014, 6:00 PM

Committee Room – 2nd Floor – City Hall

AGENDA

Approval of the Minutes of January 16, 2014

- **194970: Discuss in Committee** That the Administration confirm that the city will contract for a crosswalk bump-out at Elm and Beech Streets in coordination with the City of Cambridge in 2014 and provide a detailed timeline on this process.
- **195157: Discuss in Committee** That the Administration set up a program to reimburse all retirees on Medicare, 80% of their out of pocket contributions, on an annual basis.
- 195769: Recommend Requesting approval to appropriate \$106,812.60 from Free Cash to the Highway Professional & Technical Services Account to provide the first year of GPS monitoring services for city vehicles.
- **196058: Discuss in Committee** Assistant City Solicitor responding to #195769 re: GPS devices on city vehicles and collective bargaining rights.
- **196125: Discuss in Committee** Sanford Pooler submitting comments re: #195769, installing GPS devices in city vehicles.
- **196166: Recommend** Requesting the acceptance of a Parkland Acquisitions and Renovations for Communities (PARC) grant totaling \$400,000 for the construction of Symphony Park.
- **196167: Recommend** Requesting, as required by the PARC grants, the authorization to utilize State and Federal funding necessary to construct the new Symphony Park.
- **196168: Recommend** Requesting an appropriation of \$7,410 from Free Cash to the Fire Department for a grant match from FEMA for smoke detectors in conjunction with the Council on Aging.
- **196169: Recommend** Requesting the expenditure of FY14 funds totaling \$6,722.78 to pay prior year invoices in the Police Department.