

CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS CLERK OF COMMITTEES

YOUTH SERVICES COMMITTEE Committee Meeting

Wednesday - March 7, 2018, 6:00 PM Committee Room – 2nd Floor – City Hall

AGENDA

(Posted online: 3/3/18 at 7:48 AM)

- 1. Approval of the May 10, 2017 Minutes
- 2. 198075: Discuss (Rossetti, McLaughlin) That the Director of the Office of Prevention update this Board's Youth Services Committee of the department's plan to address youth health matters of concern.
- **3. 198227: Discuss** (Ballantyne) That the Administration provide this Board, in early 2015, with an update regarding the city's efforts to combat drug addiction.
- **4. 198586: Discuss** (McLaughlin) That the Director of SPCD update this Board on renovating and taking control of Foss Park.
- **5. 198742: Discuss** (Ballantyne) That the Director of Recreation update this Board's Committee on Youth Services on the 100 day plan.
- **6. 198955: Discuss** (Rossetti, Connolly, Sullivan, White Jr., McLaughlin) That the Administration of Teen Empowerment update this Board of its recent accomplishments and plans for the remainder of the calendar year.
- **7. 201166: Discuss** (Rossetti) That the Director of Health and Human Services share the report on community conversations regarding race and racism with this Board's Committee on Youth Services when it becomes available.
- **8. 202113: Discuss** (McLaughlin) That the Director of Health and Human Services appear before this Board to discuss progress in the city's race dialogs.

- **9. 202316: Discuss** (Connolly, and the Entire Board) That the Administration resolve the outstanding issues with Teen Empowerment's contract.
- **10. 202416: Discuss** (Ballantyne) That the Superintendent of Recreation update this Board on the number of youth served, by program and gender, since Spring 2016.
- **11. 202555: Discuss** Director of Parks and Recreation responding to #202416 re: the numbers of youth served since Spring, 2016.
- **12. 204870: Discuss** (Hirsch, Ballantyne, Scott) That the Administration report to this Board, by the next Youth Services Committee meeting, on ways to expand open swimming hours at the Kennedy School pool, such as Sundays, Friday/Saturday evenings, school holidays and half-day Wednesdays.
- **13. 204871: Discuss** (Hirsch, Niedergang) That the Administration report to this Board, by the next Youth Services Committee meeting, on ways to keep the Kennedy School playground open for public use during non-school day daytime hours.
- **14. 204873: Discuss** (Hirsch) That the Administration, with the School Department, provide data by student income, school and grade, on children being served after school at school-based and non-profit providers, to identify gaps in service and better coordinate and expand such programming.
- **15. 204996: Discuss** (Hirsch, Ballantyne, Clingan) That this Board's Committee on Youth Services organize one or more workshops to ask tweens and young teens about how the city can make sure our community is a great place for them to live.
- **16. 205096: Discuss** (Hirsch) That the Director of Recreation appear before this Board's Committee on Youth Services to provide information on the membership and function of the Recreation Commission.