



CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS
CLERK OF COMMITTEES

PUBLIC UTILITIES AND PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE
Committee Meeting

Tuesday - July 2, 2013, 6:30 PM

Committee Room – 2nd Floor – City Hall

AGENDA

- **Noise at Verizon facility**
- **190456: Recommend** Conveying the Final Inspectional Services Division Organizational Review.
- **191056: Discuss in Committee** That the Commissioner of Public Works contact the appropriate utilities to address the overloaded and low hanging wires at Somerville Avenue at Kent Street, Somerville Avenue at Linden Street, and along Tyler Street.
- **193966: Discuss in Committee** That the City Clerk request that the State Delegation contact the MBTA to remove all graffiti from the retaining wall between the railroad tracks and the Lowell Street bridge.
- **194046: Discuss in Committee** That the Director of SPCD report back to the Ward 5 Alderman regarding noise created by the retaining wall along the railroad tracks at the former MaxPak site.
- **194051: Discuss in Committee** That the Commissioner of Public Work and the Director of SPCD report to this Board regarding re-surfacing and drainage measures on the developed community path.
- **194057: Discuss in Committee** That this Board requests that the Administration, the Director of Traffic and Parking and the Commissioner of Public Works work with the ESCS contractor to coordinate the installation of raised crosswalks around the school.
- **194058: Discuss in Committee** That the City Clerk request our state delegation to contact the MA Highway Dept. to increase pedestrian lighting under I-93, outside the Sullivan Sq. T Station.

- **194216: Discuss in Committee** Director of Traffic and Parking responding to various Board Orders.
- **194307: Discuss in Committee** That the Director of SPCD (Transportation and Infrastructure) contact the MBTA and the State Delegation to eradicate all graffiti on the retaining wall between the railroad tracks and the Lowell Street bridge, and report any corrective actions to this Board's Committee on Public Utilities and Works.
- **194308: Discuss in Committee** That the Director of SPCD (Transportation and Infrastructure) contact the MBTA and the State Delegation to remedy the problems with the fence at the end of Nashua Street, and report any suggested remedies from the MBTA to this Board's Committee on Public Utilities and Works within 30 days.
- **194331: Discuss in Committee** MA DOT responding to #194058 re: Pedestrian lighting under Rt 93 at Sullivan Square.
- **194679: Discuss in Committee** That the Commissioner of Public Works resurface the dog park at Nunziato Field with a more durable material.
- **194792: Discuss in Committee** That the Commissioner of Public Works address the raised sidewalk panel at 31 Adrian Street.
- **194796: Discuss in Committee** DPW Commissioner responding to various Board Orders.
- **194813: Discuss in Committee** That the Administration appear before this Board to explain the current leadership and organizational chart of the Inspectional Services Dept.
- **194827: Discuss in Committee** That the Director of SPCD, the Superintendent of Inspectional Services and the Director of Planning appear before this Board regarding the Inspectional Services/Building Dept.'s granting of permits in a consistent, professional and timely manner.
- **194972: Discuss in Committee** That the Commissioner of Public Works update the Ward 6 Alderman on the new street cleaning and trash barrel maintenance for Davis Square, and evaluate whether more barrels would improve conditions.
- **195036: Discuss in Committee** Commissioner of Public Works responding to various Board Orders submitted this evening.
- **195078: Discuss in Committee** That the Commissioner of Public Works (arborist) check all trees on Auburn Avenue for infestation, and appear before this Board's Committee on Public Utilities and Works to describe the city's policies with regard to the placement of trees and the handling of diseased trees.