

# CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS CLERK OF COMMITTEES

January 22, 2013

## REPORT OF THE LEGISLATIVE MATTERS COMMITTEE

Attendee Name	Title	Status Arrived	
Rebekah Gewirtz	Chair	Present	
Bruce M. Desmond	Vice Chair	Absent	
John M Connolly	Alderman At Large	Present	
Thomas F. Taylor	Ward Three Alderman	Present	
William A. White Jr.	Alderman At Large	Absent	

The meeting was opened at 6:54 PM and immediately recessed.

The meeting was reconvened at 7:20 PM and immediately adjourned.

No items were acted on.

**192806** - That this Board requests that the Mayor and the Director of Personnel inform the Committee on Legislative Matters of the city's intentions regarding the development of a domestic violence policy for city employees.:

### **RESULT:**

**KEPT IN COMMITTEE** 

193643 - That the City Solicitor review Ordinance 8-121 - Musicians and street performers and report to this Board its constitutionality and its accordance with the 1st Amendment right to free speech.:

### **RESULT:**

**KEPT IN COMMITTEE** 

2012-193968 - That the City Solicitor and the Director of Health update this Board on any requirements, conditions or issues pertaining to any person seeking to open a marijuana distribution site.:

### **RESULT:**

**KEPT IN COMMITTEE** 

2012-194056 - That the City Solicitor draft an ordinance banning the use of polystyrene containers for take-out food service.:

**RESULT:** 

**KEPT IN COMMITTEE** 

2012-194062 - That the City Solicitor examine the proposed ordinances of Quincy, Boston and Woburn regarding absentee landlords and appear before this Board's Committee on Legislative Matters to discuss the implementation of a similar ordinance.:

**RESULT:** 

**KEPT IN COMMITTEE** 

2012-194102 - City Solicitor responding to #193845 and #193968 re: medical marijuana.:

**RESULT:** 

**KEPT IN COMMITTEE**