

## CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS CLERK OF COMMITTEES

## ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Wednesday - October 22, 2014, 6:00 PM

Committee Room – 2nd Floor – City Hall

## **AGENDA**

## **Approval of the Minutes of May 27, 2014**

- **195591: Discuss** That the Director of Transportation and Infrastructure conduct a tree survey of Powderhouse Boulevard and produce a tree planting schedule that will maintain the current tree canopy.
- 196628: Discuss That the City Solicitor provide this Board with information regarding plastic bag reduction techniques utilized in other MA municipalities, as well as whether the city can place a deposit fee on such bags or regulate their use to contain free advertisers.
- **197029: Discuss** That the Director of Sustainability and Environment update this Board on steps being taken to educate businesses and enforcement regarding the city's polystyrene ban.
- **197490: Discuss** That the Director of Sustainability and Environment appear before this Board's Committee on Environment and Energy on his plans for the coming year.
- **197491: Discuss** That the Commission on Energy Use and Climate Change appear before this Board's Committee on Environment and Energy about their activities over the past year and their plans for the coming year.