



City of Somerville, Massachusetts

Traffic and Parking Committee

Regular Meeting Agenda

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Roll Call

1. Committee Minutes (ID # [25-0161](#)) **Agenda Ready:** Approval of the Minutes of the Traffic and Parking Committee Meeting of January 27, 2025.
2. Order (ID # [25-0139](#)) **Sent for Discussion:** By Councilor McLaughlin That the Director of Parking place NO IDLING signs on New Washington Street, behind the Cobble Hill complex, to discourage large truck idling by the senior homes.
3. Order (ID # [25-0138](#)) **Sent for Discussion:** By Councilor McLaughlin That the Director of Mobility address the increased traffic along Lombardi Street, Mystic Avenue and Grand Union Boulevard due to signal changes.

4. Order
(ID # [25-0137](#))
Sent for Discussion: By Councilor McLaughlin
That the Director of Mobility work with the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) to increase flex post usage and other pedestrian safety measures on crosswalks along McGrath Highway.
5. Order
(ID # [25-0126](#))
Sent for Discussion: By Councilor Ewen-Campen and Councilor Mbah
That the Director of Mobility develop plans for a safe pedestrian crossing of Lowell Street, at Bailey Park, and additional traffic calming measures between Summer Street and Highland Avenue.
6. Order
(ID # [25-0125](#))
Sent for Discussion: By Councilor Ewen-Campen
That the Director of Mobility discuss with this Council the feasibility of signal priority for Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (MBTA) busses in Union Square.
7. Order
(ID # [25-0038](#))
Sent for Discussion: By Councilor Strezo
That the Chief of Police, the Director of Parking and the Director of Mobility discuss the previous and ongoing strategy for implementation and public education of drivers violating the NO LEFT TURN signage at the Somerville High School exit on Highland Avenue and Vinal Avenue.