



## CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS CLERK OF COMMITTEES

### RODENT ISSUES SPECIAL COMMITTEE Committee Meeting

Wednesday - September 9, 2015, 6:00 PM  
Committee Room – 2nd Floor – City Hall

### AGENDA

1. **Approval of the Minutes of May 27, 2015**
2. **198190: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect the property and field around 11 Austin Street for rodents.
3. **198374: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Director of SPCD communicate with the appropriate state agency to address the rodent issues on, and the underutilization of, the land behind 11 Austin Street and I-93.
4. **199342: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect the corner of Everett Avenue and Cross Street for rodents and bait accordingly.
5. **199367: Discuss** (McWatters)- That the Director of SPCD (ISD) bait the sewers on Grand View Avenue for rodents.
6. **199368: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect the area on McGrath Highway behind 3 Chester Avenue for rodent activity, issue fines as indicated, and direct the property owner to clean and bait the area.
7. **199422: Discuss** (Niedergang)- That the Director of SPCD (ISD) inspect the parking and trash area that opens onto Lowell Street, behind Modelo Bakery and White Sport Pizza in Magoun Square for signs of rodent activity and take appropriate action.
8. **199670: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Supervisor of Inspectional Services inspect the businesses along East Broadway for rodent issues.

9. **199674: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Supervisor of Inspectional Services address rodent complaints along Kensington and Pennsylvania Avenues, and Dell, Ellsworth, Cutter, and Medford Streets.
10. **199678: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Administration provide financial assistance to residents to combat rodent problems on MacArthur Street and all of East Somerville.
11. **199680: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Director of Communications use the city's Connect CTY system to remind residents of the importance of rodent prevention.
12. **199682: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Supervisor of Inspectional Services update this Board on rodent control measures at construction sites.
13. **199683: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Director of SomerStat consider other options for measuring rodent control efforts.
14. **199684: Discuss** (McLaughlin)- That the Supervisor of Inspectional Services consider using rodent birth control on MacArthur Street.
15. **199687: Discuss** (Lafuente, White Jr., Sullivan)- That the Supervisor of Inspectional Services inspect the Healy School for trash and rodents and bait/set traps as necessary.
16. **199689: Discuss** (Lafuente, White Jr., Sullivan)- That the Supervisor of Inspectional Services inspect 41 Marshall Street for overgrowth and rodents and take all appropriate actions.
17. **199796: Discuss** (Sullivan, White Jr.)- That the Supervisor of Inspectional Services perform the actions listed within to combat the rodent problem in the city.