

## CITY OF SOMERVILLE, MASSACHUSETTS CLERK OF COMMITTEES

## PARKS AND OPEN SPACE SPECIAL COMMITTEE

Monday - November 22, 2010, 6:00 PM

Committee Room – 2nd Floor – City Hall

## AGENDA

- **189121: Discuss in Committee** That the Executive Director of the Office of Strategic Planning and Community Development Make Recommendations to This Board Regarding Ways in Which the City Can Control and Reduce the Percentage of Paved Surfaces Since Somerville Leads the Region with 77% of Its Surfaces Being Paved.
- **189444: Discuss in Committee** That the City Solicitor Summarize What is in the Zoning Code and Code of Ordinances that Limits, Controls or Restricts Paved Surfaces on Private Property in the City and Report the Findings to the Committee on Parks and Open Space.
- **189736: Discuss in Committee** That the Director of SPCD Submit the HUD Letter Regarding CDBG Eligibility of the Proposed West Somerville Dog Park, to the Committee on Parks and Open Space for Review Before Sending the Letter.
- **189934: Discuss in Committee** That the Director of SPCD (ISD) Provide This Board with the Rationale for the \$18 Fee for Each \$1000 Dollars in Construction Cost for Installing a Green Roof on a Home, Which May Serve as a Disincentive for Residents to Install Green Roofs.
- **190127: Discuss in Committee** That the Director of SPCD appear before this Board to report on the delay of the development of the community path from Cedar Street to the Lowell Street bridge. (3rd request).
- **190206: Discuss in Committee** That the Clerk of Committees send communications to the City's Environmental Programs Manager and to the Commissioner of Public Works regarding the composting initiative at South Street and request that they apprise the Committee on Parks and Open Space of its progress.

• **190212: Discuss in Committee** That the Director of SPCD provide the Committee on Parks and Open Space with the existing regulations governing runoff under the state standards.