

SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING

THIS MEETING IS BEING HELD REMOTELY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE GOVERNOR OF MASSACHUSETTS' MARCH 12, 2020 ORDER SUSPENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE OPEN MEETING LAW G. L. C. 30A, SECTION 20 AND THE CITY COUNCIL'S VOTE TO WAIVE RULE 21A ON APRIL 7, 2020.

Monday, August 10, 2020

6:15 p.m.

PRESENT: Council President Lopes, Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Giesta, Lima, Markey and Morad.

LATE: Councillor Baptiste 6:29 p.m.

ABSENT: Councillor Carney and Councillor Coelho

COMMUNICATION, Councillor Carney, to Members of the City Council, notifying that she will be unable to attend the Special City Council Meeting on Monday, August 10, 2020, due to a prior commitment.

Received and Placed on File.

(#0981)

COMMUNICATION, Council President Lopes, to City Clerk/Clerk of the City Council Dennis W. Farias, calling SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL, to be held remotely for MONDAY, AUGUST 10, 2020, at 6:15p.m., approve a new polling location for Ward 1, Precinct 1D, at Our Lady of Fatima Church and approval of the Election Warrant for the Presidential Primary to be held on September 1, 2020.

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(#0982)

COMMUNICATION, Manuel DeBrito, Board of Election Commissioners, to City Council, requesting approval of a change in a polling location for Ward One, Precinct 1D from Vibra Hospital of Southeastern Massachusetts to Our Lady of Fatima Church due to minimize the potential exposure to our poll workers and Ward 1 voters to COVID.

Request FAILED – Yeas 1, Nays 8. (Councillor Baptiste IN FAVOR) (Councillors Carney and Coelho not present for vote.)

(#0983)

COMMUNICATION, Manuel DeBrito, Board of Election Commissioners, to City Council, submitting the Election Warrant for the Tuesday, September 1, 2020, Presidential Primary, the warrant needs to be signed by the majority of the City Council and must be posted on the 7th day prior to the Election date as mandated by M.G.L. c43, §44A, a copy of this warrant will be posted at each polling location.

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Yeas 9, Nays 0. (Councillors Carney and Coelho not present for vote.)

(#0984)

On a motion, the Council then adjourned at 6:54 p.m.

ATTEST:

DENNIS W. FARIAS, CITY CLERK/
CLERK OF THE CITY COUNCIL