
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 07, 2020, AMENDED ON AUGUST 20, 2020, SEPTEMBER 24, 2020 AND JANUARY 14, 2021

THIS MEETING WILL BE LIVE STREAMED ON NB CABLE ACCESS FACEBOOK PAGE

Thursday, June 24, 2021

7:01 p.m.

PRESENT: Council President Lopes (remotely), Councillors Abreu (remotely), Baptiste (remotely), Carney (remotely), Coelho (remotely), Dunn (remotely), Giesta (remotely), Gomes (remotely), Lima (remotely), Markey (remotely), and Morad (remotely).

LATE: Coun. Baptiste 7:15 p.m.

ABSENT: No One

Council President Joseph P. Lopes called the meeting to order remotely and presided.

Councillor Abreu led the Assembly in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
IN CITY COUNCIL
JUNE 3, 2021

ORDERED, that the schedule of rates and charges for wastewater service adopted by the City Council pursuant to Section 16-94 the New Bedford Code of Ordinances on September 28, 2006 and amended on June 26, 2008 and June 23, 2016, is hereby rescinded, ~~effective fourteen (14) days from the adoption of the FY22 Wastewater Division budget by City Council; and "on July 1, 2021"~~

Ordered, that the charges for suspended solids and BOD's adopted by the City Council on June 28, 2008 pursuant to Section 16-91 of the New Bedford Code of Ordinances, shall remain in effect; and

Further ordered that the following schedule of rates and charges for wastewater service is hereby established pursuant to Section 16-94 the New Bedford Code of Ordinances:

WASTEWATER COMMODITY RATE:

~~The requirement that the sewer commodity rate be indexed in perpetuity according to the January Consumer Price Index, to take effect within 14 days of the adoption of the FY22 Wastewater Division budget by the City Council and July 1 each year thereafter shall remain in full effect.~~

"July 1, 2021"

~~The FY22 commodity rate effective fourteen (14) days from the adoption of the Wastewater budget by City Council- \$6.12~~

~~The FY23 commodity rate effective July 1, 2022 - \$6.89~~

~~The FY24 commodity rate effective July 1, 2023 - \$7.58~~

~~The FY25 commodity rate effective July 1, 2024 - \$8.11~~

~~The FY26 commodity rate effective July 1, 2025 - \$8.68~~

WASTEWATER ANNUAL BASECHARGE:

July 1, 2021"

~~the annual base charge for FY22, effective fourteen (14) days from the date of adoption of the wastewater division budget by the city council, shall be as follows:~~

~~5/8" service size - \$99.32~~

~~3/4" service size - \$99.32~~

~~1" service size - \$99.32~~

~~1.5" service size - \$99.323~~

~~2" service size - \$99.32~~

~~3" service size - \$327.36~~

~~4" service size - \$473.45~~

~~6" service size - \$881.60~~

~~8" service size - \$1,370.52~~

~~10" service size - \$1,940.23~~

~~12" service size - \$1,940.23~~

the annual base charge for FY23, effective July 1, 2022, shall be as follows:

- ~~5/8" service size \$111.73~~
- ~~3/4" service size \$111.73~~
- ~~1" service size \$111.73~~
- ~~1.5" service size \$111.73~~
- ~~2" service size \$111.73~~
- ~~3" service size \$368.28~~
- ~~4" service size \$532.63~~
- ~~6" service size \$991.80~~
- ~~8" service size \$1,541.84~~
- ~~10" service size \$2,182.76~~
- ~~12" service size \$2,182.76~~

the annual base charge for FY24, effective July 1, 2023, shall be as follows:

- ~~5/8" service size \$122.90~~
- ~~3/4" service size \$122.90~~
- ~~1" service size \$122.90~~
- ~~1.5" service size \$122.90~~
- ~~2" service size \$122.90~~
- ~~3" service size \$405.11~~
- ~~4" service size \$585.89~~
- ~~6" service size \$1,090.98~~
- ~~8" service size \$1,696.02~~
- ~~10" service size \$2,401.04~~
- ~~12" service size \$2,401.04~~

the annual base charge for Fy25, effective July 1, 2024, shall be as follows:

- ~~5/8" service size \$131.50~~
- ~~3/4" service size \$131.50~~
- ~~1" service size \$131.50~~
- ~~1.5" service size \$131.50~~
- ~~2" service size \$131.50~~
- ~~3" service size \$433.47~~
- ~~4" service size \$626.90~~
- ~~6" service size \$1,167.35~~
- ~~8" service size \$1,814.74~~
- ~~10" service size \$2,596.11~~
- ~~12" service size \$2,596.11~~

the annual base charge for FY26, effective July 1, 2025, shall be as follows:

- ~~5/8" service size \$140.71~~
- ~~3/4" service size \$140.71~~
- ~~1" service size \$140.71~~
- ~~1.5" service size \$140.71~~
- ~~2" service size \$140.71~~
- ~~3" service size \$463.81~~
- ~~4" service size \$670.78~~
- ~~6" service size \$1,249.06~~
- ~~8" service size \$1,941.77~~
- ~~10" service size \$2,748.95~~
- ~~12" service size \$2,748.95~~

ORDER, detailing proposed updated list of Wastewater Base Rates and Commodity Rates.

CHARTER RULED by Councillor Morad – June 3, 2021.

Amendments to the Order as presented – Yeas 11, Nays 0 – June 10, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

TABLED – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

Removed from the TABLE – Yeas 10, Nays 0. (#0769)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting a LOAN ORDER, in the amount of \$71,800.000 to finance the costs of capital planning and construction of water distribution and treatment systems improvements including Quittacas Water Treatment Plant upgrades, a lead service abatement program and general system improvements.

Received and Placed on File – Yeas 7, Nays 3.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Lima, Lopes, and Markey.

NAYS: Councillors Carney, Gomes, and Morad. (#0873)

LOAN ORDER,

Passed to a Second Reading – Yeas 7, Nays 3.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Lima, Lopes and Markey.

NAYS: Councillors Carney, Gomes and Morad. (#0874)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting a LOAN ORDER, in the amount of \$57,000,000 to finance the costs of projects outlined in the City's Long Term CSO Control and Integrated Capital Improvements Plan including capital planning, wastewater treatment plant improvements, wastewater collection system improvements, pumping station improvements, wastewater collection system investigations, CSO abatement and general system improvements.

Received and Placed on File- Yeas 6, Nays 4.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Coelho, Dunn, Lima, Lopes, and Markey.

NAYS: Councillors Carney, Giesta, Gomes and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste. (#0875)

LOAN ORDER,

Passed to a Second Reading – Yeas 6, Nays 4.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Coelho, Dunn, Lima, Lopes, and Markey.

NAYS: Councillors Carney, Giesta, Gomes and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste. (#0876)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting AN ORDER for the TRANSFER of \$125,000.00 now standing to the account from FIRE CHARGES AND SERVICES in the amount of \$25,000.00, SOLICITOR SALARIES AND WAGES in the amount of \$25,000.00, POLICE SALARIES AND WAGES in the amount of \$25,000.00, PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE SALARIES AND WAGES in the amount of \$25,000.00, COMMUNITY SERVICES SALARIES AND WAGES in the amount of \$12,000.00 and TRAFFIC SALARIES AND WAGES in the amount of \$13,000.00 to FIRE SALARIES AND WAGES.

Received and Placed on File – Yeas 9, Nays 1.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes and Markey.

NAYS: Councillor Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste. (#0877)

IN CITY COUNCIL

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

JUNE 24, 2021

ORDERED, that the sum of **ONE HUNDRED TWENTY – FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$125,000)** now standing to the credit of the account from **FIRE CHARGES AND SERVICES (\$25,000), SOLICITOR SALARIES AND WAGES (\$25,000), POLICE SALARIES AND WAGES (\$25,000), PUBLIC INFRASTRUCTURE SALARIES AND WAGES (\$25,000), COMMUNITY SERVICES SALARIES AND WAGES (\$12,000) AND TRAFFIC SALRIES AND WAGES (\$13,000)** be and the same is hereby transferred and appropriated to as follows:

FIRE AND SALRIES.....\$125,000

To be certified and approved by the Department Head

Adopted – Yeas 9, Nays 1.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes and Markey.

NAYS: Councillor Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste not present for vote. (#0878)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting AN ORDER, for the TRANSFER of \$14,000.00 now standing to the credit of the account from TREASURER SALARIES AND WAGES to ASSESSORS SALARIES AND WAGES.

Received and Placed on File – Yeas 9, Nays 1.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes and Markey.

NAYS: Councillor Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste not present for vote. (#0879)

IN CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
JUNE 24, 2021

ORDERED, that the sum of **FOURTEEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$14,000)** now standing to the credit of the account from **TREASURER SALARIES AND WAGES** be and the same is hereby transferred and appropriated to as follows:

ASSESSORS SALRIES AND WAGES.....\$14,000

To be certified and approved by the Department Head

Adopted – Yeas 9, Nays 1.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes and Markey.

NAYS: Councillor Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste not present for vote. (#0880)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting AN ORDER, for the TRANSFER of \$109,000.00 now standing to the credit of the account from FACILITIES AND FLEET SALARIES AND WAGES in the amount of \$70,000.00 and FACILITIES AND FLEET CAPITAL OUTLAY in the amount of \$39,000.00 to FACILITIES AND FLEET SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS.

Received and Placed on File – Yeas 9, Nays 1.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes and Markey.

NAYS: Councillor Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste not present for vote. (#0881)

IN CITY COUNCIL

CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

JUNE 24, 2021

ORDERED, that the sum of **ONE HUNDRED AND NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$109,000)** now standing to the credit of the account from **FACILITIES AND FLEET SALARIES AND WAGES (\$70,000) AND FACILITIES AND FLEET CAPITAL OUTLAY (\$39,000)** and be and the same is hereby transferred and appropriated to as follows:

FACILITIES AND FLEET SUPPLIES AND MATERIALS.....\$109,000

To be certified and approved by the Department Head.

Adopted – Yeas 9, Nays 1.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes and Markey.

NAYS: Councillor Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste not present for vote. (#0882)

RELATED MOTION, Councillor Morad requesting, that Personal Director Judith Perkins supply to the Committee on Finance a listing of all employees within the New Bedford Fire Department including all fire personal, AFSCME and Unit C employees, providing the employee name, the 2021 budgeted salary and the actual salary paid to each employee through the end of the fiscal year 2021; and further that the listing be provided to the Committee on Finance prior to July 20, 2021.

Referred to the Personal Director and to the Committee on Finance – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

RETURNED UNSIGNED July 13, 2021. (#0883)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of JENNIFER CARLONI, City Planner, New Bedford, MA, to the HISTORICAL COMMISSION; this term will expire February 2023.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0884)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of KIMBERLY A. GRIFFITH, Psy.D. New Bedford, MA, to the BOARD OF HEALTH, Dr. Griffith will be replacing Dr. Craig Longo who term has expired; this term will expire in February 2024.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0885)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of KELLEY CABRAL-MOSHER New Bedford, MA, to the GREATER NEW BEDFORD REGIONAL REFUSE MANAGEMENT DISTRICT, Ms. Cabral-Moser will be replacing the late Kathleen P. Towers; this term will expire in June 2024.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0886)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of MICHAEL MELLO, New Bedford, MA, to the HUMAN RELATIONS COMMISSION, Mr. Mello will be replacing Carol F. Walsh, whose term has expired; this term will expire in February 2024.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0887)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of CATHERINE KRAMER, New Bedford, MA, to the AIRPORT COMMISSION, Ms. Kramer will be taking a seat on the Commission previously held by the late Kenneth Machado; this term will expire in December 2023.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0888)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of MATTHEW D. PROVENCHER, New Bedford, MA, to the AIRPORT COMMISSION, Mr. Provencher will be taking a seat on the Commission vacated by Jason Oliveira; this term will expire in December 2022.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0889)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of REBECCA LINHART, New Bedford, MA, to the CONSERVATION COMMISSION, Ms. Linhart will be replacing Jacob Gonsalves whose term has expired; this term will expire June 2023.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0890)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of RAYMOND J. HOUTMAN, New Bedford, MA, to the NEW BEDFORD PORT AUTHORITY, Mr. Houtman will be replacing Richard Canastra who has resigned; this term will expire in December 2023.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0891)

COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the APPOINTMENT of ANGELA JOHNSTON, New Bedford, MA, to the TRAFFIC COMMISSION, Ms. Johnston will be replacing the late Richard Simmons; this term will expire in December 2021.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0892)

AN ORDINANCE, amending Chapter 2, Article XVIII – Department of Resilience and Environmental Stewardship (Passed to a Second Reading – May 11, 2021.)

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances – Yeas 11, Nays 0 – March 25, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

Passed to a Second Reading – Yeas 10, Nays 0 – May 11, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho

Passed to be Ordained – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 8, 2021.

(#0359)

AN ORDINANCE, Chapter 2, Article XXI, Section 2-231 – Energy Management Program .

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances – Yeas 11, Nays 0 – March 25, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

Passed to a Second Reading – Yeas 10, Nays 0 – May 11, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho.

Passed, to be Ordained – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 8, 2021.

(#0360)

AN ORDINANCE, amending Chapter 19, Section 19 -7 – Director of Resilience and Environmental Stewardship.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances – Yeas 11, Nays 0 – March 25, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

Passed to a Second Reading – Yeas 10, Nays 0 – May 11, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho.

Passed, to be Ordained – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 8, 2021. (#0362)

AN ORDINANCE, amending Chapter 10, Article I, Section 10-47 – New Bedford Energy Now Revolving Fund – Controlled by Department of Resilience and Environmental Stewardship (Passed to a Second Reading – May 11, 2021.)

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances – Yeas 11, Nays 0 – March 25, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

Passed to a Second Reading – Yeas 10, Nays 0 – May 11, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho.

Passed, to be Ordained – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 8, 2021. (#0361)

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillors Abreu and Markey, requesting that the owner of "Rubber Duck Car Wash" located at 2712 Acushnet Avenue, come before the Committee on Appointments & Briefings to discuss concerns which have been brought forth by the neighborhood and abutting property owners as it pertains to loud noises from its operations occurring at all hours of the night, since this location is a 24-hour/7-day per week operation. (To be Referred to the Committee on Appointments & Briefings, Department of Inspectional Services Commissioner Danny Romanowicz, Neighborhood Task Force Solicitor Atty. John Flor and New Bedford Police Station 3 Captain and Commander Derek Belong.)

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings, Department of Inspectional Services, Commissioner Danny Romanowicz, Neighborhood Task Force Solicitor, Attorney John Flor and NB Police Station 3, Captain and Commander Derek Belong – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

RETURNED UNSIGNED July 13, 2021. (#0893)

WRITTEN MOTION, Council President Lopes, requesting the Mitchell Administration and the New Bedford School Department establish a dual enrollment program with a focus on cyber security. (To be Referred to the New Bedford School Committee, Superintendent Anderson, and Mayor Mitchell.)

Referred to the New Bedford School Committee Superintendent Anderson and Mayor Mitchell – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

RETURNED UNSIGNED July 13, 2021. (#0894)

WRITTEN MOTION, Council President Lopes, requesting on behalf of the residents that live on Frederick Street that the Traffic Commission approve the installation of a crosswalk on Frederick Street across East Rodney French Boulevard. (To be Referred to the Traffic Commission.)

No Further Action – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

(#0895)

WRITTEN MOTION, Council President Lopes, requesting on behalf of the residents that live on or around East and West Beach that the Traffic Commission approve the installation of speed tables along East and West Rodney French Boulevards. (To be Referred to the Traffic Commission.)

Referred to the Traffic Commission – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0896)

WRITTEN MOTION, Council President Lopes, requesting that the Committee on Ordinances and the Planning Board review the following request to rezone properties shown on Assessors Map as Map 31, Lot 142 (13 Rivet Street); Map 31, Lot 143 (1 Rivet Street); Map 31, Lot 197 (371, 383 R South Front Street); Map 31, Lot 232 (756 South Water Street); and Map 31, Lot 239 (56 Potomska Street) from Industrial B to Mixed-Use Business.

Referred to the Committee on Ordinances and the Planning Board – Yeas 11, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

(#0897)

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, increased Police patrols in the Downtown historical area due to the increasing foot traffic and criminal activity around Custom House Square and the Massachusetts 54th Volunteer Regiment Memorial, throughout the historical district business owners are concerned that this criminal activity could be detrimental not only to their businesses but to the district as a whole; and further, once more requesting, that the Mayor reverse his decision to close to Downtown Police station, the closing of the station will have a dramatic and detrimental effect on the entire downtown area. (To be Referred to the Mayor, Police Chief Paul Oliveira, and the Committee on Public Safety and Neighborhoods and that Rule 40 be Waived.)

Referred to the Mayor, Police Chief Paul Oliveira, the Committee on Public safety and Neighborhoods and Waive Rule 40 – Yeas 10, Nays 1.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, and Markey.

NAYS: Councillor Morad

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

RETURNED UNSIGNED July 13, 2021.

(#0898)

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that letters be sent to Governor Baker, Massachusetts DOT, and our State Legislative Delegation, requesting immediate action in addressing the trash, the overgrowth of trees, weeds and bushes along Route 195 east and west, to include all exits from Route 24, Fall River north and south to Route 240 Fairhaven, the overgrowth is so bad in some areas that it's impeding the vision of traffic coming off exits, signage along the highway, even the existence of guard rails, the South Coast area deserves the same attention to its highways and exits as the Boston area, this is first impression to tourists and those visiting this area and more importantly to our image and the Cities and Towns along that route. (Requesting that Rule 40 be Waived.)

Adopted and Rule 40 Waived – Yeas 10, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey, and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

RETURNED UNSIGNED July 13, 2021.

(#0899)

COMMUNICATION, City Clerk/Clerk of the City Council, to City Council, on behalf of **Anthony Snow, 12 Humes Street, Pawtucket, RI 02860 d/b/a CAB TRANSPORTATION LLC, 12 Welby Road, New Bedford, MA 02745**, hereby submitting a copy of the Application requesting a **NEW PRIVATE LIVERY LICENSE**, to carry passengers for hire over the streets of New Bedford. (License will expire June 30, 2022.)

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 10, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey, and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho.

(#0900)

PETITION, Doreen Borge, 10 Clark Road, Lakeville, MA 02347 d/b/a JB'S THIS AND THAT LLC, 1832 Acushnet Avenue, New Bedford, MA 02745, requesting that she be granted a Waiver of Residency in accordance with Section 15-18 of the City Code, to obtain a **LICENSE TO DEAL IN JUNK, OLD METALS OR ANY OTHER SECOND HAND ARTICLES**.

Referred to the Committee on Appointments and Briefings – Yeas 10, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey, and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho. (#0901)

PETITION/INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, Massachusetts Design Art & Technology Institute, 336 Acushnet Avenue, Suite C, New Bedford, MA 02740 for permission to place three (3) kiosks on a public walkway along MacArthur Drive from June 15, 2021 - October 20, 2021.

Approved – Yeas 10, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey, and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 8, 2021. (#0902)

IN CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
JUNE 24, 2021

ORDERED, that permission be granted to **Massachusetts Design Art & Technology Institute, 336 Acushnet Avenue, Suite C, New Bedford, MA 02740** for permission to place three (3) kiosks on a public walkway along MacArthur drive, from June 15, 2021 – October 20, 2021.

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED, that said permission is hereby granted subject to Petition/Indemnity Agreement of **Massachusetts Design Art & Technology Institute, 336 Acushnet Avenue, Suite C, New Bedford, MA 02740**, to the City of New Bedford, approved by the City Council on, a copy of which is attached hereto and made a part thereof, and subject to the approval of the Department of Inspectional Services.

Adopted – Yeas 10, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey, and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 8, 2021. (#0903)

WRITTEN MOTION, Council President Lopes, in light of the State of Emergency that the Commonwealth has been operating under since March of 2020, will, by the Governor's Declaration, expire on June 15, 2021, requesting that the City Council comply with the regular requirements of Open Meeting Law and its own Rule 21A, which states, "No Member shall be permitted to have his/her vote recorded on any matter unless when the matter is put to a vote the member is physically present at the meeting during the time of the vote."

TABLED – Yeas 10, Nays 1 – May 27, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, and Morad.

NAYS: Councillor Markey.

Removed from the Table – Yeas 6, Nays 3.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, and Lima.

NAYS: Councillors Lopes, Markey and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillors Baptiste and Coelho.

Adopted – FAILED – Yeas 2, Nays 7 – June 10, 2021.

YEAS: Councillors Carney and Giesta.

NAYS: Councillors Abreu, Dunn, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillors Baptiste and Coelho.

TABLED – Yeas 7, Nays 2.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Dunn, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

YEAS: Councillors Carney and Giesta.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillors Baptiste and Coelho.

Removed from the TABLE – Yeas 10, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey, and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillors Coelho.

Adopted – Yeas 10, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey, and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillors Coelho.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 12, 2021.

(#0717)

The City Council took a Roll Call to take up the Consent Agenda and take the appropriate action – Yeas 10, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors, Abreu, Baptiste, Carney, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Coelho.

CITATIONS, Councillor Gomes, honoring the Cape Verdean Independence Day Recognition Award Recipients – 2021, PAULO PARIS, CANDIDA ROSE, RAE FORTES, MARLENA JOHNSON, LEXI BARROS, BRIAN RUDOLPH, MICKEY GONSALVES, BRENDAN KURIE, JOHN “BOO” RICE, GREG “SMOOTH” SIMPSON, KEN “NIPPY” HALL, AL HOWARD, LAURIE LOS, BUTCH SILVA, DANIELLE ANDREWS, ERIC GOMES, NUNO BARROS and LARRY SENNA.

Adopted, to be presented at a later date.

(#0904)

CITATION, Councillors Morad and Baptiste, honoring PRIVATE FIRST CLASS LIONEL N. GIROUARD, in celebration of his 101st Birthday on April 23, 2021, and with heartfelt thanks for his dedicated service to our Country as an Artillery Gunman during World War II.

Adopted, to be presented at a later date.

(#0905)

The following Resolution was presented by Councillor Morad, Council President Lopes, Councillors Carney, Giesta, Gomes, and Markey, honoring JAMES L. O'BRIEN, Superintendent Director of School, Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School, on the occasion of his retirement.

IN CITY COUNCIL
CITY OF NEW BEDFORD
JUNE 24, 2021

WHEREAS, James L. O'Brien was born in New Bedford in July 1963, to Joseph and Ida O'Brien; he is married to Pauline and they have two daughters, Katelyn and Lauren; and

WHEREAS, James L. O'Brien graduated from Greater New Bedford Regional Vocational Technical High School in 1982, graduated from SMU in 1986, and received a Master's Degree from Fitchburg State University in 1991; and

WHEREAS, James L. O'Brien began his career in education as a Substitute Teacher, Teaching Assistant and Baseball Coach in 1982, then, from 1986 to 1989 was a Mathematics Instructor and Football Coach; and

WHEREAS, James L. O'Brien spent years as a Class Advisor and Summer Related Instructor, helping students to achieve passing scores in math and science projects, and working evenings as Director of the Education and Math Pilot Program. where he helped students increase their mathematical scores on average of fourteen points per student; and

WHEREAS, Working as a Related Electrical Instructor from 1989 to 1997, James L. O'Brien, provided quality education in related-math, science and electrical code; and

WHEREAS, In 1998, James L. O'Brien was appointed Student Activities and School Services Director, where he was responsible for all student activities and field trips, oversaw all student fund-raising programs, implemented safety measures protecting students, teacher equipment, materials and faculty, organized and monitored the after-school professional development programs, workshops for staff and faculty and assisted the Principal in coordinating commencement ceremonies; and

WHEREAS, James L. O'Brien managed all phases of the budget process related to student activities and adult education, interviewed candidates for teaching positions and advisors for school services, evaluated teacher performance in the adult program and assisted teachers, monitored the development, implementation, revision and evaluation of curriculum, supporting faculty as needed; and

WHEREAS, From 2007 through 2015, James L. O'Brien served as Assistant Principal/Dean of Student Affairs, monitoring freshman students' performance through grades and evaluations, cycle reports and administrative agreements, served as the liaison between the school and parents, the courts, community agencies and police authorities, he also administered discipline to all freshman students by applying rules and regulations as determined by the School Committee and Administration; and

WHEREAS, In 2015. James L. O'Brien was appointed Superintendent Director of Schools, overseeing the school he had graduated from as a teenager; and

WHEREAS, In addition to his exemplary career as an educator, James L. O'Brien is a member of the Narragansett Boy Scout Council, Massachusetts Association of School Superintendents, Mass Hire Youth Council Board, Massachusetts Association of Vocational Administrators and was recently honored as Prince Henry Society Man of the Year:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That the New Bedford City Council hereby honors **JAMES L. O'BRIEN, SUPERINTENDENT DIRECTOR OF SCHOOLS, GREATER NEW BEDFORD REGIONAL VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL HIGH SCHOOL ON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT**, thanks him for his many decades of dedication to education and to his students and wishes him much happiness in all future endeavors.

Adopted, to be presented at a later date. (#0906)

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Baptiste, requesting, on behalf of the Whaling Museum, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: JOHNNY CAKE HILL, from William Street to Union Street, ON SATURDAY, JULY 31, 2021, FROM 8:00 A.M. TO 10:00 P.M. (For Valet Parking), for the purpose of A Picnic on the Hill.

Permission Granted.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0907)

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Baptiste, requesting, on behalf of the Department of Marketing and Tourism, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: LOWER UNION STREET, from North Water Street to Front Street (With No Access from Route 18) AND FRONT STREET, from Union Street to Hamilton Street, ON SATURDAY, JULY 03, 2021, FROM 7:00 P.M. TO 10:00 P.M, for the purpose of an Independence Day Fireworks Display.

Permission Granted.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0908)

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Baptiste, requesting, on behalf of Leaders in Training LLC, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: (MONTE'S PARK) ACUSHNET AVENUE, from Russell Street to Manny Costa Way, ON SATURDAY, JULY 17, 2021, FROM 10:00 A.M. TO SUNDAY, JULY 18, 2021, AT 9:00 P.M., for the purpose of The Peter Britto Classic.

Permission Granted.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0909)

PETITION/INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, 30 30 VISION, LLC., for Permission to Erect and Maintain a Projecting non -illuminated Sign to overhang City property by 24ft x 36ft. at 30 North Water Street, New Bedford, MA 02740. Provisionally Granted, subject to Approval of the Building Commissioner and subject to Ratification by Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0910)

COMMUNICATION, Councillor Morad, submitting copies of letters congratulating the newly appointed Police Officers for the City of New Bedford.

Received and Placed on File. (#0911)

COMMUNICATION, City Clerk/Clerk of the City Council, to the City Council, notifying that the Office of the City Clerk has received Meeting Minutes from the Bristol County PHEP Coalition Board for a meeting held on May 18, 2021, and the Park Board for a meeting held on April 21, 2021.

Received and Placed on File. (#0912)

APPLICATION, **R.W. Bryant Contracting**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **33 William Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 08, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0913)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **14 West Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 08, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0914)

APPLICATION, **JLC Construction**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **95-127 West Rodney French Boulevard (Kilburn Mill)**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 08, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0915)

APPLICATION, **W.C. Smith & Son**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **97 Willis Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0916)

APPLICATION, **JLC Construction**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **25 Borden Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0917)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **59 Armsby Street NS-127E- 449 Cummington Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0918)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **Valley View Drive Plot 121/Lot 121**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0919)

APPLICATION, **RJ Canessa Excavating**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **Plot 137A Lot 264-266 Kensington Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 15, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0920)

APPLICATION, **RJ Canessa Excavating**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **Map 134 Lot 123 Almy Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 15, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0921)

APPLICATION, **C. Naughton Corp.**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **Union Street, from County Street to Sixth Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 15, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0922)

APPLICATION, **Morgado Company, Inc.**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **880 Bristol Street, Plot 130, Lot 460**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0923)

APPLICATION, **Morgado Company, Inc.**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **218 Stevenson Street, Plot 132, Lot 431**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0924)

APPLICATION, **Morgado Company, Inc.**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **837 Pine Hill Drive**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0925)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **Acushnet Avenue ws 507 s x Pontiac Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0926)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **(Left) West South Lambeth Street, North by Tarkiln Hill Road**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0927)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION at **(Right) West South Lambeth Street, North by Tarkiln Hill Road**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0928)

APPLICATION, **R.W. Bryant Contracting**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **33 William Street, corner of Bethel Street (National Park Building)** provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 08, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0929)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **14 West Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 08, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0930)

APPLICATION, **JLC Construction**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **95-127 West Rodney French Boulevard**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 08, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0931)

APPLICATION, **W.C. Smith & Son**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **97 Willis Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0932)

APPLICATION, **JLC Construction**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **25 Borden Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0933)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **59 Armsby Street NS – 127E 449 Cummington Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0934)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **Valley View Drive Plot 121/Lot 121**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0935)

APPLICATION, **R.J. Canessa Excavating**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **Plot 137A Lot 264-266 Kensington Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 15, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0936)

APPLICATION, **R.J. Canessa Excavating**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **Map 134 Lot 123 Almy Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 15, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0937)

APPLICATION, **C. Naughton Corp.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **Union Street from County Street to Sixth Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 15, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0938)

APPLICATION, **Morgado Company, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **880 Bristol Street, Plot 130, Lot 460**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0939)

APPLICATION, **Morgado Company, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **218 Stevenson Street Plot 132, Lot 431**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0940)

APPLICATION, **Morgado Company, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **837 Pine Hill Drive Plot 132, Lot 431**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0941)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **Acushnet Avenue ws 507 S x Pontiac Street**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0942)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **(Left) West South Lambeth Street, North by Tarkiln Hill Road**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0943)

APPLICATION, **Able Asphalt, Inc.**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, of **(Right) West South Lambeth Street, North by Tarkiln Hill Road**, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 17, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0944)

APPLICATIONS, **Eversource Gas**, to DISTURB THE SURFACE, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 11, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council as follows:

73 Independent Street to County Street

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021. (#0945)

APPLICATIONS, **ABC Disposal Service**, for permission to maintain a STREET OBSTRUCTION, provisionally granted by the City Clerk on June 15, 2021, subject to ratification by the Mayor and City Council as follows:

52 Whitelock Street (#0946)

62 Branscomb Street (#0947)

494 Oliver Street (#0948)

169 Rockland Street (#0949)

394 Cedar Street (#0950)

41 Rochambeau Street (#0951)

71 Mount Vernon Street (#0952)

103 Ricketson Street (#0953)

345 Purchase Street (#0954)

684 County Street (#0955)

317 Purchase Street (#0955)

213 Irvington Street (#0956)

191 Arnold Street (#0957)

715 Purchase Street (#0958)

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

Presented to the Mayor for approval June 28, 2021.

Approved July 6, 2021.

On a motion, the Council took a roll call vote and then adjourned at 8:23 p.m. – Yeas 9, Nays 0.

YEAS: Councillors Abreu, Coelho, Dunn, Giesta, Gomes, Lima, Lopes, Markey and Morad.

NOT PRESENT FOR VOTE: Councillor Baptiste and Councillor Coelho.

ATTEST:

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