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>> MADAM CLERK, IF YOU COULD
PLEASE CALL THE ROLL TO
ASCERTAIN THE PRESENCE OF A
QUORUM.
>> COUNCILOR BAKER.
>> HERE.
>> COWNSZ HAIR CIOMMO.
>> PRESENT.
>> COUNCILOR EDWARDS.
>> COUNCILOR GEORGE?
>> HERE.
>> COUNCILOR FLAHERTY.
>> HERE.
>> COUNCILOR FLYNN?
>> HERE.
>> COUNCILOR JANE GEE.
>> PRESENT.
>> COUNCILOR O'MALLEY.
>> PRESENT.
>> COUNCILOR PRESSLEY?
>> PRESENT.
>> COUNCILOR WU?
AND COUNCILOR ZAKIM?
>> HERE.
>> MADAM PRESENT, WE HAVE A
QUORUM.
>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.
A QUORUM IS PRESENT.
LY INVITE UP COUNCILOR FLAHERTY,
WHO WILL BRING UP THE CLERGY FOR
THE DAY.
WILL ALL GUESTS AND COUNCILORS
PLEASE RISE.
AT THIS TIME COUNCILOR FLIRT AND
PASTOR SCOTT WILL LEAD US
THROUGH THE PLEDGE OF
ALLEGIANCE.
>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.
I HAVE THE PRIVILEGE OF
INTRODUCING AN EAST BOSTON
RESIDENT, PASTOR KEVIN SCOTT.
HE'S THE PASTOR OF THE CHURCH AT
THE WELL, A 5-0 TEACHING CHURCH
IN EAST BOSTON.
HE'S ALSO THE FOUNDER AND
PRESIDENT OF THE WELL COFFEE
HOUSE, A NON-PROFIT COFFEE HOUSE
THAT FIRST STARTED, A LOT OF
FOLKS MAY REMEMBER, AT SOUTH

STATION, WHICH ALSO SUPPORTS OTHER LOCAL NON-PROFITS WHO ARE DOING GOOD THINGS IN THE CITY. PASTOR KEVIN IS MARRIED TO HIS WIFE CHRISTIE, HAS THREE CHILDREN, TANNA, LACY, AND ANNA MARIA.

BEFORE ENTERING THE FULL-TIME INDUSTRY, KEVIN AND CHRISTIE HAD OWNED AND OPERATED TWO SUCCESS BUSINESSES BACK IN CALIFORNIA. WE HAVE THEM NOW HERE IN EAST BOSTON.

I ASSUME HE'S A RED SOX FAN.
I ASSUME HE'S A CELTICS FAN.
I ASSUME HE'S A BRUINS FAN, BUT HE CAN SPEAK FOR HIMSELF.
HE'S SERVED AS PASTOR SINCE 2005 AND PRIOR TO THAT WORKED AT A CAMP FOR INNER CITY KIDS IN UPSTATE NEW YORK.

HE TOLDS TWO MASTERS DEGREES AND ALSO A B.S. IN BIOLOGY.

SO A WARM WELCOME TO THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL FOR PASTOR KEVIN SCOTT TO GIVE THE INVOCATION.

[APPLAUSE]

>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

AS WAS THINKING THIS MORNING ABOUT WHAT I WANTED TO SHARE WITH YOU, I KIND OF TAKE THESE MOMENTS IN THE MORNING WHERE I GO OFF BY MYSELF, FIND A QUIET SPACE, AND JUST THINK THROUGH THE DAY.

I WAS OVERWELLED WITH MY OWN DEFICIENCIES AS A SERVANT LIEDER.

MY HUNCH IS AS FELLOW SERVANT LEADERS OF THIS COMMUNITY, YOU HAVE THOSE MOMENTS WHERE YOU FEEL OVERWHELMED, AS WELL, THOSE MOMENTS WHEN YOU REALIZED THE DECISIONS YOU MAKE NOT ONLY IMPACT YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES, BUT ALSO EVERYONE ELSE IN THE CITY, ESPECIALLY YOUR CONSTITUENTS.

AS SERVANT LEADERS, WE ARE EXPECTED TO LIVE LIVES THAT NOT ONLY EXAMPLE AND WORD, BUT ALSO IN DEED.

AND THAT PRESSURE CAN BECOME OVERWHELMING AT TIMES.

AS WE THINK THROUGH OUR OWN
DEFICIENCIES, WE REALIZE, MAN,
THIS IS TOUGH.
IT'S HARD TO HOLD THAT STANDARD
THAT WE SET FOR OURSELVES ALL
THE TIME.
BUT I WAS ENCOURAGED TODAY AS I
OPENED UP THE SCRIPTURES AND
READ WHO THE SCRIPTURES CAUSED
THE WISEST MAN WHO EVER LIVED,
KING SOLOMON.
HE SAYS, "TRUST IN THE WORD WITH
ALL YOUR HEART AND NOT ON YOUR
OWN UNDERSTANDING.
IN ALL YOUR WAYS ACKNOWLEDGE HIM
AND HE WILL SET YOUR PATH
STRAIGHT."
SO AS I PONDERED THAT TODAY, I
THOUGHT, EVEN IN MY OWN
DEFICIENCIES, AS LONG AS I'M
FOCUSING ON HIM, AS LONG AS I
PUT HIM FIRST, I'M SEEKING AFTER
HIM, THAT HE PROMISES THAT OUR
PATHS WILL BE STRAIGHT, THAT OUR
DEFICIENCIES WILL BE OVERCOME BY
WHAT HE CHOOSES TO DO THROUGH
US.
THAT SAME INDIVIDUAL AND
SCRIPTURE, ONCE AGAIN HE WAS
CONSIDERED THE WISEST, ALSO SAID
THAT THOSE WHO DESIRE WISDOM CAN
HUMBLY COUPLE TO THE LORD AND
ASK FOR IT AT ANY TIME.
SO WHAT I WANTED TO DO THIS
MORNING IS PRAY OVER YOU AND
PRAY THAT THE LORD WILL GRANT US
THAT WISDOM TO ENCOURAGE US THAT
EVEN THOUGH AN ART DEFICIENCY
MIGHT BE PRESENT, THEY CAN BE
OVERCOME.
IF WE'LL TRUST IN HIM.
SO IF YOU PRAY WITH ME, I'D
APPRECIATE THAT.
FATHER WE THANK YOU FOR YOUR
WORK.
WE THANK YOU FOR THE OPPORTUNITY
TO BE HERE.
WE THANK YOU FOR THE PRIVILEGE
OF BEING SERVANT LEADERS IN THIS
COMMUNITY.
LORD, WE'RE OFTEN CONFRONTED
WITH OUR OWN DEFICIENCY, BUT WE
THANK YOU.
FATHER, I LOOKED AT EACH

INDIVIDUAL IN THIS ROOM WHO
HUMBLY HAS TAKEN THE ROLE OF
SERVANT LEADER IN THIS
COMMUNITY.

LORD, I PRAY YOU BLESS THEM,
THAT YOU BLESS THEIR FAMILIES,
LORD, THAT YOU WOULD GIVE THEM
THE WISDOM THEY NEED TO MAKE THE
DECISIONS THAT IMPACT SO MANY
PEOPLE.

LORD, I PRAY FOR UNITY IN THIS
ROOM.

I ASK, LORD, THAT YOU WILL BE
GLORIFIED IN ALL THAT WE DO.
LORD, WOULD YOU GUIDE US?
WOULD YOU GIVE US THE WISDOM
THAT WE NEED TO MAKE THE
DECISIONS THAT YOU DESIRE?
AND LORD, WE PRAY THIS ALL IN
THE NAME OF JESUS.

AMEN.

>> AMEN.

>> THANK YOU.

>> WILL YOU LEAD US ALL IN THE
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE?

>> I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE
FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA, AND TO THE REPUBLIC FOR
WHICH IT STANDS, ONE NATION
UNDER GOD, INDIVISIBLE, WITH
LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL.

>> AT THIS TIME COUNCIL FLAHERTY
HAS A SPECIAL PRESENTATION.

>> I HAVE A VERY SPECIAL GUEST
TODAY, FOLKS, AND IT'S MR.

MR. JOSEPH, JOHN JOSEPH.

WE MET LAST YEAR.

I HA JUST MISSED HIS BIRTHDAY
LAST YEAR.

I SAID, LET'S PLAN AN EVENT FOR
YOUR NEXT BIRTHDAY, THE NEXT
BIRTHDAY BEING HIS 107th
BIRTHDAY.

107th.

[APPLAUSE]

SO... I JUST THOUGHT THAT WAS SO
FABULOUS.

I ACTUALLY MET HIM WHEN HE WAS
106.

WHERE HAVE YOU BEEN ALL THESE
YEARS, YOU KNOW?

BUT JUST A LITTLE BIT WITH
RESPECT TO SUPPORTING AND
UPLIFTING THE ELDERLY COMMUNITY

THAT WE ALL KNOW THAT THAT SHOULD TAKE A PRIORITY IN OUR CITY, AND HAVING MET MR. JOSEPH AT AN ELDERLY EVENT LAST YEAR, HE INSPIRED ME TO CONTINUE TO DOUBLE DOWN AND REFOCUS EFFORTS ON THE ELDERLY COMMUNITY AND PARTICULARLY OUR VETERANS. HE HAD SERVED IN THE HAITIAN ARMY FROM 1950 TO 1956. AND AFTER SERVING IN THE HAITIAN ARMY, HE BECAME A PUBLIC SERVANT IN HAITI, AN HE CAME TO THE UNITED STATES ON OCTOBER 8, 1988.

HE'S NOW CURRENTLY HERE.

HE'S NOW CELEBRATING HIS 107th BIRTHDAY.

HE TURNED 107 ON APRIL 5th.

AND SO THAT PUTS THIS IN PERSPECTIVE.

SO MR. JOSEPH WAS BORN WHEN WILLIAM TAFT WAS THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

HE HAS LIVED THROUGH TWO WORLD WARS AND ONE GREAT DEPRESSION. BEFORE HE -- HE WAS BORN BEFORE NEW MEXICO, ARIZONA, ALASKA, AND HAWAII WERE ADMITTED TO THE UNITED STATES AND LIVED THROUGH 19 U.S. PRESIDENTIAL ADMINISTRATIONS.

SO I THINK MR. JOSEPH IS CLEARLY DOING SOMETHING RIGHT AS ONE OF OUR CITY'S OLDEST RESIDENTS IF NOT\THE\OLDEST.

WE WANTED TO TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE HIM AN OFFICIAL CITY COUNCIL PROCLAMATION, REAFFIRMING OUR COMMITMENT TO OUR SENIORS AND TO HIS EXCEPTIONAL LONGEVITY AND WISHING HIM THE VERY BEST FUTURE SUCCESS AND A PLEDGE TO HOPEFULLY HAVE HIM BACK HERE NEXT YEAR FOR HIS 108th BIRTHDAY, GOD WILLING.

[APPLAUSE]

AND MR. JOSEPH, JUST A PIECE OF ADVICE, PLEASE DON'T RUN AGAINST ANY ONE OF US, ALL RIGHT?

WE'LL HAVE SOME PROBLEMS.

BUT IF MY COLLEAGUES CAN COME UP AND GATHER AROUND MR. JOSEPH, HE

IS GOING TO SAY A FEW WORDS.
>> [INAUDIBLE]
>> HE WAS BORN DURING THE
OCCUPATION.
EVERYTHING THAT HE HAS,
EVERYTHING THAT HE IS, HE WISHES
TO SHARE WITH FRIENDS.
BECAUSE EVERYTHING THAT HE NEEDS
IS HERE, BECAUSE THEY ARE
EVERYTHING TO HIM.
[INAUDIBLE] GOD DID FOR HIM.
EVERYTHING THAT HE HAS, HE HAS
TO HELP OTHER PEOPLE WHO NEED
SOMETHING.
SO HE CALLED ON JESUS CHRIST.
SO HE'S VERY HAPPY ABOUT HIS
LIFE.
ALL RIGHT.
ALL RIGHT.
THANK YOU, THANK YOU.
[APPLAUSE]
>> THANK YOU.
IF MY COLLEAGUES -- I THOUGHT HE
WAS TALKING ABOUT THE CLAM
CHOWDER IN BOSTON THAT MADE IT
SO HEALTHY, BUT IF WE COULD COME
IN AND GET A QUICK PICK CHUR,
THAT WOULD BE GREAT.
CONGRATULATIONS AGAIN,
MR. JOSEPH.
>> CONGRATULATIONS.
>> THANK YOU.
>> YOU'RE WELCOME.
>> EVERYBODY IN?
HAPPY BIRTHDAY, MR. JOSEPH.
>> HAPPY BIRTHDAY.
>> HAPPY BIRTHDAY.
>> HOW DO YOU SAY IN CREOLE?
>> CAN YOU SING NOW?
>> THANK YOU.
>> OF COURSE.
>> HAPPY BIRTHDAY.
HAPPY BIRTHDAY.
[INAUDIBLE]
>> I WANT THE TAKE THIS
OPPORTUNITY TO THANK MAUREEN,
HIS BUILDING MANAGER FROM BEING
HIM IN, AND OBVIOUSLY HIS SON,
AS WELL.
WELCOME TO THE CITY COUNCIL AND
THANK YOU FOR BRINGING
MR. JOSEPH IN.
>> AWESOME.
>> WANT TO GET IN, MAUREEN?

JUMP IN, MAUREEN.
COME ON.
>> COME OVER HERE.
>> PLEASE, PLEASE.
>> VERY GOOD.
VERY GOOD.
SO EXCITING.
YES, YES, YES.
>> OKAY.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
APPRECIATE IT.
[APPLAUSE]
>> I FEEL VERY HAPPY.
I FEEL VERY, HOW CAN I SAY,
COMFORTABLE, BECAUSE FOR ME IT'S
A GREAT MOMENT TO BE HERE TO
SHARE MY FATHER'S BIRTHDAY.
SO IF HE FEELS VERY HAPPY, TOO.
SO I HOPE NEXT TIME YOU WILL DO
THE SAME THING FOR HIM.
GOD BLESSED HIM A LOT.
>> THAT'S RIGHT.
>> GOD IS HIS SHEPHERD.
AMEN.
>> AMEN.
[APPLAUSE]
>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, AND
THANK YOU, COUNTS HAIR --
COUNCILOR FLAHERTY, AND
MR. JOSEPH, THANK YOU VERY MUCH.
AND HAPPY 107th BIRTHDAY TO
YOU
MOMENTS LIKE THAT MAKE US ALL
PAUSE AN REFLECT AND REMIND US
HOW GRATEFUL WE ARE TO HAVE
INCREDIBLE RESIDENTS.
SO THANK YOU AGAIN, COUNCILOR
FLAHERTY.
AT THIS TIME, MOVING ON TO
APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES.
IF THERE ARE NO CONNECTIONS TO
BE MADE, THE MINUTES OF THE LAST
MEETING WILL BE APPROVED.
SEEING AND HEARING NO
OBJECTIONS, THE MINUTES OF THE
LAST MEETING ARE SO APPROVED
COMMUNICATIONS FROM HIS HONOR,
THE MAYOR.
>> MADAM PRESIDENT, DOCKET 0559
THROUGH 0565.
>> THANK YOU.
>> DOCKET NUMBER 0559, MESSAGE
IN ORDER FOR THE ANNUAL
APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER FOR

THE F.Y. 2019 IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK ON APRIL 9, 2018. DOCKET NUMBER 0560, A MESSAGE FOR THE ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT FOR THE F.Y. 2019.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK ON APRIL 9, 2018.

DOCKET 0561, A MESSAGE IN ORDER TO APPROVE AN APPROPRIATION OF \$40 MILLION TO THE OTHER POST AND EMPLOYEE BENEFITS LIABILITY TRUST FUND ESTABLISHED UNDER SECTION 20 OF MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS, CHAPTER 32-D, SECTION 20, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 479 OF THE ACT OF 2008.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK ON APRIL 9, 2018.

DOCKET NUMBER 0562, A MESSAGE AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO APPROPRIATE AN AMOUNT OF \$53,803,817 FOR THE CITY'S CAPITAL GRANT FUND IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR VARIOUS TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

THESE PROJECTS ARE ALIGNED WITH THE GOALS OF THE GO BOSTON 2030, THE CITY'S TRANSPORTATION MASTER PLAN.

THE FUNDS SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE CAPITAL GRANT FUND FROM FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK ON APRIL 9, 2018.

DOCKET NUMBER 0563, MESSAGE AND ORDER PROVIDING AN APPROPRIATION OF \$1,600,000 FROM THE SURPLUS DISPOSITION FUND CREDITED TO THE CAPITAL FUND FOR DEVELOPMENT OF THE MASTER PLANS, ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING PLAN, AND DESIGNED FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF SUCH PLANS AND DESIGNED FOR BOSTON COMMON, FRANKLIN PARK, AND THE COMPLETION OF THE EMERALD NECKLACE, FILED IN -- FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK ON APRIL 9, 2018.

DOCKET 0564, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ENTER INTO ONE OR MORE LEASE, LEASE PURCHASE, OR INSTALLATION SALE AGREEMENTS IN

FISCAL YEAR TO 2019 AND IN THE AMOUNT OF \$31,700,000.

THESE FUNDS ARE TO BE USED BY VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS FOR THE ACQUISITION OF EQUIPMENT IN FURTHERANCE OF THEIR RESPECTIVE GOVERNMENTAL FUNCTIONS.

THE LIST OF EQUIPMENT INCLUDES COMPUTER EQUIPMENT, HARDWARE AND SOFTWARE, MOTOR VEHICLES AND TRAILERS, AMBULANCES, FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT, OFFICE EQUIPMENT, TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT, PHOTOCOPYING EQUIPMENT, MEDICAL EQUIPMENT, SCHOOL AND EDUCATIONAL EQUIPMENT, SCHOOL BUSES, PARKING METERS, STREET LIGHT INSTALLATIONS, TRAFFIC SIGNAL EQUIPMENT, AND EQUIPMENT FUNG SHULLALLY RELATED TO AND COMPONENTS OF THE FOREGOING FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK ON APRIL 9, 2018.

DOCKET NUMBER 0565, MESSAGE AND ORDER APPROVING THE APPROPRIATION OF \$291,330,000 FOR THE ACQUISITION OF INTEREST AND ASSETS OR THE LANDSCAPING AND IMPROVEMENT OF PUBLIC LAND. THE CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION, REHABILITATION, IMPROVEMENT, ALTERATIONS, REMODELING, ENLARGEMENT, DEMOLITION, REMOVAL, OR EXTRAORDINARY REPAIRS TO PUBLIC BUILDINGS, FACILITY, AND ASSETS, AND FOR FEASIBILITY STUDIES AND INFRASTRUCTURE OR ARCHITECTURE FOR PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT, DESIGN, PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF COMPUTER HARD BARE, SOFTWARE, AND COMPUTERS, ASSISTED, INTEGRATED FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AND ACCOUNTING SYSTEMS FOR ANY OTHER PUBLIC WORK IMPROVEMENT OR ASSET WITH A MAXIMUM USEFUL LIFE OF AT LEAST FIVE YEARS AND NOT OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.

THE PLANTING OF SHADE TREES FOR VARIOUS CITY DEPARTMENTS, INCLUDING THE BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH AND FAMILIES, DEPARTMENT

OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY,
ENVIRONMENT, FIRE INSPECTIONAL
SERVICES DEPARTMENT,
NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT, OFFICE
OF ARTS AND CULTURE, PARKS PARKS AND
RECREATION, POLICE, PROPERTY
MANAGE.

, PUBLIC WORKS, TRANSPORTATION,
BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY, BOSTON
PUBLIC SCHOOLS, BOSTON
REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY, AND THE
PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE CITY
CLERK ON APRIL 9, 2018.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.

SO JUST FOR THE PUBLIC, DOCKETS
50559 THROUGH 056 CONTAIN THE
F.Y. 19 FISCAL BUDGET SUBMITTED
TO COUNCIL TO REVIEW OVER NEXT
FEW MONTHS.

SO DOCKET 0559 THROUGH 0565 WILL
BE ASSIGNED TO THE COMMITTEE ON
WAYS AND MEANS.

MADAM CLERK, IF YOU COULD READ
DOCKET 0566 AND 0567.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.

DOCKET 0566, MESSAGE AND ORDER
TO AMEND THE CITY OF BOSTON COAL
ORDINANCE, CHAPTER 6, SECTION
6-6.3, AND THE SCHEDULE OF
PARKING FINES FILED IN THE
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK ON
APRIL 9, 2018.

AND DOCKET NUMBER 056, MESSAGE
IN ORDER TO AMEND THE CITY OF
BOSTON CODE, SECTION 9.5,
RENEWABLE ENERGY CERTIFICATES
REVOLVING FUND FILED IN THE
OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK ON
APRIL 9, 2018.

>> Amaka: DOCKET 0566 AND 0567
WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THE
COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT
OPERATIONS.

MADAM CLERK, IF YOU COULD READ
DOCKET 0568 THROUGH DOCKET 0586.

>> 84.

>> 84.

THAT'S RIGHT.

YES, THANK YOU.

>> DOCKET NUMBER 0568, MESSAGE
AND ORDER AUTHORIZING THE LAW
DEPARTMENT FOR FUNDS FOR FISCAL
YEAR 2019 TO PURCHASE GOODS AND

SERVICES FOR REPAIRS TO CITY PROPERTY.

THIS REVOLVING FUND SHALL BE FUNDED BY RECEIPTS FOR RECOVERIES TO DAMAGES TO THE CITY PROPERTY CAUSED BY THIRD PARTIES.

THE LAW DEPARTMENT WILL BE THE ONLY UNIT AUTHORIZED TO EXPECTED THE FUNDS AND SUCH EXPENDITURES SHALL BE CAPPED AT \$500,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0569, AN ORDER FOR THE DISTRIBUTED ENERGY RESOURCE REVOLVING FUND FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO, FACILITATE THE PURCHASE AND OFFSETS OF GREENHOUSE GAS EMISSIONS WHICH SHALL BE ASSOCIATED WITH A PORTION OF THE ELECTRICITY CONSUMED BY THE CITY ANNUALLY.

AND TO OPERATE, PAID AND THE, MONITOR, AND EXPAND THE CITY'S EXISTING AND COMBINED HEAT AND POWER FACILITIES.

THIS FUND SHALL BE CREDITED WITH ANY SALE OF RENEWABLE AND ALTERNATIVE ENERGY CERTIFICATES AND ALL RECEIPTS -- AND DEMAND RESPONSE PROGRAM REVENUES PRODUCED BY COMBINED HEAT AND POWER UNITS LOCATED AT BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL SITES AND RENEWABLE ENERGY SEVER TIFF CATS PRODUCED BY THE CITY.

RECEIPTS AND RESULTING EXPENDITURES FROM THIS FUND SHALL NOT EXCEED \$250,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0570, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING A LIMIT FOR THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF TOURISM, REVOLVING FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO PURCHASE GOODS AND SERVICES TO SUPPORT EVENTS AND PROGRAMMING ON AND AROUND CITY HALL PLAZA, TO ADVANCE TOURISM AND TO PROMOTE PARTICIPATION AND PUBLIC CELEBRATIONS, CIVIC AND CULTURAL EVENTS.

THIS REVOLVING FUND SHALL BE FUNDED BY RECEIPTS FROM PAYMENTS FOR THE USE OF CITY HALL PLAZA PURSUANT TO THE CITY OF BOSTON'S CODE ORDINANCE, 11-7.13.

THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF TOURISM

WILL BE THE ONLY UNIT AUTHORIZED TO EXTEND PEDESTRIAN FROM THIS FUND, AND SUCH EXPENDITURES SHALL BE CAP AT \$150,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0571, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING A LIMIT TO THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO PURCHASE GOODS AND SERVICES TO SUPPORT PUBLIC ART, TO ENHANCE THE PUBLIC REALM THROUGHOUT THE CITY OF BOSTON.

THIS REVOLVING FUND SHALL BE FUNDED BY RECEIPTS FROM EASEMENTS WITHIN THE PUBLIC WAY GRANTED BY THE PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS COMMISSION.

THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE WILL BE THE ONLY UNIT AUTHORIZED TO EXTEND FROM THE FUND AND THE EXPENDITURES SHALL BE CAPPED AT \$250,000.

THE REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019, TO PURCHASE GOODS AND SERVICES TO SUPPORT THE OPERATION OF THE STRAND THEATER. THE REVOLVING FUND SHALL BE FUNDED BY RECEIPTS FROM RENTAL FEES FOR USE OF THE STRAND THEATER.

THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF ARTS AND CULTURE WILL BE THE ONLY UNIT AUTHORIZED TO EXPECTED FROM THIS FUND AND SUCH EXPENDITURES SHALL BE CAPPED AT \$150,000.

DOCKET 0573, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING A LIMIT OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO SUPPORT MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS FOR B.P.S. FACILITIES INCLUDING CA STOWAL AND UTILITY COSTS FOR EXTENDING BUILDING, FOR REFINISHING, LANDSCAPE, AND BUILDING REPAIRS.

RECEIPTS FROM PARKING FEES FROM B.P.S. FACILITIES WILL BE DEPOSITED IN THE FUND.

B.P.S. WILL BE THE ONLY UNIT AUTHORIZE TO EXPECTED FROM THE FUND AND SUCH EXPENDITURES SHALL NOT EXCEED \$2,600,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0574, MESSAGE AND

ORDER AUTHORIZING A LIMIT FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO REPAIR AND PURCHASE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY, INCLUDING COMPUTERS, MOBILE DEVICES, AND INSPECTIONAL SERVICES.

THIS REVOLVING FUND SHALL BE CREDITED WITH ANY AND ALL RECEIPTS FROM EQUIPMENT SALES AND REPAIR FEES FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TECHNOLOGY. RECEIPTS AND RESULTING EXPAND CHURS FROM THIS FUND SHALL NOT EXCEED \$1,500,000.

DOCKET 0575, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING A LIMIT FOR THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS REVOLVING FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2019. THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TRANSPORTATION COSTS, INCLUDING BOSTON PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION COSTS.

THIS REVOLVING FUND SHALL BE CREDITED WITH REVENUE RECEIVED BY BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS DEPARTMENT FOR THE PROVISION OF TRANSPORTATION TO GROUPS AND ENTITIES FOR FIELD TRIPS AND ACTIVITIES OTHER THAN TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM SCHOOL.

RECEIPTS AND RESULTING EXPENDITURES FROM THIS FUND SHALL NOT EXCEED \$125,000. DOCKET NUMBER 0576, MESSAGE AND ORDERER AUTHORIZING THE INSPECTIONAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT REVOLVING FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO REIMBURSE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS TO THOSE CITY AGENCIES WHICH ENFORCE C.B.C., CHAPTER 16, SECTION 1.9 AND 1.9D.

AND FOR COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH LICENSING AND REGISTRATION. THIS REVOLVING FUND SHALL BE CREDITED WITH RECEIPTS FROM ALL DOG REGISTRATION FEES COLLECTED PURSUANT TO C.B.C. CHAPTER 18, SECTION 1.4 SIX TO TEN AND FINES PURSUANT TO C.B.C., CHAPTER 16 SECTION 1.9 AND 1.9B.

RECEIPTS AND RESULTING EXPENDITURES FROM THIS FUND SHALL NOT EXCEED \$300,000. DOCKET NUMBER 0577, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON CENTER FOR YOUTH FINAL LIST B.C.Y.S. REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO, PAY SALARIES AND BENEFITS OF EMPLOYEES TO PURCHASE SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO OPERATE THE CITY HALL CHILDCARE. THIS REVOLVING FUND SHALL BE CELESTED WITH ANY AND ALL RECEIPTS FROM TUITION PAID BY PARENTS AND GUARDIANS FOR CHILDREN ENROLLED AT THE CENTER.

RECEIPTS AND RESULTING EXPENDITURES FROM THIS FIRE DEPARTMENT SHALL NOT EXCEED \$750,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0578, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING THE LIMITS OF THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO SUPPORT TRAINING PROGRAMS FOR OFFICES FOR NON-CITY OF BOSTON LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES. THE ACADEMY WILL CHARGE PARTICIPATING OUTSIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES TUITION FOR EACH RECRUIT.

POLICE OFFICERS TAKE THEM TO THE ACADEMY.

THE TUITION PAID BY THE OUTSIDE AGENCIES WILL BE USED TO PURCHASE TRAINING EQUIPMENT, CERTIFIED INSPECTORS, UPDATE FACILITIES AND TO PROVIDE FUNDS FOR TRAINING NEEDS, NOT OTHERWISE BUDGETED.

THE POLICE ACADEMY WILL BE THE ONLY UNIT AUTHORIZED TO EXTEND FROM THE FUND AND SUCH EXPENDITURES SHALL BE CAPPED AT \$100,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0579, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING THE LIMIT FOR THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT REVOLVING FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019.

TO SUPPORT THE CANINE UNITS TRAINING PROGRAM FOR OFFICERS

AND POLICE DOGS FROM NON-CITY OF BOSTON LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES. A SPECIAL OPERATING DIVISION WILL CHARGE TUITION AND OTHER FEES TO OUTSIDE LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES FOR THE K-9 UNIT. THE TUITION AND OTHER FEES FOR OUTSIDE AGENCIES WILL BE USED TO PURCHASE TRAINING EQUIPMENT, CERTIFY INSTRUCTORS, UPDATE FACILITIES, AND PROVIDE FUNDS FOR OTHER TRAINING NEEDS, NOT OTHERWISE BUDGETED.

THE SPECIAL OPERATIONS DIVISION WILL BE THE ONLY UNIT AUTHORIZED TO EXTEND FROM THIS FUND AND SUCH EXPENDITURES WILL BE CAPPED AT \$75,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0580, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING A LIMIT FROM THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF PURCHASING, LEASING, OR RENTING SPACE, MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT TO BE PARTIALLY OR WHOLLY USED FOR INSTRUCTIONAL PURPOSES, FOR NEW HACKNEY CARRIAGE DRIVER APPLICATIONS, AND FOR PROVIDING FUNDS FOR OTHER TRAINING NEEDS, NOT OTHERWISE BUDGETED.

RECEIPTS AND RESULTING EXPENDITURES FROM THIS FUND WILL NOT EXCEED \$100,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0581, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING A LIMIT FOR THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT REVOLVING FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019.

TO PAY SALARIES AND BENEFITS OF EMPLOYEES AND TO PURCHASE SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO OPERATE THE POLICE DEPARTMENT'S FITNESS CENTER.

REVENUES FOR THIS FUND IS DERIVED FROM MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP FEES.

RECEIPTS AND RESULTING EXPENDITURES FROM THIS FUND SHALL NOT EXCEED \$250,000.

DOCKET NUMBER 0582, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPROPRIATION OF \$1,200,000 FROM

THE GEORGE FRANCIS PARKLAND
FUND.

THE FUNDS ARE TO BE EXTENDED
UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE
COMMISSIONER OF PARKS AND
RECREATION FOR THE MAINTENANCE
AND IMPROVEMENTS AT THE BOSTON
COMMON AND PARKS IN EXISTENCE
SINCE JANUARY 12, 1887.
DOCKET NUMBER 0583, MESSAGE AND
ORDER FOR AN APPROPRIATION IN
THE AMOUNT OF \$759,663 FOR THE
ADMINISTRATIVE OPERATING
EXPENSES OF THE CITY OF BOSTON
PRESERVATION COMMUNITY KNOWN AS
C.P.C. FOR FISCAL YEAR 2019.
AND A FUTURE APPROPRIATION ORDER
IN THE AMOUNT OF \$21,200,262
FROM THE COMMUNITY PRESERVATION
FUND KNOWN AS "THE FUND."

ESTIMATE ANNUAL REVENUE FOR
FISCAL YEAR 2019 TO BE
APPROPRIATED AND RESERVED FOR
FUTURE APPROPRIATIONS.
AND DOCKET NUMBER 0584, MESSAGE
IN ORDER FOR AN APPROPRIATION
ORDER IN THE AMOUNT OF
\$4,400,000 FROM THE 21st
CENTURY FUND, ALSO KNOWN AS "THE
PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL OR GRANT"
ACCESS CABLE RELATED FUND.
PURSUANT TO SECTION 53F AND
THREE QUARTERS OF CHAPTER 44 OF
THE GENERAL LAWS TO THE ACCESS
AND CABLE RELATED BRANCH FOR
CABLE RELATED PURPOSES
CONSISTENT WITH THE FRANCHISE
AGREEMENT BETWEEN CABLE
OPERATORS AND THE CITY,
INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO
SUPPORTING PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL OR
GOVERNMENTAL ACCESS, CABLE
TELEVISION SERVICES, MONITORING,
COMPLIANCE OF CABLE OPERATORS
WITH THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT, OR
PREPARATION FOR RENEWAL OF THE
FRANCHISE LICENSE.

>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, MADAM
CLERK.

DOCKET 0568 THROUGH 0584, WHICH
ALSO INCLUDE SECTIONS FROM THE
F.Y. '19 BUDGET WILL BE ASSIGNED
TO THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND
MEANS.

>> DOCKET NUMBER 0585, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT THE AMOUNT OF \$569,031.84 IN THE FORM OF A GRANT FOR THE STATE'S ELDER LUNCH PROGRAM, AWARDED BY MASS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ELDER AFFAIRS TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE ELDERLY COMMISSION. THE GRANT WILL FUND MEALS FOR SENIORS IN BOSTON.

>> COUNCILOR, YOU HAVE THE FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT. I MOVE TO SUSPEND THE RULES AND ACCEPT THIS GRANT.

THIS GRANT SUPPORTS SOCIAL OMBUDSMAN, HEALTH PREVENTION, CAREGIVER, AND NUTRITION SERVICES TO BOSTON SENIORS. THIS IS ESSENTIALLY THE SAME BULK OF MONEY THAT WE SUSPENDED AND PASSED EARLIER IN THE COUNCIL MEETING.

THIS PORTION OF THE GRANT MONEY, HOWEVER, WILL SUPPORT THE N.S.I.P. PROGRAM, WHICH STANDS FOR NUTRITION SERVICES INCENTIVE PROGRAM AND OUR STATE'S ELDERLY LUNCH PROGRAM, WHICH SERVES ABOUT 470,000 MEALS TO ABOUT 1,200 ELDERS IN BOSTON.

THIS PROGRAM NOT ONLY DELIVERS MEALS THE OUR HOME BOUND SENIORS BUT ALSO DELIVERS GROUP MEALS AT OVER 45 MEAL SITES AROUND BOSTON.

THIS PROGRAM INCLUDES REGULAR WELLNESS CHECKS AND ASSESSMENTS FOR OUR SENIORS WHILE ALSO PROVIDING NUTRITION AND COMMUNITY.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILOR PRESSLEY.

AT THIS TIME, COUNCILOR PRESSLEY, WHO IS THE CHAIR OF HEALTH AND FAMILY AND COMMUNITIES, SEEKS SUSPENSION OF PASSAGE OF DOCKET 0585, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR SAY AYE. OPPOSED SAY NAY.

THE AYES HAVE IT.

>> DOCKET 056, MESSAGE AND ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON

TO ACCEPT AND EXTEND THE AMOUNT OF \$150,000 IN THE FORM OF A GRANT FOR CHILDHOOD OBESITY PREVENTION, AWARDED BY THE UNITED STATES CONFERENCE OF MAYORS TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE MAYOR'S OFFICE.

THE GRANT WILL FUNDS BE FOOD LOVE, A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND NUTRITION SERVICES.

THE PARTNERSHIP WILL WORK TO ENSURE CHILDREN AT SELECT SCHOOLS RECEIVE HEALTHY AND DELICIOUS MEALS TO FUEL THE PERFORMANCE AND SUCCESS.

>> Amaka:

>> COUNCILOR, ESSENTIALLY THE SAME TALKING POINTS.

I MOVE 20 ACCEPT THIS GRANT.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILOR PRESSLEY.

AT THIS TIME COUNCILOR PRESSLEY, THE CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTHY WOMEN, FAMILIES, AND COMMUNITIES, SEEKS PASSAGE OF DOCKET 0586.

ALL THOSE IN FAVOR SAY AYE. OPPOSED SAY NAY.

THE AYES HAVE IT.

DOCKET 0586 HAS BEEN PASSED. REPORTS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND OTHERS?

>> MADAM PRESIDENT, WOULD YOU LIKE ME TO READ 0587 THROUGH 0589?

>> THANK YOU.

>> DOCKET 0587 SAYS THE ORDINANCES OF 1979, REGARDING ACTION TAKEN BY THE 345EUOR IN PAPERS PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON ITS MEETING OF MARCH 7, 2018.

DOCKET NUMBER 0588, A NOTICE TO RECEIVE FROM THE CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF 2 ORDINANCES OF 1979, REGARDING ACTION TAKEN BY THE MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF MARCH 21, 2018.

DOCKET NUMBER 0589, FROM THE CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF THE ORDINANCES OF

1979, REGARDING ACTION TAKEN BY
THE MAYOR ON PAPERS FILED BY THE
CITY COUNCIL ON MARCH 28, 2018
MEETING.

>> DOCKET 0587 THROUGH SO 0589
WILL BE PLACED ON FILE.
REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

>> DOCKET NUMBER 0166, 2
COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT
OPERATIONS TO WHICH IS WAS
REFERRED ON JANUARY 4, 2018.

DOCKET 0166, AN ORDINANCE
INCREASING ACCESS TO VOTER
REGISTRATION.

SUBMIT A REPORT RECOMMENDING THE
ORDINANCE OUGHT PASS TO IN A NEW
DRAFT.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.
COUNCILOR FLAHERTY, YOU HAVE THE
FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.
THIS WAS PROPOSED BY COLLEAGUE
JEFF BACON.

IT SEEKS TO AMEND THE CODE OR
FINANCE IN CHAPTER 11 BY ADDING
A NEW SECTION ON VOTER
REGISTRATION IN ORDER TO
INCREASE ACCESS TO VOTER
REGISTRATION IN BOSTON.

SO TO ELABORATE, FOR ANYONE WHO
HAS THE RIGHT TO VOTE, THE
LANGUAGE IN THIS ORDINANCE WILL
REQUIRE BOSTON PUBLIC LIBRARY
BRANCHES TO MAKE VOTER
REGISTRATION FORMS AVAILABLE IN
VISIBLE LOCATION, REQUIRE THE
BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO PROVIDE
VOTER REGISTRATION FORMS TO
PARENTS AND LEGAL GUARDIANS AS
WELL AS PREREGISTRATION FORMS
FOR ELIGIBLE STUDENTS.

FURTHER, THIS PROPOSAL WILL
ALLOW BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOL
STUDENTS TO START SCHOOL LATE ON
ELECTION DAY.

CAN'T STROLL IN AT 11:00, BUT
WE'LL WORK WITH YOU IN THE
MORNING PROVIDED THEY TOOK TIME
OUT OF THEIR SCHEDULE TO VOTE
AND HAVE PROOF THAT THEY VOTED.
REQUIRE THE TRANSPORTATION
DEPARTMENT TO PROVIDE VOTER
REGISTRATION FORMS TO RESIDENTS
WHO ARE SEEKING RESIDENT PARKING

PERMITS OR UPDATING THEIR PARKING PERMIT APPLICATION, AND ALSO THROUGH THE HEARING SUGGESTED BY ONE OF OUR COLLEAGUES, I BELIEVE IT MIGHT HAVE BEEN COUNCILOR JANEY HAD RECOMMENDED THE USE OF OUR COMMUNITY CENTERS, WHICH, AS YOU KNOW, ARE THE LIFELINE FOR A PLOT OF OUR NEIGHBORHOODS AND COMMUNITY GROUPS.

SO WE'VE INCLUDED THAT PROVISION, AS WELL, THAT VOTER REGISTRATION FORMS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE AT THE BOSTON CENTERS FOR YOUTH AND FAMILY COMMUNITY CENTERS.

SO LOTS OF GOOD STUFF HAPPENING AT THE HEARING THAT WAS HELD ON MARCH 26th.

THE FOLLOWING INDIVIDUALS CAME, DION IRISH, MONICA ROBERTS FROM THE B.P.S., ANNA FAHEY FLYNN, PA THERE THAT FOLEY, STEVEN WIRE FROM B.T.D., AND I BELIEVE OUR CLERK ALSO WAS THERE, AS WELL. I THOUGHT OUR CLERK WAS THERE. SO THEY HAD DESCRIBED THAT THEY FELT THEY WERE DOING SOME OF THESE EFFORTS, BUT PRODDING BY THE CITY COUNCIL ON THE AFOREMENTIONED CHANGES THAT THEY ARE IN AGREEMENT.

ADDITIONALLY THE COMMITTEE DISCUSSED OPPORTUNITIES RAISED BY OUR COLLEAGUES AND VETERANS, EDDIE FLYNN, MAKING IT EASIER FOR THOSE THAT ARE DEPLOYED IN THE ARMED FORCES.

HE DESCRIBED A SITUATION WHERE HE WAS OVERSEAS AND SOMETIMES THEY WOULD NOT GET THE BALLOT OR HE WOULD GET THE BALLOT WELL AFTER THE ELECTION RESULTS WERE RECORDED.

SO HE CURRENTLY IS WORKING WITH THE ELECTION DEPARTMENT TO BRING ABOUT SOME OF THOSE CHANGES AND GETTING SOME ADDITIONAL RESOURCES.

SO WITH RESPECT TO ALL OF THE ABOVE, THE CHAIR AT THIS TIME WILL RECOMMEND PASSAGE OF A NEW DRAFT BUT THROUGH THE CHAIR

WOULD LIKE TO GIVE THE SPONSOR AN OPPORTUNITY TO SHARE HIS THOUGHTS GIVEN HIS HARD WORK AND EFFORTS IN COLLABORATION WITH ALL OF OUR COLLEAGUES WITH THEIR SUGGESTED CHANGES AS WHY WE'RE PASSING A NEW DRAFT.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILOR FLAHERTY.

COUNCILOR ZAKIM, YOU HAVE THE FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.

THANK YOU, COUNCILOR FLAHERTY FOR YOUR WORK ON.

THIS I WANT TO THANK ALL OF OUR COLLEAGUES WHO ATTENDED THE HEARINGS AND PARTICIPATED.

AS COUNCILOR FLAHERTY SAID, AND COUNCILOR FLYNN FOR SHARING HIS EXPERIENCE ON ACTIVE DUTY IN THE NAVY AND THE DIFFICULTIES OF RECEIVING ABSENTEE BALLOT, AND COUNCILOR JANEY'S COMMENT, WHICH WE'RE CALLING THE JANEY AMENDMENT HERE.

THIS IS PRETTY STRAIGHTFORWARD. COUNCILOR FLAHERTY DID A GREAT JOB OF EXPLAINING WHAT WE'RE TRYING TO DO HERE.

THERE ARE SO MANY OPPORTUNITIES FOR PEOPLE WHO HAVE THEIR REGULAR INTERACTIONS WITH THE CITY GOVERNMENT, WHETHER IT'S WITH THE LIBRARY, AT OUR SCHOOLS, AND JUST PROVIDING THIS INFORMATION, PROVIDING VOTER REGISTRATION FORMS IN A PROACTIVE MANNER.

WHILE WE WORK ON PASSING A STATEWIDE AUTOMATIC VOTER REGISTRATION THAT WOULD AUTOMATICALLY ENROLL PEOPLE, UNTIL THEN THIS IS THE BEST STEP CITIES AND TOWNS CAN TAKE.

I AM PARTICULARLY PROUD ABOUT PREREGISTERING OUR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS AND MANGE SURE THEY HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE.

FOR THOSE OF YOU THAT WERE ABLE TO SEE OUR HEARING WE HAD LAST SUMMER, WE HEARD FROM A MEMBER OF THE BOSTON STUDENT ADVISORY

COUNCIL WHO WAS REALLY
DISAPPOINTED FOR HIM AND HIS
FRIENDS THAT THEY COULDN'T HAVE
TIME TO VOTE ON ELECTION DAY,
WHETHER BECAUSE THEY HAD JOBS
AFTER SCHOOL, EXTRA CURRICULAR
ACTIVITIES OR GIVEN OUR
CITY-WIDE HIGH SCHOOL, IT MIGHT
NOT BE THAT EASY TO GET TO
SCHOOL ON TIME AND GET BACK IN
TIME TO CAST YOUR BALLOT.

SO I AM VERY EXCITED ABOUT THIS.
I THANK MY COLLEAGUES FOR THEIR
IMPORT.

I ESPECIALLY WANT THE THANK
MAYOR WALSH AND HIS
ADMINISTRATION FOR COMING TO THE
TABLE AND WORKING VERY
COLLABORATIVELY AND PROACTIVELY
IN OFFERING CONSTRUCTIVE ADVICE
ON SOME OF THE CHANGES THAT WE
DID HAVE TO MAKE.

I LOOK FORWARD TO IMPLEMENTING
THIS, AND I'M RALLY EXCITED TO
SEE WHAT STEPS WE CAN TAKE
TOWARD IMPROVING REGISTRATION
NUMBERS AND ULTIMATELY TURNOUT.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILOR ZAKIM.
AT THIS TIME COUNCILOR FLAHERTY,
CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE ON
GOVERNMENT OPERATION, SEEKS
ACCEPTANCE OF A COMMITTEE REPORT
AND PASSAGE OF DOCKET 0166 AND A
NEW DRAFT.

ALL THOSE IN FAVOR SAY AYE.
OPPOSED NAY.

THE D.U.I.S HAVE IT.
DOCKET 0166 HAS BEEN PASSED IN A
NEW DRAFT.

MATTERS RECENTLY HEARD FOR
POSSIBLE ACTION.

>> DOCKET NUMBER 0174, ORDINANCE
REGARDING THE RIGHT OF FREE
PETITION.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.
COUNCILOR FLAHERTY, YOU HAVE THE
FLOOR.

>> MADAM PRESIDENT, THIS IS
DOCKET 0174 FROM CITY COUNCILOR
MICHELLE WU WOO.

WE HAD THE HEARING ON MONDAY,
APRIL 9th.
THIS ORDINANCE WOULD CODIFY IN

TWO WAYS SO BOSTON RESIDENTS
COULD PARTICIPATE IN THE
LEGISLATIVE PROCESS.

ONE, ANY RESIDENT CAN SUBMIT A
PETITION THAT THE COUNCIL MAY
ACT ON AT ITS DISCRETION.

TWO, A PETITION SIGNED BY
500-PLUS RESIDENTS, TOUGH TO GET
HEARING WITHIN THREE MONTHS.

THE PETITIONS MUST BE SOMETHING
THAT CAN BE PASSED OR ORDERED BY
THE CITY COUNCIL.

THOSE PETITIONS EXCLUDE MATTERS
AFFECTING COUNCIL OPERATIONS,
EMERGENCY MEASURE, LOAN ORDERS
AND APPROPRIATION, PERSONNEL
ELECTION AND APPOINTMENT, REF
REMEMBER THIS AND INITIATIVE
PETITIONS.

THE COUNCIL NEED NOT ADEPRESSION
A PETITION IF THERE IS A
SUBSTANTIALLY SIMILAR PROCEEDING
WITHIN A PREVIOUS CALENDAR YEAR.

THE CLERK WAS THERE.

HE ADDED TO THAT HEARING,
HIGHLIGHTING A LOT OF OUR
PROCEDURES AND POLICIES
REGARDING SUBMISSIONS AND
EXCEPTIONS TO THOSE PETITIONS
ALONG WITH HEARING FROM OUR CITY
CLERK.

WE ALSO HEARD FROM ELECTION
DEPARTMENT COMMISSION DION IRISH
AND MONTE.

SO THE DISCUSSION RAN THE GAMUT
TO INCLUDE COMPARISONS OF CITY
SIZES, CENSUS DAY DARK
FEASIBILITY OF INFORMATION, TIME
LINE, AND PETITIONS WOULD BE
HEARD, VERIFICATION OF
RESIDENCY.

THERE IS DISCUSSION ABOUT
INCREASING SIGNATURES REQUIRED.
THERE IS A DISCUSS ABOUT
DECREASING.

WE HEARD FROM MEMBERS OF THE
PUBLIC.

AS A RESULT OF THE CONCERNS AND
ISSUES BROUGHT UP, I EXPECT TO
HOLD A WORKING SESSION WORKING
WITH THE CHAIR IN THE NEAR
FUTURE.

I'M REQUESTING AT THIS TIME THAT
THAT MATTER STAY IN COMMITTEE

AND AWAIT THE DATE
THE COMMITTEE AWAIT THE AT A
DATE OF A WORKING SESSION.
I WOULD LIKE TO TURN IT TO
COUNCILLOR MICHELLE WU FOR ANY
COMMENTS.
>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR
FLAHERTY.
COUNCILLOR WU, YOU HAVE THE
FLOOR.
>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.
I WANT TO THANK THE COMMITTEE
CHAIR FOR MAKING SURE WE GOT THE
HEARING IN.
I'M GRATEFUL.
I WANT TO THANK THE COLLEAGUES
WHO TOOK PART AND GAVE GREAT
IDEAS.
A RECAP, THIS IS WELL DESCRIBED
BY COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY TO LET
THE PUBLIC DIRECTLY SHAPE THE
COUNCIL AGENDA.
WE KNOW ANYONE WHO SIGNS A
PETITION IS MORE LIKELY NOT ONLY
THE REGISTER TO VOTE AFTER THAT
BUT TO ACTUALLY VOTE IN THE NEXT
ELECTION.
NINE CITIES ACROSS MASSACHUSETTS
ALREADY HAVE THIS IN PLACE AT
THE CITY LEVEL.
SO I HEARD SOME SKEPTICISM FROM
FOLKS AT THE HEARING,
PARTICULARLY AROUND SIGNIFICANT
VALIDATION, WHO WILL BE
ELIGIBLE, HOW DOES THAT MATCH
WITH THE ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT'S
WORK DURING IMPORTANT TIMES OF
THE YEAR, PARTICULARLY AROUND
SIGNIFICANT SELECTION FOR
CANDIDATES AND ELECTIONS.
I SEE A VIABLE, WORKABLE PATH,
SO I'M GOING TO BE WORKING WITH
THE CHAIR AND EVERYONE ELSE TO
GET US THERE.
I WANT TO THANK COUNCILLOR
EDWARDS FOR A FILING DEADLINE
AND I THINK THAT IDEA ALONG WITH
THE PRESIDENT'S IDEA OF HOUSE DO
WE PARS OUT THE WORKS OR HOW
DOES IT FIT INTO A SEPARATE
COMMITTEE ARE TWEAKS TO CONTINUE
TO ENHANCE THE COUNCIL'S
PARTNERSHIP WITH THE COMMUNITY.
THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH,
COUNCILLOR WU.
AT THIS TIME DOCKET 0174 WILL
REMAIN IN THE COMMITTEE ON
GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS.
>> DOCKET NUMBER 0382 ORDER FOR
A HEARING REGARDING THE PROPOSED
13 HOSPITAL MERGER OF CARE
GROUP, INC., PARENT COMPANY OF
DEACONESS MEDICAL CENTER AND
LAHEY HEALTH SYSTEM.
>> COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY.
THIS MATTER WAS SPONSORED BY
TIM McCARTHY AND CITY COUNCIL
PLANNED TO BRING TOGETHER THE
STAKEHOLDERS OF THE IMPACTED
GROUPS OF THIS PROPOSED MERGER.
IF APPROVED, THE MERGER WILL
CREATE A MARKET ON PAR WITH
HEALTHCARE AND INCREASE MARKET
LEVERAGE.
WE HELD A HEARING YESTERDAY,
EXTREMELY INFORMATIVE, ALTHOUGH
DISCLOSED WE HAVE NO LEGISLATIVE
OVERSIGHT ON THE MERGER AND THUS
NO FORMAL VOTE WILL BE TAKEN
HEREIN THE CITY COUNCIL BUT,
NONETHELESS, AS ELECTED
REPRESENTATIVES AND ALSO A LOT
OF OUR CONSTITUENTS THAT TAKE
ADVANTAGE OF THE GREAT MEDICAL
SERVICES THAT WE HAVE NOW AT
BETH ISRAEL DEACONESS, THIS IS A
13 GROUP HOSPITAL MERGER OF
CAREGROUP, INC.
IT'S A SITUATION WHERE FOLKS
HAVE EXPRESSED KERNS ANDAGESITE
ABOUT.
TO OUR KNOWLEDGE, TO OFFICIAL
DEAD LYNN AS TO WHEN THE MERGER
IS APPROVED.
THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE IS
PART OF THAT.
THEY OBSERVE THE ENTIRE PROCESS
FROM START TO FINISH IN THEIR
ONGOING DISCUSSIONS WITH THE
STATE HEALTH POLICY COMMISSION
AS WELL.
WHILE IT'S ONGOING, I'M
RECOMMENDING WE KEEP THE MATTER
IN COMMITTEE.
THIS FURTHER ACTION IS NEEDED AT
THIS TIME FOR THE CHAIR.
WOULD LIKE TO TURN IT OVER TO

THE TWO LEAGUE SPONSORS
COUNCILLORS McCARTHY AND FLYNN
FOR FURTHER COMMENTS.

>> COUNCILLOR McCARTHY.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH,
MADAM PRESIDENT.

I WANT TO THANK COUNCILLOR
FLAHERTY FOR CHAIRING THE
HEARING AND, OF COURSE, MY
CO-SPONSOR ON THIS MATTER
COUNCILLOR FLYNN.

SIMPLY PUT, THIS WAS AN
EDUCATIONAL-INFORMATIONAL
HEARING.

WE LEARNED FROM BOTH SIDES TO
HAVE THE MERGER, THE POS TUFFS
AND THE POSSIBLE NEGATIVES.
I URGED MY COLLEAGUES, AS YOU
COULDN'T MAKE THE HEARING, A LOT
OF YOU WERE THERE.

REVIEW THE TAPE.

IF YOU HAVE A QUESTION, CALL TO
THE A.G.

WE HAVE NO JURISDICTION HERE BUT
IT WAS GREAT TO HEAR EXACTLY
WHAT WAS GOING ON.

THERE WERE RUMORS IT COULD
POSSIBLY HURT OUR LOCAL HEALTH
CENTERS AS WELL AS CONSTITUENTS
WHO WERE MOST IN NEED, AND
THAT'S WHO WE WANTED TO TALK
ABOUT AT THE HEARING, AND WE
DID.

I URGE YOU TO TAKE A PEEK AT
THAT IF YOU WEREN'T THERE AND GO
FORTH WITH THAT AS YOU WILL.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR
MCCARTHY.

COUNCILLOR FLYNN, YOU HAVE THE
FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT,
COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY AND
COUNCILLOR MCCARTHY.

IT WAS A ROBUST HEARING.
THANK YOU TO THE COUNCILLORS WHO
ATTENDED.

WE DISCUSSED THE MERGER OF BETH
ISRAEL AND LAHEY HEALTH CENTER.

IT WAS INFORMATIVE.

IT WAS PRODUCTIVE AS WELL.

WHAT I LEARNED FROM THE HEARING
IS WHEN THERE ARE MERGERS LIKE
THIS, WE HAVE TO REMEMBER IT'S

ABOUT THE PATIENTS, IT'S ABOUT
THEIR HEALTHCARE, IT'S ABOUT
PEOPLE WITHOUT ACCESS TO
HEALTHCARE, IT'S ABOUT OUR
ELDERLY, THE DISABLED,
COMMUNITIES OF COLOR, MAKING
SURE HEALTHCARE WAS A RIGHT AND
EVERYBODY IS ENTITLED TO
HEALTHCARE, SO I JUST WANT TO
SAY THANK YOU TO ALL THE COUNCIL
FOR BEING THERE.

THANK YOU TO COUNCILLOR
FLAHERTY, THANK YOU TO
COUNCILLOR McCARTHY AS WELL.

>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH,
COUNCILLOR FLYNN.

DOCKET 0382 WILL REMAIN IN THE
COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT
OPERATIONS.

>> GOCT 0290, ORDER FOR HEARING
REGARDING THE OPPORTUNITIES AND
CHALLENGES FACING SMALL
BUSINESSES IN THE CITY OF
BOSTON.

>> COUNCILLOR JANIE, YOU HAVE
THE FLOOR.

>> I PURPOSES HELD A HEARING IN
THE EVENING AND IN THE
NEIGHBORHOOD COMMERCIAL DISTRICT
BECAUSE I REALLY WANTED SZ TO
ACCOMMODATE THE SCHEDULES OF
BUSINESS OWNERS IN THE AREA WHO
CAN'T ALWAYS MAKE THEIR WAY
DOWNTOWN DURING THE DAY.

I'M GRATEFUL TO ALL MY
COLLEAGUES FOR THEIR INTEREST
AND SUPPORT ON THE ISSUE OF
SMALL BUSINESS AND I WANTED TO
OFFER A SPECIAL THANKS TO
COUNCILLORS FLAHERTY WU AND
EDWARDS FOR ATTENDING THE
HEARING.

I KNOW THERE WERE MANY OTHERS
WHO EXPRESSED INTEREST IN
ATTENDING BUT OUR EVENING
SCHEDULES ARE VERY BUSY AND WE
HAVE A LOT OF COMPETITION FOR
OUR EVENING, SO I APPRECIATE
THOSE WHO OFFERED WELL WISHES
EVEN IF THEY COULD NOT BE THERE.
I ALSO WANT TO SAY THANK YOU TO
CENTRAL STAFF.

I KNOW IT'S NOT EASY HOLDING A
MEETING OFF-SITE.

I APPRECIATE THEIR FLEXIBILITY.
THE HEARING LASTED CLOSE TO
THREE HOURS.

WE HAD THREE PANELS INCLUDING
REPRESENTATION FROM INSPECTIONAL
SERVICES AND PEOPLE FROM THE
DIRECT OF BOSTON MAIN STREET AND
REPRESENTATION FROM THE OFFICE
OF SMALL BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT.
WE ALSO HEARD FROM BANKS AND
ACCELERATORS WHO CONNECT
BUSINESSES WITH FUNDING AND
TECHNICAL SUPPORT.

WE HAD DIRECTORS FROM FOUR
DIFFERENT LOCAL MAIN STREETS AND
WE HAD A PANEL OF ENTREPRENEURS
AND HEARD PUBLIC TESTIMONY.

SO AS CHAIR AND AS SPONSOR, I
REALLY WANT TO HOLD THE HEARING
IN THE EVENING AND OFF SITE, AS
I MENTIONED EARLIER, JUST SO
THAT MORE FOLKS COULD COME, AND
I WAS INTENTIONAL ABOUT THE
LOCATION OF THE BOLING BUILDING
AND DUDLEY SQUARE BECAUSE OF THE
HISTORY OF THAT BUILDING.

IT'S THE OLD FERDINAND BUILDING.
FOR THOSE WHO DON'T KNOW, IT WAS
A FURNITURE STORE AND IT WAS
REALLY A STAPLE IN THAT
COMMUNITY IN THE HAY DAY WHEN
DUDLEY WAS A COMMERCIAL DISTRICT
IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

IT WAS VACANT.

THERE WERE PROMISES.

FINALLY PROMISES WERE FULFILLED
AND THERE WAS HOPE THE NEW
BOLING BUILDING WOULD INJECT NEW
LIGHT AND REVITALIZE THE AREA.
BUT AS WE FOUND LAST NIGHT AND
FOR MANY WHO FREQUENT THAT AREA,
THERE IS STILL SO MUCH MORE WORK
THAT NEEDS TO BE DONE.

THE OVERARCHING THEME FROM THE
HEARING WAS ON EQUITY AND HOW
THE CITY CAN REALLY SUPPORT
ENTREPRENEURS WHO HAVE
HISTORICALLY BEEN LOCKED OUT OF
OPPORTUNITY, ESPECIALLY PEOPLE
OF COLOR, WOMEN AND THOSE FROM
IMMIGRANT COMMUNITIES.

WE ALSO HEARD THE IMPORTANCE OF
BEING INTENTIONAL ON WHAT AND
HOW WE MEASURE SUCCESS AND THAT

WE MONITOR IT CLOSELY.
WE HEARD SEVERAL CHALLENGES THAT
SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS FACE
INCLUDING ACCESS TO CAPITAL OR
LACK THEREOF, ESPECIALLY FOR
STARTUPS.

THE NEED FOR TECHNICAL
ASSISTANCE, RISING RENTS AND
DISPLACEMENT.

LACK OF PARKING FOR BUSINESS
OWNERS AND PATRONS, THE LIKE.

THE NEED FOR SUPPORT AND
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE FROM THE
CITY, PERMITTING FROM THE CITY,
WHAT IT COSTS IN TERMS OF TIME
AND MONEY, THE LACK OF LIQUOR
LICENSES, LEASE AGREEMENTS AND
HOW WE CAN BE CREATIVE TO HELP
SMALL BUSINESS, VACANT LOTS,
BLIGHT, TRASH PICKUP, LITTER,
LOITERING, THE HIGH COST OF
SIGNAGE AND THE COST OF DOING
BUSINESS IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.
SOME BUSINESS OWNERS EXPRESSED
BARRIERS IN TERMS OF NOT BEING
ABLE TO GET SUPPORT BECAUSE OF
LANGUAGE BARRIERS, SO MAKING
SURE WE ARE MUCH MORE INCREASE
NUFF WHO WE HIRE TO SUPPORT
FOLKS.

IN TERMS OF HIGH COST IN TERMS
OF OPERATING FOOD TRUCKS, THE
NEED FOR COLLECTIVE VISION AND
FINALLY JUST FOOT TRAFFIC AND
MAKING SURE WE HAVE THE
POPULATION AND DENSITY TO
SUPPORT BUSINESS IN.

ADDITION TO THE CHALLENGES,
THERE WERE MANY PROMISING IDEAS
AND OPPORTUNITIES PRESENTED,
AGAIN INCLUDING THE PIECE AROUND
MEASURING AND MONITORING, USING
THE EQUITY LENS, HAVING A CLEAR
CHECKLIST IN TERMS OF PERMITTING
NEEDS, COMMERCIAL SPACE, BEING
INNOVATIVE AROUND LEASE
AGREEMENTS, AND THE LIST GOES
ON.

SO I GUESS THE FINAL THING THAT
I WOULD SAY IS THAT THIS WAS THE
FIRST OF MANY.

IN PREPARATION FOR THE HEARING,
I SPOKE WITH BUSINESS OWNERS TO
SEE WHAT THEIR NEEDS ARE.

WE NEED TO CONTINUE THAT CONVERSATION.

I APPRECIATE ALL THE WORK FROM MY COLLEAGUES ON THIS ISSUE IN THE PAST AND THEIR WORK IN PARTNERSHIP WITH ME MOVING FORWARD, AND I WANT TO SAY THANK YOU TO ALL THE SMALL BUSINESS OWNERS WHO MAKE OUR NEIGHBORHOODS GREAT.

CERTAINLY ALL THOSE WHO ATTENDED THE HEARING LAST NIGHT, THERE IS SO MUCH MORE WORK THAT NEEDS TO BE DONE AND, SO, I RECOMMEND THAT THIS DAY IN COMMITTEE FOR FUTURE HEARINGS AND/OR WORKING SESSIONS.

THANK YOU SO MUCH.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR JANEY. DOCKET 0290 WILL REMAIN IN THE COMMITTEE ON SMALL BUSINESS AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS.

MOTIONS ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS.

>> DOCKET 0590, COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE OFFERED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION SUPPORTING AN ALCOHOL ADVERTISEMENT-FREE MASSACHUSETTS BAY TRANSIT AUTHORITY KNOWN AS MBTA.

>> COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE, YOU HAVE THE FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT. I FIRST WANT TO RECOGNIZE THAT APRIL IS ALCOHOL AWARENESS MONTH, SO THIS RESOLUTION IS NOT ONLY NECESSARY BUT TIMELY. ALCOHOL IS THE MOST COMMONLY USED ADDICTIVE STANCE IN THE UNITED STATES.

15.1 MILLION PEOPLE OVER THE AGE 18 HAVE HAD A DIAGNOSIS OF ALCOHOL USE DISORDER WHICH IS THE THIRD LEADING LIFESTYLE CAUSE OF DEATH IN THE UNITED STATES.

ACCORDING TO THE JOURNAL OF STUDIES ON ALCOHOL, BANNING ALCOHOL ADVERTISEMENT WOULD RESULT IN 7,609 FEWER DEATHS. ALTHOUGH MANY BELIEVE IT IS IMPERATIVE -- ALTHOUGH MANY BELIEVE IT, WE STILL HAVE A LOT OF WORK TO DO TO MAKE SURE THAT YOUTH EXPOSURE TO ALCOHOL

ADVERTISING IS ELIMINATED.
UNFORTUNATELY, THE MBTA'S FISCAL
MANAGEMENT AND CONTROL BOARD
RECENTLY VOTED TO REVERSE THE
BAN ON ALCOHOL ADVERTISING.
ALL OF US AS CITY COUNCILORS,
MYSELF AS CHAIR ON THE COMMITTEE
OF HOMELESSNESS HEALTH AND
RECOVERY, WORK EVERY DAY TOWARD
FINDING MORE RESOURCES AND
SERVICES TO HELP THOSE
EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS,
MENTAL HEALTH, ISSUES AND
SEEKING A LIFE OF RECOVERY.
WHILE ADVOCATING FOR MORE
EFFICIENT FUNDS AND MORE FUNDS
AND MORE EFFICIENCY IN THE WORK
THAT WE DO, WE ALSO WANT TO LOOK
FOR WAYS TO PREVENT ISSUES THAT
OUR RESIDENTS FACE, AND WE
CONTINUE TO WORK AS A CITY ON
THESE ISSUES.

THE BANNING OF ALCOHOL
ADVERTISEMENTS ON THE MBTA WILL
BE IMMENSELY EFFECTIVE AND
HELP DIMINISH POSITIVE ATTITUDES
IN PERCEPTIONS ABOUT ALCOHOL USE
IN YOUTH, REDUCE YOUTH DRINKING
AND CURTAIL THE NUMBER OF YOUTHS
WHO BECOME ADDICTED TO ALCOHOL.
I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE
ALLSTON-BRIGHTON SUBSTANCE ABUSE
TASK FORCE FOR THIS RESOLUTION
AND SUPPORT YOUR SUPPORT IN THIS
RESOLUTION FOR AN ALCOHOL
ADVERTISEMENT FREE MBTA.

I'M HAPPY TO OFFER THIS
RESOLUTION AND LOOK FORWARD TO
CREATING ADDITIONAL AND MORE
HEALTHY CHOICES AND
ADVERTISEMENT OF HEALTHY
LIFESTYLES FOR ALL THE YOUTH IN
BOSTON AND MASSACHUSETTS.
YOU WILL NOTE -- I'M SORRY, I
SHOULD HAVE SAID THIS FIRST --
THERE IS AN UPDATED SINGLE
TYPO IN THE RESOLUTION THAT WAS
IN YOUR PACKET BEING PLACED ON
YOUR DESK.

>> RULES, SUSPENSION.
I WOULD APPRECIATE SUSPENSION
OF THE RULES AND ADOPTION OF
THIS RESOLUTION.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR

ESSAIBI-GEORGE.

THOSE IN FAVOR SAY AYE.

AT THIS TIME ANYONE WISHING TO
ADD THEIR NAME TO THIS
RESOLUTION.

MADAM CLERK, IF YOU COULD ADD
COUNCILLOR BAKER, COUNCILLOR
CIOMMO, COUNCILLOR EDWARDS,
COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY, COUNCILLOR
FLYNN, COUNCILLOR JANEY,
COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY, COUNCILLOR
PRESSLEY, COUNCILLOR WU,
COUNCILLOR ZAKIM AS WELL AS THE
CHAIR.

AT THIS TIME COUNCILLOR
ESSAIBI-GEORGE SEEKS SUSPENSION
OF THE RULES AND ADOPTION OF
DOCKET 0590.

(VOTING)

THE AYES HAVE IT, DOCKET 0590
HAS BEEN ADOPTED.

>> DOCKET NUMBER 0591,
COUNCILLOR PRESSLEY OFFERED THE
FOLLOWING ORDER FOR A HEARING TO
DISCUSS AND ASSESS THE AMOUNT
AND QUALITY OF TREE COVERAGE IN
THE CITY OF BOSTON.

>> COUNCILLOR PRESS WILL YOU,
TOUGH FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.
FIRST, I JUST WANTED TO ADD MY
GOOD FRIEND AND COLLEAGUE
COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY, THE CHAIR
OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT,
TO THIS DOCKET.

WE'RE ALREADY PARTNERS IN
COMPOSTING SO I'M GLAD TO HAVE
HIS PARTNERSHIP ON THIS AS WELL.
ON MY VIEW, EVERY ISSUE IN THE
CITY THROUGH A LENS OF HEALTH
AND EQUITY AND IN THINKING ABOUT
CERTAINLY THE WAY THAT WE AS A
BODY AND CITY HAVE BEEN IMPROVED
STEWARDS WHEN IT COMES TO
PRACTICING SUSTAINABILITY IN
THINKING ABOUT RESILIENCE AND
MITIGATION MEASURES.

I DON'T WANT TO LOSE SIGHT OF
THIS NATURAL RESOURCE WHICH ARE
TREES.

WHILE THE CITY IS IN THE MIDST
OF THIS UNPRECEDENTED BUILDING
BOOM, WE ARE WELL AWARE WE ARE
LOSING GREEN SPACE.

IN FUTURE DEVELOPMENTS, WE CONTINUE TO HAVE DEBATES ABOUT PRESERVING EXISTING GREEN SPACE AND HOW DO WE GROW IT. THE TREES NEED AND MUST BE A PART OF THIS EQUATION, ESPECIALLY MATURE TREES. BECAUSE OF THE DEVELOPMENT THAT WE ARE EXPERIENCING, AND BECAUSE OF CLIMATE CHANGE EITHER BECAUSE OF DROUGHT OR DEVELOPMENT, WE ARE LOSING TREES, AND THESE TREES ARE CRITICAL TO THE ECOLOGICAL AND OVERALL HEALTH OF OUR COMMUNITY. JUST SOME OF THE THINGS FOR FOLKS WHO MIGHT NOT BE AWARE IN CONSIDERING THE ROLE TREES DO PLAY, ESPECIALLY MATURE TREES, REDUCING STORM WATER RUNOFF BUT INTERCEPTING RAINWATER IN THEIR CANOPIES. IN SOME INSTANCES, WE HAVE TREES CLOSE TO DEVELOPMENT AND INCREASE PROPERTY VALUES IN SOME CASES UP TO 20%. IN TERMS OF THE HEALTH BENEFITS, REDUCING RATES OF ASTHMA AND OTHER RESPIRATORY ELEMENTS. WE KNOW AT THE TREES LIKE ALL GREEN SPACE HAVE BEEN PROVEN TO REDUCE ANXIETY, DEPRESSION, EVEN TO LOWER CRIME. WHEN YOU HAVE A MORE LANDSCAPED ENVIRONMENT. AND, SO, THE REASON WHY I WANTED TO PUT THIS HEARING ORDER FORWARDED SO THAT WE COULD BE INTENTIONAL AND THOUGHTFUL AS WE ARE LOOKING FOR TOOLS AROUND RESILIENCE AND MITIGATION, THAT WE ASSESS, THAT WE DO A MAPPING OF WHERE ARE OUR TREES, WHERE ARE OUR MATURE TREES, AND THAT WE CONSIDER IN TERMS OF FUTURE PLANNING WHERE WE NEED TO PLANT, AND SHOULD WE CONSIDER ESPECIALLY WHEN WE'RE LOOKING AT EAST BOSTON A TREE PLANTING EFFORT THERE FOR NEIGHBORHOODS LIKE EAST BOSTON AND THE SEAPORT THAT ARE MORE VULNERABLE, DO WE NEED TO LOOK AT GREATER DENSITY OF PLANTING OF TREES IN THOSE

NEIGHBORHOODS.

AGAIN, ULTIMATELY, THE ISSUE BOILS DOWN TO ONE OF HEALTH AND EQUITY, AND I THINK WE SHOULD BE ENSURING THAT EVERY NEIGHBORHOOD HAS AN EQUITY AND OPPORTUNITY TO BUILD UP THEIR RESOURCES.

AND -- RESILIENCE.

I DON'T WANT US TO LOSE TREES AS A PART OF THIS.

IN OTHER CITIES THEY HAVE FORMED TASK FORCES TO KEEP THE CITY AND RESIDENTS ACCOUNTABLE.

SPECIFICALLY WHERE THIS IS CONCERNED, I DON'T KNOW THAT WE'RE THERE YET, BUT I LOOK FORWARD TO HEARING FROM THE CITY AND ALL RELEVANT DEPARTMENTS AND AGENCIES TO BETTER UNDERSTAND THE STATE OF OUR MATURE TREES IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

AGAIN, I THANK YOU FOR YOUR PARTNERSHIP.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR PRESSLEY.

COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY, YOU HAVE THE FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT, I AM TREMENDOUSLY GRATEFUL TO LOOK WITH MY GOOD COLLEAGUE AND FRIEND FROM DORCHESTER ON THIS ISSUE AND IT DOVETAILS WITH THE WORK DONE ON GAS LEAKS A COUPLE OF YEARS AGO WHICH SOUGHT TO CLARIFY TREES ARE REAL PROPERTY DESTROYED TO THE TUNES OF HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS IF NOT MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

THE FACT IS BOSTON HAS A REPUTATION OF BEING A GREEN CITY IN TERMS OF CANOPY.

WE HAVE PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS AND MORE COVERAGE THAN MOST URBAN CITIES, BUT THE FACT OF THE MATTER IS WE DON'T HAVE ANY CLEAR UNDERSTANDING OF JUST HOW MANY TREES AND WHAT THE CANOPY COVERAGE IS.

THERE WAS A STUDY DONE IN 2004 WHICH PEGGED THAT NUMBER AT ABOUT 28% CANOPY COVERAGE, WHICH IS REMARKABLE IF THAT WAS THE CASE.

I WOULD SUBMIT TO YOU THAT THAT

IS A BOOED TOO ROSY A STATISTIC
THAN WHAT OTHER INDEPENDENT
AUDITS HAVE SHOWN INCLUDING ONE
AT M.I.T. WHICH IS CALLED THE
SENSITIVE CITY LAB THAT STUDY
TEN GLOBAL CITIES AND USED
INFORMATION FROM GOOGLE STREET
FOR YOU TO CREATE AN INDEX.
18.2%, AGAIN, A PRETTY GOOD
AVERAGE NUMBER.

AMSTERDAM HIGHER, FRANKFORT,
CAMBRIDGE ACROSS THE RIVER
HIRING, GENEVA, 21%,
JOHANNESBURG, 23%, LONDON 12%.
SO WE'RE SORT OF MIDDLE OF THE
PACK AND WE HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY
TO BE A LOT BETTER.

IN THE MIDST OF THIS BUILDING
BOOM AS COUNCILLOR PRESSLEY
NOTED, WE ARE SEEING MATURE
TREES BEING REMOVED AND NOT
REPLACED.

SOMETIMES THEY, ARE SO I KNOW
ALL MY DISTRICT COLLEAGUES,
PARTICULARLY WHEN WE HAVE GNAW
DEVELOPMENT THAT'S AN ASK WE
MAKE, AND IT TAKES DECADES FOR A
YOUNG TREE TO REAP THE BENEFITS
A MATURE TREE COULD OFFER.

MATURE TREES PROVIDE HEALTH AND
BENEFITS, REDUCE RUNOFF, RESTORE
CARBON EMISSIONS, PROVIDE SHADE
WHICH THEN DECREASES COST TO
RESIDENTS, AND THEY INCREASE
PROPERTY VALUES.

THE BENEFITS ARE IMMEASURABLE,
AND THERE'S A REAL OPPORTUNITY
FOR US NOT ONLY TO SEE EXACTLY
WHAT WE HAVE BUT COME UP WITH
PATHWAYS THAT WE CAN INCREASE
THAT.

THIS IS A REALLY EXCITING,
INNOVATIVE ORDER.

THIS IS SOMETHING THAT IF WE DO
THIS RIGHT IT WILL BENEFIT THE
CITY FOR CENTURIES TO COME.

SO I WILL THANK AGAIN MY DEAR
COLLEAGUE FOR HER LEADERSHIP IN
THIS AND GREAT PARTNERSHIP AND I
WILL CLOSE BY PARAPHRASING ONE
OF MY FAVORITE POETS JOYCE
KILMER WHO, IN THIS CASE, WOULD
SAY LEGISLATION IS MADE BY FOOLS
LIKE WE BUT ONLY GOD CAN MAKE A

TREE.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR

O'MALLEY.

COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY YOU HAVE THE FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.

PLEASE ADD MY NAME.

I HAPPEN TO SUBSCRIBE TO IF A TREE COMES DOWN, TWO SHOULD GO UP IN ITS PLACE.

I'M NOT A TREE HUGGER BY ANY STRETCH OF THE IMAGINATION.

(LAUGHTER)

I WILL COMMENT MAYBE ON THE MATURE TREE AND UNDERSTANDING ITS HISTORICAL SIGNIFICANCE AND ADDED VALUE IN SOME INSTANCES, BUT WE'VE ALL RECEIVED THE PHONE CALLS, THE MATURE TREES DO CREATE PROBLEMS, PENETRATING FOUNDATIONS, UNDERMINING PEOPLE'S HOMES, CREATING PUBLIC SAFETY HAZARDS, PARTICULARLY THE WAY THEY UPROOT THE SIDEWALKS, PARTICULARLY FOR SENIORS WHO HAVE LIMITED MOBILITY -- LIMITED MOBILITY.

THEY DO CAUSE THEIR SHARE OF PROBLEMS.

I WANT THROUGH THE CHAIR TO THE MAKER ADD THE PARKS DEPARTMENT AND THE CITY'S ARBORIST BECAUSE IT'S A MYSTERY TO ME TO TRY TO GET TREES PRUNED AND PLANTED TO DEAL WITH MATURE TREE ISSUES. YEAH.

I GUESS SOMETIMES IT BECOMES MORE THAN A MYSTERY.

HAVING THE CITY'S ARBORIST COME IN AND SAY WHAT'S THE POLICY, THE CRITERIA AND MAKING SURE THERE IS UNIFORMITY THERE.

WE NEED TO PLANT FOR TREES IF THE CITY AND WHEN A TREE COMES DOWN, I WOULD LOVE TO SEE TWO COME BACK IN ITS PLACE.

WE DO HAVE OUR FAIR SHARE OF ISSUES, BUT HAVING THE APPROPRIATE PARTY, IF WE COULD INCLUDE THROUGH THE CHAIR TO THE MAKER THE PARKS DEPARTMENT BUT BE VERY SPECIFIC, WE WANT THE CITY'S ARBORIST, AND/OR

ARBORIST, I DON'T KNOW HOW MANY WE HAVE, I DON'T ENOUGH I CAN TELL YOU THAT MUCH, BUT I KNOW WE'VE ALL STRUGGLED WITH THE ISSUE AROUND TREE PRUNING AND PLANTING AND MATURE TREES CAUSING ISSUES.

IT'S LIKE THE THREE STOOGES, YOU CALL OVER THERE AND YOU GET THE WHOOP, WHOOP, WHOOP, WHOOP.

WE NEED AN ANSWER, A TREE IS PERMEATING SOMEBODY'S BASEMENT OR UNDERMINING THEIR HOME, HOW DO WE ADDRESS IT.

WHEN YOU START TO ADDRESS IT, PEOPLE COME OUT OF THE WOODWORK NOT WANTING TO TOUCH THE TREE. SO I WOULD LIKE TO HAVE A CLEARLY DEFINED RULE OF THE ROAD FROM THE CITY'S ARBORIST AS WE ADDRESS THE CRITICAL ISSUE THAT I WOULD LIKE TO ADD MY NAME TO. THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY.

MADAM CLERK, COULD YOU ADD COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY'S NAME AND ADD CITY ARBORIST TO THE HEARING ORDER WHICH I'M SURE YOU WOULD BE HAPPY TO DO.

IN ADDITION TO ADDING COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY, CAN WE ADD COUNCILLOR BAKER, COUNCILLOR CIOMMO, COUNCILLOR EDWARDS, COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE, COUNCILLOR FLYNN, COUNCILLOR JANEY, COUNCILLOR WU, COUNCILLOR ZAKIM AS WELL AS THE CHAIR.

DOCKET 0591 WILL BE ASSIGNED TO COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT, SUSTAINABILITY AND PARKS.

>> DOCKET 0592, COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE OFFERED THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE EFFORTS OF CHARTER SCHOOL EDUCATORS AND STAFF TO EXERCISE THEIR RIGHT TO COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AND THE FORMATION OF UNIONS.

>> COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE, TOUGH FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CHAIR.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK ALL THE TEACHERS OF COMMONWEALTH AND

CERTAINLY OF BOSTON WHETHER PUBLIC, RELIGIOUS, CHARTER, PRIVATE OR, FOR THAT MATTER, HOME SCHOOL, FOR ALL THEIR WORK AND FOR WHAT THEY DO TO ENSURE THAT OUR CHILDREN RECEIVE THE BEST EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE IN OUR SCHOOLS.

EARLIER THIS YEAR, TWO TEACHERS FROM SITTING ON A HILL CHARTER SCHOOL MADE A DECISION TO JOIN THE BOSTON TEACHERS UNION AND IN DOING SO THE NUMBER OF CHARTER SCHOOL TEACHERS GOING TO THE B.T.U. HAVE INCREASED.

ALL TEACHERS HAVE A RIGHT TO FORM A UNION TO DISCUSS WHAT'S BEST FOR THEIR STUDENTS AND SCHOOLS, TO ADVOCATE FOR THEMSELVES AND CREATE A NETWORK FOR THEIR OWN, AS WELL AS TO ADVOCATE FOR SAFE AND PRODUCT YOU'VE WORK ENVIRONMENTS.

A UNION GIVES THE AGENCY AN EFFORT TO TAKE A LEADERSHIP ROLE AND ENSURE RETENTION AND BETTER PAY AND BETTER TRANSPARENT BUDGET PROCESS.

I HOPE ANY COLLEAGUES WILL SUPPORT THIS EFFORT.

I WOULD LIKE TO THANK THE BOSTON TEACHERS UNION FOR THEIR WORK AND WELCOMING OUR STATE CHARTER SCHOOL TEACHERS INTO THEIR UNION.

I ASK FOR SUSPENSION AND ADOPTION OF THIS RESOLUTION.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR
ESSAIBI-GEORGE.

COUNCILLOR ZAKIM, YOU HAVE THE FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT, I WANT TO THANK COUNCILLOR
ESSAIBI-GEORGE FOR LETTING MY NAME BE ADDED AND I THINK IT'S IMPORTANT WHETHER TALKING ABOUT TEACHERS, EDUCATORS, WORKERS IN THE PRIVATE SECTOR OR OTHER CITY DEPARTMENTS, THE RIGHT TO ORGANIZE TO, COLLECTIVELY BARGAIN IS INCREDIBLY IMPORTANT BOTH ON WORKPLACE CONDITIONS AND HOW PEOPLE ARE TREATED IN THE

WORKPLACE.

ALSO WHEN WE'RE TALKING ABOUT ADDRESSING ISSUES OF INEQUALITY AND ACCESS ACROSS THE COUNTRY NOW, I THINK IT'S INCREDIBLY IMPORTANT WE SUPPORT THESE EFFORTS.

THIS BODY HAS A GREAT RECORD OF SUPPORTING EFFORTS OF FOLKS IN THE PRIVATE AND PUBLIC SECTOR AND I'M EXCITED TO SEE ORGANIZING EFFORTS ARE TAKING PLACE NOW AND BEING SUCCESSFUL IN OUR CHARTER SCHOOL.

I ASK MY NAME BE ADDED AND SUPPORTING ENTHUSIASTICALLY THIS RESOLUTION.

>> I RISE TO COMMEND THE MAKE, MU GOOD FRIEND THE OTHER-AT-LARGE COUNCILLOR FROM DOOR CHEST AROUND ASK MY NAME BE ADDED AS WELL.

OBVIOUSLY, SOME OF MY CRITICISM AS IT RELATES TO CHARTER SCHOOL STEMS FROM THE FACT THAT MANY TEACHERS DON'T HAVE THE SAME OPTION TO COLLECTIVELY BARGAIN AND ORGANIZE, SO YOU THINK THIS IS A STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION.

I THINK IT BEARS NOTING THAT ALL OF US BEGAN THE DAY AT MAYOR WALSH'S BREAKFAST AND HE UNDERSCORED THE FACT THAT THE FUNDING REIMBURSEMENT FOR CHARTERS FOR BOURBON DISTRICTS IS SO DEEPLY FLAWED WE'RE ON THE PRECIPICE OF INVESTIGATE PAY MORE, WE'RE LOSING MONEY CONTINUOUSLY, AND I THINK IT WOULD BE GREAT FOR TEACH TORSE UNIONIZE BUT IT UNDERSCORES THE WORK WE NEED TO DO WITH THE STATE DELEGATION TO FIX THAT BECAUSE IT'S ONLY GOING TO EXACERBATE THE PROBLEM WE'VE SEEN IN THE LAST FEW BUDGET CYCLES.

>> COUNCILLOR JANEY.

THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT. ECHO WHAT HE SAID, COMMEND THEMAKER FOR BRINGING THIS FORWARD.

THE ABILITY TO ORGANIZE, FIGHT

FOR CHILDREN, OBVIOUSLY FIGHT FOR WORKING CONCUSSIONS IS SO VERY IMPORTANT.

I THINK THIS COULD HELP IN ENSURING THAT WE SEE LESS TURNOVER IN SOME OF OUR CHARTER SCHOOLS AND CERTAINLY AROUND PAY.

WE KNOW THAT THERE ARE HUGE DISPARITIES IN TERMS OF WHAT BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS TEACHERS MAKE WHEN THEY ARE A PART OF THE UNION AND THAT MANY OF THE OTHER TEACHERS IN MANY OF THE OTHER PLACES DON'T DO THAT.

>> COUNCILLOR JANEY, ADD YOUR NAME?

>> YES.

MADAM CLERK, ADD COUNCILLOR JAMIE, ZAKIM, O'MALLEY, BAKER, CIOMMO, EDWARDS, FLAHERTY, FLYNN, PRESSLEY, WU AS WELL AS THE CHAIR.

COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE SEEKS SUSPENSION OF RULES AND ADOPTION OF DOCKET 0592.

(VOTING)

THE AYES HAVE IT.

DOCKET 0592 HAVE BEEN ADOPTED.

PERSONNEL ORDERS.

>> DOCKET 0593, COUNCILLOR CAMPBELL FOR COUNCILLOR CIOMMO.

>> COUNCILLOR CIOMMO SEEKS SUSPENSION OF THE RULES AND PASSAGE OF DOCKET 0593, ALL THOSE IN FAVOR SAY AYE.

ANY OPPOSED NAY.

THE AYES HAVE IT.

0593 PASST.

>> 0594, COUNCILLOR CAMPBELL FOR COUNCILLOR CIOMMO.

>> COUNCILLOR CIOMMO SEEKS SUSPENSION OF THE RULES AND PANELS OF DOCKET 0594.

(VOTING)

THE AYES HAVE IT, DOCKET 0594 HAS BEEN PASSED.

AT THIS TIME I AM INFORMED BY THE CLERK WE HAVE THREE LATE FILE MATTERS WHICH, IN THE ABSENCE OF OBJECTION, WILL BE ADDED TO TODAY'S AGENDA.

HEARING AND SEEING NO OBJECTION, THE THREE LATE FILE MATTERS ARE

ADDED TO THE AGENDA.

MADAM CLERK, IF YOU COULD READ
THE FIRST LATE FILE MATTER.

>> COUNCILLOR CAMPBELL APRIL 29,
2018, ORDERED EFFECTIVE SATURDAY
MARCH 31, 2018, THE FOLLOWING
PERSONS --

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.
THE CHAIR AT THIS TIME MOVES FOR
A SUSPENSION OF THE RULES AND
PASSAGE OF THE FIRST LATE FILE
MATTER.

(VOTING)

THE AYES HAVE IT.
THE FIRST LATE FILE MATTER HAS
BEEN PASSED.

MADAM CLERK, IF YOU COULD READ
THE SECOND LATE FILE MATTER.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.
IN CITY COUNCIL, ORDER OF
COUNCIL LYDIA EDWARDS HAS REAL
ESTATE ISSUES IN THE
METROPOLITAN BOSTON AREA.
BE IT ORDERED BOSTON COMMUNITY
ON HOUSING AND COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT HOLDS MEETINGS AND
ENGAGES IN CONVERSATIONS
REGARDING HOUSING AND REAL
ESTATE ISSUES FACING THE
METROPOLITAN BOSTON AREA
TOGETHER WITH LOCAL OFFICIALS
AND OTHER RELEVANT PARTIES FROM
THE BOSTON CAMBRIDGE FILED 2018.

>> SECOND LATE FILE MATTER IS
PRETTY SELF-EXPLAN FORE.
REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON
HOUSING COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT.
MADAM CLERK IF YOU COULD READ
THE THIRD LATE FILE MATTER.
>> OFFERED BY COUNCILLOR MICHAEL
FLAHERTY AND COUNCILLOR ED
FLYNN.

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF HEALTH
BUDGET AMENDMENT REGARDING
CONCURRENT POLICE AUTHORITY FOR
MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY
PROPERTIES FOLLOWED BY
REPRESENTATIVE NICK COLLINS,
WHEREAS PER TAUT STATUTE THE
BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT DOES
NOT HAVE COB CURRENT POLICE
JURISDICTION ON MASS PORT
PROPERTIES WHICH COVERS MUCH OF
THE SOUTH BOSTON WATERFRONT,

SECTIONS OF EAST BOSTON AND
OTHER AREAS OF THE CITY.
THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT
THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL WILL GO
ON RECORD IN SUPPORT OF HOUSE
BUDGET AMENDMENT REGARDING
CONCURRENT POLICE AUTHORITY TO
MASSACHUSETTS PORT AUTHORITY
PROPERTIES TO ENSURE EQUAL
POLICE SERVICES ARE MADE
AVAILABLE TO ALL AREAS OF
BOSTON.

FILED IN COUNCIL APRIL 11, 2018.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.

COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY, DO YOU HAVE
THE FLOOR?

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.

POLICIES FOR THE LAIFL.

THIS IS AN ONGOING ISSUE,
STARTED BACK WHEN JIM KELLY
STARTED THIS YEARS AGO AS THE
SOUTH BOSTON WATERFRONT STARTED
TO INCREASE ACTIVITY.

WE SEE IT IN EAST BOSTON AS
WELL.

THE STATE HOUSE BUDGET AND OUR
COLLEAGUE HAS FILED AN AMENDMENT
ON MASSPORT PROPERTIES EXCLUDING
LOGAN AIRPORT AND MASSPORT
PROPERTIES DEDICATED SOLELY FOR
AVIATION.

LET ME COMMEND THE MEN AND WOMEN
OF STATE POLICE DEPARTMENT,
THOSE WHO PATROL IN BOSTON,
LOGAN AND MASS PORT PROPERTIES
AND H UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF
FRANK MCGINN AND MAJOR RICKY
BALL.

WE KNOW THEY'RE DOING OUR ROADS,
PARKS, BEACHES.

WE'RE LOOKING TO ENCOUNTER
JURISDICTION MUCH LIKE WHAT WE
HAVE WITH THE MBTA ON PROPERTIES
IN AND AROUND THE SOUTH BOSTON
WATERFRONT AND IN EAST BOSTON,
FOR EXAMPLE PIERCE PARK IN EAST
BOSTON AND, YOU KNOW, THE
WATERFRONT AREAS DOWN OFF OF
NORTHERN AVENUE.

SO WE WERE CLOSE TO AN
AGREEMENT.

THEY ACTUALLY HAD A MEMORANDUM
OF UNDERSTANDING THAT WAS CLOSE
TO BEING DONE.

AT THE 11th HOUR, FORMER MAYOR TOM MENINO PULLED DATA BACK FROM THE TABLE TO IRON OUT OTHER ISSUES AND THEY NEVER GOT BACK TO THE TABLE.

COMMISSIONER EDWARDS HAS BEEN WORKING HARD WITH THE MAYOR AND DISCUSSIONS ARE GOING WITH THE GOVERNOR AND NEW COLONEL TO TRY TO RESOLVE THE ISSUE ONCE AND FOR ALL.

BOSTON POLICE AND RESIDENTS, TAXPAYERS, VISITORS DESERVE WHEN THEY CALL 911 TO HAVE THE BENEFIT OF BOTH EITHER THE STATE POLICE, IF THEY HAPPEN TO BE THERE ON SITE, OR THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT RESPONDING TO THE CALLS.

ON BEHALF BOTH COUNCILLOR FLYNN AND I SUPPORT THE EFFORTS OF REPRESENTATIVE NICK COLLINS TO ADD LANGUAGE THAT WOULD GIVE STATES SOLE RESPONSIBILITY AND AUTHORITY OVER THE AIRPORT, OVER ALL LOGAN INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AND WES AS ALL THE AIRPORT OPERATION THAT WOULD GIVE THE BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT CONCURRENT POLICE JURISDICTION ON ALL THEIR OTHER LOCAL PROPERTIES IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY.

COUNCILLOR FLYNN, YOU HAVE THE FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT. THANK YOU COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY FOR YOUR LEADERSHIP ON THIS. WE ALSO WANT TO SAY THANK YOU TO THE MAYOR AND POLICE COMMISSIONER EVANS AND REPRESENTATIVE NICK COLLINS AS WELL.

AS MICHAEL FLAHERTY MENTIONED, WE HAVE THE GREATEST RESPECT AND ADMIRATION FOR STATE POLICE AND MASS PORT POLICE DEPARTMENTS. THE DISTRICT OF CITY COUNCIL REPRESENTING THIS NEIGHBORHOOD, I HAVE HEARD FROM NEIGHBORS IN THEIR NEED FOR A STRONGER POLICE

PRESENCE IN THE WATERFRONT.
SO MUCH DEVELOPMENT THAT IS
GOING ON, MANY BARS,
RESTAURANTS, LICENSES, AND WHEN
A PUBLIC SAFETY ISSUE ARISES, WE
DO NEED OUR BOSTON POLICE ON THE
TEAM.

RESIDENTS OF THE SEAPORT, BOSTON
WATERFRONT, WORK HARD AND PAY
TAXES AND ARE PART OF OUR
COMMUNITY AND CITY.

I ASK CITY COUNCIL CONSIDER THIS
MATTER TO MAKE SURE OUR
RESIDENTS IN THE WATERFRONT AREA
RECEIVE THE SAME PROTECTION AS
ANY PART OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD
ACROSS THE CITY.

THANK YOU.

I MOVE FOR THE SUSPENSION AND
ADOPTION.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR FLYNN.
COUNCILLOR EDWARDS, YOU HAVE THE
FLOOR.

>> SUSPENSION AND ADOPTION IN
SUPPORT OF MY COLLEAGUES'
WONDERFUL RESOLUTION OF WHAT I
THINK IS AN ONGOING CONVERSATION
WE'VE HAD MANY TIMES IN EAST
BOSTON WITH REGARDS TO PIERCE
PARK BUTñr ALSO A PROPERTY IN
BOSTON, A GOOD CHUNK OF GOT IS
OWNED BY MASS PORT WHERE THEY
HAVE LEASES ON THE LAND.
WE FOUND A TUG OF WAR, WHEN A
PERSON NEEDS HELP, THEY DON'T
REALLY CARE WHO RESPONDS, BUT
DUE TO THE JURISDICTIONAL
FOOTBALLING OF HOW TO RESPOND,
WE HAVE A PERSON WAITING LONGER
THAN THEY NEED TO FOR HELP.
THAT'S SOMETHING WE ARE ALL
IMPACTED BY.

I THINK SPEAK TO HAVING TO SHARE
RESOURCES IN MASS PORT.

IN EAST BOSTON WE HAD THE
LONGEST WAIT TIMES IN THE CITY
BECAUSE WE SHARED WITH MASS
PORT.

NOT TO SAY ANYTHING ABOUT THE
FOLKS WHO ARE HARD WORKING FIRST
RESPONDERS, POLICE OFFICERS
DOING THEIR JOB.

BUT IT IS DUE TO THE
JURISDICTIONAL TUG OF WAR WE

ENDED UP HAVING TO SHARE THIS RESOURCE.

THANK GOODNESS CITY OF BOSTON ROSE TO THE OCCASION.

WE HAVE INCREASE IN HOURS AND ARE GETTING AT LEAST A TEMPORARY FIX AND ULTIMATELY A PERMANENT FIX BY GETTING A SECOND AMBULANCE.

IN THIS FIX WE NEED TO THINK OF THE CITY OF BOSTON HOW WE'RE GOING TO SUPPORT THE JURISDICTION.

WE NOTED IN THE PUBLIC WE'RE GETTING 30 NEW RECRUITS IN OUR POLICE OFFICE AND WE'RE GRADUATING 20 NEW CADETS.

IN ANY EVENT, WE'LL HAVE TO FIGURE OUT HOW THAT PERSON WILL BE PART OF OR WORKING WITH MASS PORT.

I KNOW WE CAN ARISE TO THAT OCCASION.

SO I SUPPORT THE MAKERS, THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR THIS, AND SUPPORTING OUR COLLEAGUE AT THE STATE HOUSE, STATE REPRESENTATIVE NICK COLLINS.

(LAUGHTER)

REPRESENTATIVE NICK COLLINS AND HIS LEADERSHIP.

I WOULD LIKE TO ADD MY NAME, PLEASE.

>> AND THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR EDWARDS, MADAM CLERK, IF YOU COULD ADD COUNCILLOR EDWARDS NAME AND AT THIS TIME COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY.

>> ONE COMMENT, COUNCILLOR EDWARDS.

JUST TO UNDERSCORE, IT COULD BE AS TRIVIAL AS BICKERING OR IT COULD BE A SITUATION WHERE THERE IS A GENT BEEN THAT WAS SHOT RIGHT ACROSS THE STREET FROM MY HOUSE AND, AS HE WAS LAYING ON THE GROUND, E.M.T.s WERE PERFORMING LIFE SAVING MEASURES, THERE WAS A FULL SCALE ARGUMENT OVER BOSTON AND STATE JURISDICTION, GROWN ADULTS ARGUING OVER WHO GOT THE CALL AND WHERE THE CALL CAME FROM. SO IT GOES FROM TRIVIAL TO LIFE

SAFETY MEASURES AND A DOMESTIC CALL COMING IN WHERE THERE WAS A RESPONSE THAT TOOK OVER 18 MINUTES FOR SOMEONE TO GET TO BECAUSE OF POSTURING.

IT'S A SIGNIFICANT AND SERIOUS ENOUGH ISSUE THAT'S BEEN GOING ON TOO LONG.

OUR HOPE IS WE CAN SUSPEND AND ADOPT.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE HOPEFULLY SOON TO BE NICK COLLINS WILL HAVE THE RESOURCES TO GET THIS THING PASSED.

I KNOW THE MAYOR AND GOVERNOR ARE IN DISCUSSIONS.

IT JUST MAKES SENSE, IT'S REASONABLE, PRACTICAL AND LET'S PUT THE JUVENILE BEHAVIOR BEHIND AND PUT WHAT'S IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE RESIDENTS AND TAXPAYERS.

THAT IS WHEN CALLS COME IN, GOES THE REGULAR ROUTE, AND STARS THE ROADS, THEY CAN HAVE THEM, AS FAR AS I'M CONCERNED, STATE AND MASS PORT POLICE, THEY DO A GOOD JOB, WE JUST WANT THE 911 CALLS. THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY.

MADAM CLERK, IN ADDITION TO ADDING COUNCILLOR EDWARDS NAME CAN YOU ALSO ADD COUNCILLOR BAKER, CIOMMO, ESSAIBI-GEORGE, JANEY, O'MALLEY, PRESSLEY, WU, ZAKIM AS WELL AS THE CHAIR.

I, TOO, WANT TO THANK THE MAKERS FOR THIS AND COMMISSIONER EDWARDS.

THIS HAS BEEN A DISCUSSION FOR SOME TIME.

FLAHERTY SEEKS SUSPENSION OF RULES AND ADOPTION IN THE THIRD LATE FILE MATTER.

VOTED, THE THIRTY LATE FILE MATTER THAT BE HAAS.

I HAVE TO MAKE A QUICK RECESS. (RECESS)

>> COUNCIL IS BACK IN SESSION. AT THIS TIME MOVING ON TO THE GREEN SHEETS.

ANYBODY WISHING TO REMOVE A

MATTER FROM THE GREEN SHEETS MAY DO SO AT THIS TIME.
COUNCILLOR PRESSLEY, YOU HAVE THE FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM PRESIDENT.
I WOULD LIKE TO PULL DOCTOR NYUM 0134 FROM PAGE 4.

>> ON THE COMMUNITY OF HEALTHY WOMEN FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES DOCKET NUMBER 0134 SPONSORED BY THE MAYOR, MESSAGE TO ACCEPT AND EXTENT AN AND OF 1 MT. \$800,000 IN THE FORM OF A TITLE 3C NUTRITION PROGRAM FOR FY'2018. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES PASSED THE MASS EXECUTIVE OFFICE TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE ELDERLY COMMISSION.

THIS GRANT WILL FUND HOME-DELIVERED MEALS TO SENIORS OF BOSTON.

IT WAS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JANUARY 24th, 2018.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.
CAN YOU POLL THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTHY WOMEN FAMILIES AND COMMUNITIES TO BRING THE DOCKET BEFORE THE COUNCIL?

THANK YOU.

>> COUNCILLOR PRESSLEY.

, YES.

COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE, YES.

COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY, YES.

COUNCILLOR WU, YES.

COUNCILLOR ZAKIM, YES.

THERE IS A UNANIMOUS VOTE OF THE COMMITTEE ON HEALTHY WOMEN FAMILY AND COMMUNITY ON DOCKET NUMBER 0134.

>> NOW PROPERLY BEFORE THE COUNCIL.

COUNCILLOR PRESSLEY.

TOUGH FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU MADAM PRESIDENT AND MADAM CLERK.

I HAD HOPED TO BE ABLE TO HOLD A HEARING ON THIS GRANT AS AN OPPORTUNITY TO HIGH LIGHT THE AMAZING WORK OF OUR COMMISSION, BUT RAN OUT OF TIME.

THE CLOCK IS TICKING AND THIS GRANT IS VERY IMPORTANT, AGAIN THE GRANT WE PREVIOUSLY APPROVED

AS A COULDN'T.
THE COMMISSION OF STATE AND
EARLY THROUGH FEDERAL FUNDS
RECEIVED THROUGH THE
MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE
OF ELDER AFFAIRS DELIVERS SOCIAL
OMBUDSMAN HEALTHCARE AND
NUTRITION RECEIVABLES TO BOSTON
SENIORS.

THE NUTRITION SERVICES PROGRAM
WHICH INVOLVES NUTRITION
SERVICES AND THE STATE ELDER
LUNCH -- BEAR WITH ME -- AGAIN
SAYS ABOUT 470,000 TRADITIONAL
AND ETHNIC MEALS TO ABOUT 1200
BOSTON SENIORS PROVIDING THREE
REGIONS THROUGH THESE VENDORS
WHO WE ALL WORK CLOSELY WITH,
ETHOS, THE GREATER BOSTON
CHINESE GOLDEN AGE AND KICK
CLARK SENIOR SERVICES, AT THEIR
HOME 47 CONJUGATE MEAL SITES.
IN ADDITION TO SERVING MEALS,
THE NUTRITION PROGRAM PROVIDES
NUTRITION EDUCATION, ASSESSMENT,
WELLNESS AND COUNSELING.

IN FY'2018, THE COMMISSIONER
RECEIVED \$2.1 MILLION INCLUDING
\$1.4 MILLION FOR TITLE C,
1.3 MILLION FOR STATE ELDER
LUNCH AND 0.4 MILLION FOR THE
NUTRITION SERVICES INCENTIVE
PROGRAM.

AGAIN, I MOVE TO SUSPEND AND
PASS.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR
PRESSLEY.

AT THIS TIME, COUNCILLOR
PRESSLEY MOVES TORE SUSPENSION
OF THE RULES AND PASSAGE OF
DOCKET 0134.

(VOTING)

THE AYES HAVE IT.
DOCKET 0134 HAS BEEN PASSED.
COUNCILLOR CIOMMO, YOU HAVE THE
FLOOR.

>> THANK YOU.

I RISE TO PULL 0444 FROM PAGE 2
UNDER ASSIGNED FOR FURTHER
ACTION WITH FURTHER DETAIL ON
PAGE 8 OF 8.

THE COMMITTEE HELD ITS HEARING
ON -- I'M SORRY.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR.

IN THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS, DOCKET NUMBER 0444, AS SPONSORED BY THE MAU YORE, MESSAGE IN ORDER APPROVING APPROPRIATION OF \$9,486,511 FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING THE COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH BOILER AND ROOF REPAIRS AT THE FOLLOWING SCHOOL. EAST BOSTON SCHOOL, SUMNER SCHOOL K-5, O'DONNELL SCHOOL K-5 AND TOBIN SCHOOL K-8.

THIS INCLUDES THE PAYMENT OF ALL CLASS INCIDENTAL OR RELAYED THERE IT -- THERETO SAID AMOUNT BE EXTENDED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE PUBLIC FACILITY DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS, WAS REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON MARCH 21 AND HEARING HELD MARCH 27.

>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK. COUNCILLOR, YOU HAVE THE FLOOR. >> THANK YOU.

WE HAD OUR FIRST VOTE ON MARCH 28.

THESE PROJECTS, THE FUNDS WILL BE EXTENDED UNDER THE PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT ON BEHALF OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS. CONSTRUCTION WILL TAKE PLACE IN THE SUMMER AND NOT AFFECT THE START DATES OF THE SCHOOL. THE M.S.B.A. REIMBURSEMENT WILL BE 9 MILLION AND CHANGE. APPEARS WILL NOT ONLY MATERIALLY EXTEND THE USEFUL LIFE OF THE SCHOOLS AND PRESERVE B.P.F.F. BUT PROVIDE A COMFORTABLE AND PLEASANT ENVIRONMENT, MORE CONDUCIVE TO LEARNING FOR STUDENTS AND ALSO PROVIDE ENERGY EFFICIENT AND COST SAVING UPGRADES WHICH WILL RESULT IN A DIRECT OPERATIONAL SAVINGS FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT.

I RECOMMEND OUR SECOND VOTE. THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR CIOMMO. COUNCILLOR CIOMMO, CHAIR OF THE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS AT THIS TIME REQUESTS A SECOND VOTE ON DOCKET 0444.

MADAM CLERK, IF YOU COULD CALL

THE ROLL.
>> THANK YOU.
COUNCILLOR BAKER, YES.
COUNCILLOR CAMPBELL, YES.
COUNCILLOR CIOMMO, YES.
COUNCILLOR EDWARDS, YES.
COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE, YES.
COUNCILLOR FLAHERTY, YES.
COUNCILLOR FLYNN, YES.
COUNCILLOR JANEY, YES.
COUNCILLOR McCARTHY, YES.
COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY, YES.
COUNCILLOR PRESSLEY YES,
CONSIDER WU, YES.
COUNCILLOR ZAKIM, YES.
MADAM PRESIDENT, DOCKET 0444 HAS
RECEIVED A 12-0 VOTE IN THE
SECOND READING.
>> THANK YOU, MADAM CLERK.
DOCKET 0444 HAS BEEN PASSED.
AT THIS TIME, WE'LL MOVE ON TO
THE CONSENT AGENDA.
I AM INFORMED BY THE CLERK THAT
WE HAVE ONE LATE FILE MATTER
WHICH IN THE ABSENCE OF
OBJECTION WILL BE ADDED TO THE
CONSENT AGENDA.
SAYING AND HEARING NO
OBJECTIONS, THE LATE FILE MATTER
IS ADDED.
CHAIR MOVES FOR THE ADOPTION OF
THE CONSENT AGENDA AT THIS TIME.
(VOTING)
CONSENT AGENDA HAS BEEN ADOPTED.
AT THIS TIME I WILL RECOGNIZE
COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY.
WHAT PURPOSE DO YOU RISE?
>> CONSENT TO MAKE A BRIEF
STATEMENT.
>> REGARDING?
REFLECTION.
(LAUGHTER)
>> SAY AGAIN?
ANOTHER POLL.
GO AHEAD, COUNCILLOR
O'MALLEY.
>> UPCOMING UPON DAY WILL BE PI MY
FAVORITE DAY IN THE CITY,
PATRIOTS DAY, THE
122nd RUNNING OF THE BOSTON
MARATHON, 25,000 ATHLETES FROM
AROUND THE WORLD WILL BEGIN IN
HOPKINTON, ASHLAND, FRAMING HAM,
WELLESLEY, NEWTON, BROOKLINE,

BOSTON, WILL CROSS THE FINISH LINE.

IT IS ONE OF THE MOST REMARKABLE RUNNING EVENTS IN THE WORLD AND THE FEELING THAT EACH ATHLETE WILL FEEL WHEN HE CROSSES THE FINISH LINE IS UNMEASURABLE.

IT'S ALSO THE FIFTH YEAR ANNIVERSARY SINCE THE DEVASTATING BOMBINGS AT THE MARATHON IN 2013.

IT'S AMAZING TO SAY, I HAD TO DOUBLE-CHECK MY MATH AND INDEED IT WAS FIVE YEARS AGO.

ONE TO HAVE THE DARKEST DAYS IN THE CITY'S HISTORY.

ONE OF THE MOST CHALLENGES.

IT UNDERSCORED OUR DRIVE, RESOLVE, OUR TENACITY.

AS WE CLOSE THE MEETING IN THE NEXT COUPLE OF DAYS, LET'S REMEMBER WHAT THE DAY MEANT, NOT ONLY THE STRENGTH THE CITY SHOWED, BUT THE 264 INDIVIDUALS INJURED, THOSE WHO DON'T HAVE SCARS BUT HAVE AS DEEP INJURIES, THE 16 INDIVIDUALS WHO LOST LIMBS, AND, OF COURSE, THOSE WHO LOST THEIR LIVES, WE ASK THAT WE COULD ADD THEM TO CLOSER IN MEMORY OF AND KEEP ALL THEIR WONDERFUL LIVES AND LEGACIES IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS.

THANK YOU.

>> THANK YOU VERY MUCH, COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY.

COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE, FOR WHAT PURPOSE DO YOU RISE?

>> RISE JUST TO RECOGNIZE SOMEONE WHO HAS BEEN CRITICAL TO PASSING IN THE WORK TO PASS THE ALCOHOL-FREE MBTA PIECE.

SHE WASN'T ABLE TO JOIN US.

>> NO PROBLEM, GO AHEAD.

IS IT OKAY?

IT IS, GO AHEAD, COUNCILLOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE.

>> I WOULD LIKE TO RECOGNIZE HELEN CONNELLY FROM THE ALLSTON-BRIGHTON SUBSTANCE ABUSE TASK FORCE.

HER WORK IN SUPPORTING ME SINCE I HAVE BEEN ON THE COUNCIL IN LEARNING ABOUT RECOVERY

OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CITY WITH
HER CONSTANT EFFORT CITY-WIDE IN
THIS EFFORT IS SOMETHING YOU
WANT TO MAKE SURE THAT SHE GETS
RECOGNIZED.

I GAVE HER THE GOOD NEWS THAT WE
SUPPORTED THAT RESOLUTION TO BAN
ALCOHOL FROM MBTA.

JUST WANTED TO RECOGNIZE THE
HEALTH ISSUES HERE.

>> THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR
ESSAIBI-GEORGE.

(APPLAUSE)

AT THIS TIME, I ASK ALL GUESTS
AND MY COLLEAGUES TO PLEASE RISE
AS WE ADJOURN TODAY'S MEETING.

IN MEMORY OF THE FOLLOWING
INDIVIDUALS.

WE'LL START WITH THOSE NOT ONLY
THOSE WHO SUFFERED PHYSICAL
INJURIES DURING THE MARATHON
FIVE YEARS AGO BUT THOSE WHO
HAVE SUFFERED INJURIES THAT WITH
RESPECT PHYSICAL BUT ALSO
CONTINUE TO.

SO THANK YOU, COUNCILLOR
O'MALLEY, FOR BRINGING THAT
FORWARD IN.

ADDITION, WE RECOGNIZE THE
FOLLOWING.

FOR COUNCILLOR BAKER RALPH
WHITAMOR.

FOR COUNCILLORS BAKER, FLAHERTY
AND FLYNN, LORRAINE RANCY.

FOR COUNCILLOR O'MALLEY, MYRON
POLIMA, JANE SHAMANSKI, JANE SUE
WELL III.

FOR COUNCILLOR ZAKIM, SAM SHONG.
A MOMENT OF SILENCE, PLEASE.

(SILENCE)

THANK YOU.

AT THIS TIME, THE CHAIR MOVES
FOR AADJOURNMENT -- THE CHAIR
MOVES THE COUNCIL ADJOURN TODAY
MEMORY OF THE AFOREMENTIONED
INDIVIDUALS AND THAT WE ARE
SCHEDULED TO MEET AGAIN
WEDNESDAY APRIL 25th AT NOON
IN THIS CHAMBER.

ALL THOSE IN FAVOR OF
ADJOURNMENT SAY AYE, OPPOSED
NAY.

THE AYES HAVE IT, THE COUNCIL IS
ADJOURNED.

(COUNCIL IS ADJOURNED)