



Lowell City Council

Regular Meeting Agenda

Date: February 11, 2020

Time: 6:30 PM

Location: City Council Chamber, 375 Merrimack Street, 2nd Floor, Lowell, MA

1. ROLL CALL

2. CITY CLERK

- 2.1. Minutes Of City Council Meeting February 4th, For Acceptance.

Documents:

[2020 FEBRUARY 4 CC MINUTES.PDF](#)

3. AUDITOR BUSINESS

- 3.1. Communication - Second Quarter FY20 Budget Report.

Documents:

[2020 FEBRUARY 11 YTD DEC 31 19.PDF](#)

4. GENERAL PUBLIC HEARINGS

- 4.1. Loan Order-Accelerated Repairs To Various School Buildings.

Documents:

[LOAN ORDER-ACCELERATED REPAIRS TO VARIOUS SCHOOL BUILDINGS.PDF](#)

- 4.2. Ordinance-Amend Ch. 9 Create Art. XIV Entitled Community Preservation Committee.

Documents:

[ORDINANCE-AMEND CH. 9 CREATE ART. XIV ENTITLED COMMUNITY PRESERVATION COMMITTEE.PDF](#)

5. COMMUNICATIONS FROM CITY MANAGER

- 5.1. Motion Responses

A) Motion Response - Status of the NEED Program

B) Motion Response - Parking Lots Around the New Courthouse

- C) Motion Response - MSP Sobriety Checkpoints
- D) Motion Response Update - Historic Walking Freedom Trail
- E) Motion Response Update - Lowell General Hospital
- F) Motion Response Update - Public Safety Infrastructure Funding

Documents:

- A) MOTION RESPONSE - STATUS OF THE NEED PROGRAM.PDF
- B) MOTION RESPONSE - PARKING LOTS AROUND THE NEW COURTHOUSE.PDF
- C) MOTION RESPONSE - MSP SOBRIETY CHECKPOINTS.PDF
- D) MOTION RESPONSE UPDATE - HISTORIC WALKING FREEDOM TRAIL.PDF
- E) MOTION RESPONSE UPDATE - LOWELL GENERAL HOSPITAL.PDF
- F) MOTION RESPONSE UPDATE - PUBLIC SAFETY INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDING.PDF

5.2. Presentation - Ongoing Accelerated Repair Projects

6. VOTES FROM THE CITY MANAGER

6.1. Vote-Accept And Expend 5,500 In Grant Funding From The Greater Lowell Community Foundation To Support Khmer Senior Outreach

Documents:

VOTE-ACCEPT AND EXPEND 5,500 IN GRANT FUNDING FROM THE GREATER LOWELL COMMUNITY FOUNDATION TO SUPPORT KHMER SENIOR OUTREACH.PDF

6.2. Vote-Transfer 42,722 To Elections To Meet Its Remaining Obligations As Well As Anticipated Election Related Costs In FY20

Documents:

VOTE-TRANSFER 42,722 TO ELECTIONS TO MEET ITS REMAINING OBLIGATIONS AS WELL AS ANTICIPATED ELECTION RELATED COSTS IN FY20.PDF

7. ORDERS FROM THE CITY MANAGER

7.1. Order Of Taking-Permanent And Temporary Easements In Furtherance Of The Andover Street Improvement Project

Documents:

ORDER OF TAKING-PERMANENT AND TEMPORARY EASEMENTS IN FURTHERANCE OF THE ANDOVER STREET IMPROVEMENT PROJECT.PDF

8. REPORTS (SUB/COMMITTEE, IF ANY)

8.1. Finance SC February 11, 2020.

8.2. Economic / Downtown Development SC February 11, 2020.

9. PETITIONS

9.1. Claims - (3) Property Damage.

9.2. Misc. - Lei Zhong (For Benefit Of Benecia Sandoval-Ferrera) Request Installation Of Handicap Parking Sign 25 18th Street.

Documents:

[2020 FEBRUARY 11 LEI ZHONG REQ HP SIGN 25 18TH STREET.PDF](#)

9.3. Misc. - Steven O'Neill Request To Address City Council Regarding On His Property Located At 10 Old Ferry Road.

Documents:

[2020 FEBRUARY 11 STEVEN ONEILL REQTO ADDRESS CC ON PROPERTY LOCATED AT 10 OLD FERRY RD.PDF](#)

10. CITY COUNCIL - MOTIONS

10.1. C. Mercier - Req. City Council Create An Ordinance Or File A Home Rule Petition That Prevents A City Councilor From Holding Another Elective Office During Their Term.

10.2. C. Samaras - Req. City Mgr. Create A Team Of First Responders Which Includes Fire, Police, Trinity Ambulance And Lowell General Hospital Whose Purpose Will Be To Develop A Plan To Ensure That First Responder Vehicles Will Be Able To Successfully Move During Periods Of Grid Lock/Construction In The City.

10.3. C. Elliott - Req. City Council Vote To Prohibit The Use Of Non-Disclosure Agreements Regarding Legal Settlements.

10.4. C. Elliott - Req. City Mgr. Provide An Update Regarding Host Community Agreements Along With Potential Sources Of Revenue Generated From Them.

10.5. C. Rourke - Req. City Mgr. Have Hull Engineering Come To A Neighborhoods/Flood Issues SC To Discuss The Purchase Of The Lowell Hydroelectric Plant.

11. ANNOUNCEMENTS

12. ADJOURNMENT

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