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## Public Facilities Committee Agenda

City of Newton  
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Wednesday, May 17, 2023

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### Items Scheduled for Discussion:

#128-23

#### Request for a grant of location in Valentine Street

NATIONAL GRID petition for a grant of location to install and maintain gas main in Valentine Street as follows:

- 1905'  $\pm$  of 8" plastic main in Valentine Street from #85 Valentine Street to #240 Valentine Street to replace 1180'  $\pm$  of 8" cast iron and 25'  $\pm$  of 8" plastic main
- 40'  $\pm$  of 6" plastic main in the intersection of Howland Road and Valentine Street to replace 40'  $\pm$  of 6" cast iron main
- 40'  $\pm$  of 6" plastic main in the intersection of Bonad Road and Valentine Street to replace 40'  $\pm$  of 6" cast iron main
- 50'  $\pm$  6" plastic main in the intersection of Wauwinet Rd to replace 40'  $\pm$  6" cast iron and 10'  $\pm$  6" plastic main
- 80'  $\pm$  8" plastic main in the intersection of Bigelow Road and Valentine Street to replace 80'  $\pm$  of 6" cast iron main
- 435'  $\pm$  6" plastic main in Ellis Road from Valentine Street to the existing 8", plastic main at #38 Ellis Road to replace 420' of 6" Cast Iron and 15'  $\pm$  6" plastic gas main
- 80'  $\pm$  8" plastic main in the intersection of Valentine Street and Oak Cliff Road to replace 40' of 8" Cast Iron and 40'  $\pm$  6" cast iron main

**Public Facilities Held 6-0; Public Hearing Closed 6-0 on 04/12/23**

#134-23

#### Approval on roadway infrastructure improvements for Elliot Street Traffic Calming Project

HER HONOR THE MAYOR requesting the approval to make changes to roadway infrastructure as part of the Elliot Street Traffic Calming Project in Newton Upper Falls. The installation of a new crosswalk with a flashing beacon, intersection realignment, changes to roadway width, and creation of sidewalk-level bike lane requires the approval of the Public Facilities Committee.

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**Referred to Public Facilities and Finance Committees**

**#165-23**

**Appropriate \$750,000 for the Newton Free Library's HVAC system**

HER HONOR THE MAYOR requesting authorization to appropriate and expend the sum of seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) from June 30, 2022 Certified Free Cash to a Public Buildings Department Capital Account to fund the replacement of the Newton Free Library's HVAC system as detained in the FY-24-FY28 CIP.

**#206-22**

**Adoption an Ordinance to prohibit the use of anti-coagulant rodenticides**

COUNCILORS NORTON, LEARY, LUCAS, BOWMAN, MALAKIE, GREENBERG, HUMPHREY AND DANBERG requesting the adoption of an Ordinance to prohibit the purchase or application of anti-coagulant rodenticides by the City or City contractors.

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Alison M. Leary, Chair**