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Public Safety & Transportation Committee Agenda

City of Newton In City Council

Wednesday, April 3, 2024

7:00 PM



The Public Safety & Transportation Committee will hold this meeting as a virtual meeting on Wednesday, April 3, 2024 at 7:00 pm. To view this meeting using Zoom use this link <https://newtonma-gov.zoom.us/j/83183951974> or call 1-646-558-8656 and use the following Meeting ID: **831 8395 1974**

Items Scheduled for Discussion:

#144-24 Requesting new public auto license
VASIF VALI, 132 Charles Street #303, Newton, MA 02466 requesting one (1) new public auto license for Vali Bros Transportation LLC.

#162-24 Requesting new public auto license
ABDERRAHMANE FELLAH, 159 Washington Street #1, Newton MA 02458 requesting one (1) new public auto license for AB Inc.

Referred to Public Safety & Transportation Committee and Finance Committee

#150-24 Recommendation to accept Massachusetts General Laws (MGL) Chapter 41, Section 100G.

HER HONOR THE MAYOR requesting authorization to provide for the payment of funeral and burial expenses, not exceeding two thousand dollars (\$2,000), of any firefighter or police officer killed while in the performance of their duty, which procedurally means accepting Massachusetts General Laws (MGL) Chapter 41, Section 100G.

#153-24 Requesting a discussion with the Police and School Departments on School Safety Protocols

COUNCILORS GROSSMAN, ALBRIGHT, BIXBY, LIPOF, KALIS, LAREDO, LUCAS, MALAKIE, GREENBERG, LOBOVITS, DANBERG AND MICLEY requesting a discussion with Chief Carmichael and appropriate Newton

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Public Schools personnel regarding current school safety protocols and best practices Newton should consider, such as ALICE training.

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#151-24 Requesting a discussion with the Police on Traffic Enforcement
COUNCILORS GROSSMAN, ALBRIGHT, BIXBY, LIPOF, KALIS, LAREDO, LUCAS, MALAKIE, GREENBERG, LOBOVITS, DANBERG, DOWNS AND MICLEY requesting a discussion with Chief Carmichael regarding the City's approach to traffic enforcement. Discussion to include staffing levels, policies, procedures, and best practices to enhance public safety and reduce the number and severity of crashes.

#152-24 Requesting a discussion with the Police on Body Cameras in the Newton Police Department
COUNCILORS GROSSMAN, LIPOF, BLOCK, LAREDO, HUMPHREY, LUCAS, GREENBERG, DANBERG, DOWNS, MICLEY, KRINTZMAN AND LOBOVITS requesting a discussion with Chief Carmichael on the current status of the use of body cameras in the Newton Police Department.

Respectfully submitted,

Becky Grossman, Chair