

CITY OF NEWTON

BOARD OF ALDERMEN

PROGRAMS AND SERVICES COMMITTEE REPORT

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 18, 2008

#329-05 ALD. JOHNSON & ALD. ALBRIGHT requesting that the **Noise Ordinance** be revised and updated to better reflect the noise problem being faced by the City.  
**PROGRAMS & SERVICES APPROVED AS AMENDED 4-1-3**  
**(Merrill opposed; Baker, Brandel, Sangiolo abstaining) on 3/19/08**  
**MOTION TO RECOMMIT TO PROGRAMS & SERVICES**  
**VOICE VOTE APPROVED ON 05-05-08**

**ACTION:** **HELD 6-0**

#422-06 ALD. HESS-MAHAN requesting creation of an ordinance prohibiting the use of portable gasoline-powered leaf blowers within the City limits.  
**PROGRAMS & SERVICES APPROVED AS AMENDED 4-2-2**  
**(Brandel, Sangiolo opposed; Baker, Merrill abstaining) on 3/19/08**  
**MOTION TO RECOMMIT TO PROGRAMS & SERVICES**  
**VOICE VOTE APPROVED ON 4-22-08**

**ACTION:** **HELD 6-0**

NOTE: The committee voted in favor of holding both items with no discussion.

Respectfully Submitted,

Marcia Johnson, Chairman