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CITY OF NEWTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Community Preservation Committee

AGENDA

DATE: Thursday, 5 November 2015
TIME: 7:00 pm
PLACE: Newton City Hall, Room 204

Start times & order are approximate and subject to change at the meeting
Underlined phrases below are links to City of Newton webpages.

Program & Policies

7:00 pm **Program Finances:** overview discussion of currently available funds, funding forecast, future proposals, alternative scenarios

Proposals & Projects

- 7:15 pm [Newton Highlands Playground](#) (Parks & Recreation Dept.) – advisory discussion of expected construction request (orig. \$1.9 million, revised \$2.15 million, current est. \$3.2-\$4.7 million)
- 7:25 pm [Museum Archives](#) (Public Buildings Dept.), historic resources – project update, request to recommend appropriation of unappropriated \$93,491 from CPC's May 2015 recommendation
- 7:35 pm **PUBLIC HEARINGS & potential funding votes**
- ◆ [1930s Mural](#) (School Dept./Newton North High School, \$114,900) – restoration/rehabilitation, historic resources
 - ◆ [New Art Center](#) (\$72,652) – preservation planning (for building), historic resources

Program & Policies continued

8:45 pm **CPA funding priorities for housing:** initial discussion of [City of Newton housing strategy](#) with James Freas, Newton's Acting Director of Planning & Development

Committee Business

9:15 pm ◆ approval of CPC minutes from 9 September 2015

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PRE-MEETING PACKET: Available online from www.newtonma.gov/cpa and as a one printed copy at the Planning Dept. counter, City Hall basement, by noon on the Friday before each meeting. Full-text documents for pre- and full proposals are online from [Proposals & Projects](#), rather than the pre-meeting packet.

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