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Waban Area Council – Meeting

Special Joint Meeting with
Newtonville Area Council



Thursday, July 9, 2020

NOTE Earlier Start time 7:00 - 9:30 PM

Meeting Location: Online via Zoom

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7:00 – 7:10 Approval of minutes from last meeting and Budget Review

7:10 – 7:20 Burning Issues from the community

7:20 – 7:25 Meeting in August?

Reconvene via zoom in a Joint Area Council session with Newtonville to discuss:

7:25 – 7:45 **Race, policing, and the City budget**

1) Community experiences

2) Would Newton benefit from having a chapter of the NAACP?

7:45 – 8:35 **Theory and practice of transit-oriented development**

- 1) What policies and practices can most effectively mitigate climate change?
- 2) What difference can TOD make with and without an effective transit system?
- 3) Whither the MBTA?
- 4) California as a case study: The failure of major TOD bills
- 5) TOD, gentrification, and the centralization of power
- 6) TOD in Newton: Class, race, and distributive justice

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