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Programs & Services Committee Agenda

City of Newton In City Council

Special Meeting

Wednesday, January 15, 2020

6:30 PM Room 304, Education Center 100 Walnut Street

Items Scheduled for Discussion:

Referred to Programs & Services Committee

#52-20 Requesting acceptance of MGL to allow distribution of ballot question summaries <u>THE CITY CLERK</u> requesting the City Council accept the provisions of MGL, Chap 53, Section 18B to allow the City of Newton to provide voters with (1) the full text of each question; (2) a fair and concise summary of each question, including a 1 sentence statement describing the effect of a yes or no vote, which shall be prepared by the city solicitor; and (3) arguments for and against the question, for all types of municipal ballot questions.

Respectfully Submitted,

Josh Krintzman, Chair

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