

Referred to Programs & Services Committee

Wednesday, November 15, 2017

Present: Councilors Rice (Chair), Baker, Sangiolo, Leary, Schwartz Auchincloss, Kalis and Hess-Mahan; also present: Councilors Yates, Crossley, Laredo, Lappin, Lipof and Albright

- #313-17** **Amendment to City Charter to change the composition of the City Council**
COUNCILORS BROUSAL-GLASER, BLAZAR, CICCONE, COTE, DANBERG, HARNEY, KALIS, LAPPIN, LAREDO, LIPOF, NORTON, RICE, SANGIOLO AND SCHWARTZ requesting that if the Charter Commission proposal is not approved by voters on November 7, 2017, the City Council seek Home Rule Legislation to amend the City Charter to change the composition of the City Council from 16 Councilors-at-Large and 8 Ward Councilors, to 8 Councilors-at-Large and 8 Ward Councilors.
Programs & Services Approved 5-2-1 (Councilors Leary and Hess-Mahan opposed; Councilor Auchincloss abstaining)

Referred to Real Property Reuse Committee

Thursday, November 16, 2017

Present: Councilors Albright (Chair), Crossley, and Danberg; absent: Councilors Lennon, Brousal-Glaser, Gentile, Fuller, and Kalis

- #92-16** **Amendments to the Real Property Reuse Ordinance**
COUNCILORS ALBRIGHT AND KALIS requesting amendments to Chapter 2, Section 7. Sale or lease of city owned real property, of the City of Newton Revised Ordinance, 2012 (The Real Property Reuse Ordinance) to clarify how properties are classified in regards to purpose, use, and ownership; the procedure to handle reused properties; and to address any other changes that might be needed. [02/17/16 @ 12:04 PM]
Real Property Reuse Recommended Approval 3-0

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