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**Programs & Services Committee**  
**Agenda**

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**City of Newton**  
**In City Council**

**Wednesday, December 8, 2021**

**7:00 PM**

The Programs & Services Committee will hold this meeting as a Zoom Meeting on Wednesday, December 8, 2021 starting at 7:00 pm. To view this meeting using Zoom use this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82026823736> or call 1-646-558-8656 and use the Meeting ID 820 2682 3736.

**Items Scheduled for Discussion:**

- #393-21      Resolution from the City Council to the Mayor re school bus fees and the FY23 budget**  
COUNCILORS HUMPHREY, BOWMAN, CROSSLEY, DANBERG, GREENBERG, KALIS, KRINTZMAN, LAREDO, LEARY, LIPOF, LUCAS, MALAKIE, MARKIEWICZ, NOEL, NORTON, OLIVER, RYAN, AND WRIGHT, requesting a resolution from the City Council outlining the views of the Council to the Mayor on the upcoming budgeting process for school bus fees.
- #414-21      Request for a discussion on improving election administration**  
COUNCILORS KRINTZMAN, BOWMAN, CROSSLEY, DANBERG, OLIVER, WRIGHT, GREENBERG, GROSSMAN, HUMPHREY, KELLEY, DOWNS, LAREDO, LEARY, LIPOF, LUCAS, MALAKIE, MARKIEWICZ, NOEL, NORTON AND RYAN requesting a discussion with the Clerk’s Office about problems that arose during the 2021 municipal election, including voting by mail. The discussion should result in recommendations or improvements the City of Newton can make in elections practices for the future.

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**#441-21      Requesting an update on progress on improvements and long-term plans to improve our Athletic Fields**

COUNCILORS OLIVER, KALIS, RYAN, LAREDO, WRIGHT, MALAKIE, LUCAS, NORTON, MARKIEWICZ, AND LEARY requesting a discussion with Parks, Recreation and Culture to determine progress on our fields and development of a long-term plan to improve the quality and capacity of all of our fields. This update should identify the budget, resources, and timeline required to deliver the results that our residents are asking for and deserve.

**Respectfully Submitted,**

**Josh Krintzman, Chair**