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Public Facilities Committee Agenda

City of Newton **In City Council**

Wednesday, June 8, 2022

Note Late start time 7:15 pm

The Public Facilities Committee will hold this meeting as a virtual meeting on Wednesday, June 8, at 7:15 pm. To view this meeting using Zoom use this link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87944133052> or call 1-646-558-8656 and use the following Meeting ID: 879 4413 3052

Items Scheduled for Discussion:

Chair's Note: *The Committee will join the Public Safety & Transportation Committee to discuss the following 3 items. The link to this portion of the meeting can be found below:*

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83874162238>

Referred to Public Facilities and Public Safety & Transportation Committees

#69-22

Requesting a discussion regarding snow clearing, operations and enforcement
COUNCILORS DOWNS, BOWMAN, MARKIEWICZ, GROSSMAN, MALAKIE, WRIGHT, KELLEY AND NOEL requesting a discussion with the Department of Public Works and the Police Department regarding residential and commercial sidewalk snow clearing, operations and enforcement.

Referred to Zoning & Planning, Public Facilities and Public Safety & Transportation Committees

#72-22

Discussion with Police, DPW and Inspectional Services on sidewalk obstructions
COUNCILORS DOWNS, BOWMAN, MALAKIE, HUMPHREY, WRIGHT, RYAN, GREENBERG, DANBERG, GROSSMAN, AND LUCAS requesting a discussion with Police, Public Works and Inspectional Services regarding sidewalk obstruction, enforcement, regulation, and operating procedures during construction used to ensure safety for nonmotorized road users.

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Referred to Public Facilities and Public Safety & Transportation Committees

- #70-22 Requesting a discussion regarding Traffic calming progress, plans, and adequacy of resources**
COUNCILORS MALAKIE, NORTON, BOWMAN, DOWNS, GROSSMAN, AND WRIGHT requesting a discussion with the Department of Public Works and the Planning Department regarding Traffic Calming prioritization, selection of methods, effectiveness of completed projects, pending requests, adequacy of current funding and personnel, and timetable for addressing pending and new requests at current resource levels.

Referred to Public Facilities and Finance Committees

- #346-22 Transfer \$175,000 to the Snow & Ice Rental/Contractors Account**
HER HONOR THE MAYOR requesting authorization to transfer and expend a sum of one hundred seventy-five thousand dollars (\$175,000) from the below accounts to Acct# 0140123-527300 Snow & Ice Vehicle Rental/Contractors:
- Snow & Ice Overtime
(0140123-513010)..... \$45,000
- June 30, 2021 Free Cash
(0001-3240)..... \$130,000

Referred to Public Facilities and Finance Committees

- #347-22 Transfer \$1 million to Transportation Network/Roads Program**
HER HONOR THE MAYOR requesting authorization to transfer the sum of one million dollars (\$1,000,000) from Acct # 0140120-511002 DPW Street Division Full Time Wages to Acct. # 01C40112-553100 to support the continuation of the improvement of the City’s Transportation Network/Roads Program.

Respectfully submitted,

Alison M. Leary, Chair