



Medford City Council

The Eighth Regular Meeting
Medford, Massachusetts
February 23, 2016

City Council President, Frederick N. Dello Russo, Jr.
Vice President Breanna Lungo-Koehn
Richard F. Caraviello
John C. Falco, Jr.
Adam Knight
Michael J. Marks
George A. Scarpelli

Council President Frederick N. Dello Russo Jr., called the Eighth Regular Meeting of the Medford City Council to order at 7:00 P.M at the Howard F. Alden Memorial Auditorium, Medford City Hall.

ROLL CALL

SALUTE TO THE FLAG

RECORDS

The Records of the Meeting of February 16, 2016 were passed to Councillor Caraviello

HEARING

16-077

LOCATION OF POLES, ATTACHMENT OF FIXTURES AND UNDERGROUND CONDUITS

MEDFORD, MASSACHUSETTS

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

You are hereby notified that by order of the City Council, a Public Hearing will be given at the **Howard F. Alden Memorial Auditorium, 85 George P. Hassett Drive, City Hall, Medford, Massachusetts** at 7:00 P.M., on **TUESDAY, February 23, 2016** on a petition of National Grid of Andover for permission to locate poles and fixtures, including the necessary sustaining and protecting fixtures along and across the following public way

Governors Ave- National Grid beginning at a point approximately 10 feet West of the centerline of the intersection of Governors Ave and continuing approximately 5 feet in a Westerly direction. National Grid to install 5' +/- of 1-3" secondary duct from existing manhole, onto the property of 28 Governors Ave., for new service to a residential home

Wherefore it prays that under due notice and hearing as provided by law, it be granted a location for and permission to erect and maintain poles and wires, together with sustaining and protecting fixtures as it may find necessary , said poles to be erected substantially in accordance with the plan filed herewith marked-Governors Ave-Medford-No# 20944570- January 6, 2016`

Approved – Chief Engineer – No City owned or private utilities or other structures are adversely impacted, National Grid shall ensure that all sewer, water and drain lines are marked prior to any excavation

Any disturbed concrete sidewalk panels shall be replaced in-kind, unless said panels are being replaced by the residence's contractor. Asphalt must be replaced by asphalt.

An as-built sketch must be delivered to the residence's contractor for incorporation into the overall as-built for the site

Before beginning work the contractor shall notify Dig Safe and shall obtain applicable permits from the Engineering Division. The contractor shall utilize City of Medford regulations and standards for restoration as well as remove all debris related to its work

Approved - Supt. of Wires

Call 781-393-2425 for any accommodations/aids.

s/ Edward P. Finn
City Clerk

Plans can be viewed in City Clerk's Office
781-781- 393-2425

MOTIONS, ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS

16-085- Offered by President Dello Russo

Be It Resolved that paper 16-072 regarding the creation of a "Charter Commission" through Home Rule Petition for the November Ballot be taken out of unfinished business for public forum discussion and input.

16-086-Offered by Vice President Lungo-Koehn

Be It Resolved that the City of Medford replace the Roof to the Medford Public Library as soon as possible.

16-087-Offered by Vice President Lungo-Koehn

Be It Resolved that parking on sidewalks be better enforced.

16-088-Offered by Councillor Falco

Whereas the City of Medford is in experiencing various traffic and development issues throughout our city.

Be It Resolved that the City of Medford hire a Traffic Engineer/Consultant to review the various traffic patterns throughout our city and design a traffic plan for the City of Medford.

16-089-Offered by Councillor Scarpelli

Be It Resolved that the DPW report back to the City Council if they have a plan in place for pot whole repairs for this upcoming season.

16-090-Offered by Vice President Lungo-Koehn

Be It Resolved that the Medford City Council receive an update with regard to what has been done within the last two months to help expedite the permit process for those who want to open a new business in Medford.

16-091-Offered by Councillor Knight

Be It Resolved the Medford City Council extend it's deep and sincere condolences to the family of Amabile "Billy" Rizzo on his recent passing.

PETITIONS, PRESENTATIONS AND SIMILAR MATERS

16-092-

Petition for Taxi Operator License by Hicham Hamdi, 158 Pearl Avenue, Revere, MA 02151 Driving for Mass Cab, 121R Mystic Avenue, Medford, MA

ON FILE

CORI Police Dept.

16-093-

Petition for Taxi Operator License by Philippe M. Tovar, 20 Burget Avenue #2, Medford, MA Driving for City Wide Taxi, 40 Canal Street, Medford, MA

ON FILE

CORI Police Dept.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

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|-----------------|---|-------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>'15-605</u> | Hearing National Grid & Verizon Canal St | | |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | AUGUST 11, 2015 | TABLED |
| <u>'15-734-</u> | Loan Order addition DPW Facility Project Funds \$300,000 | | |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | NOVEMBER 10, 2015 | TABLED |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | NOVEMBER 17, 2015 | TABLED |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | DECEMBER 1, 2015 | REFERRED TO COMMITTEE |
| | IN COMMITTEE | DECEMBER 8, 2015 | REPORTED OUT |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | DECEMBER 8, 2015 | TABLED |
| <u>'15-736</u> | Loan Order Winthrop Street Drainage Project \$350,000 | | |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | NOVEMBER 10, 2015 | TABLED |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | NOVEMBER 17, 2015 | TABLED |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | DECEMBER 1, 2015 | 1ST READING PASSED |
| | ADVERTISED | DECEMBER 11, 2015 | MEDFORD DAILY MERCURY |
| | (eligible for third reading December 22, 2015) | | |
| <u>'15-788-</u> | Representative from Tufts explain function of TEMS | | |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | DECEMBER 8, 2015 | TABLED |
| <u>'15-816-</u> | Transfer \$250,000 from sale of real estate for 5 kiosks improvements | | |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | DECEMBER 22, 2015 | TABLED |
| <u>'16-009-</u> | No Confidence | | |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | JANUARY 5, 2016 | TABLED Council Rule 29 |
| <u>'16-063</u> | School Committee Policies Future Bomb Threats | | |
| | IN CITY COUNCIL | FEBRUARY 9, 2016 | TABLED |

'16-072

Home Rule Petition for Election of Charter Commission

IN CITY COUNCIL

FEBRUARY 16, 2016

TABLED

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

COUNCIL PAPERS IN COMMITTEE

Reports Due/ Deadlines

Records:

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Adjournment: