Public Facilities Committee Agenda

City of Newton
In City Council

Wednesday, January 22, 2020

6 pm
Room 204

Items Scheduled for Discussion:

Chairs Note: Shawna Sullivan, Chief of Staff for the Department of Public Works, will be giving an overview to the Committee on the Department of Public Works.

Referred to Public Facilities and Finance Committees

#85-20 Approve a $1,000,000 for snow and ice removal

HER HONOR THE MAYOR requesting authorization to transfer the sum of one million dollars ($1,000,000) from the Budget Reserve – Snow and Ice Removal Account to the following accounts:

DPW Overtime, Snow & Ice Removal
(0140123-513010)................................................................. $250,000
DPW Rental Vehicles/Subcontractors
(0140123-527301)................................................................. $750,000

Public Hearing

#76-20 Eversource Energy petition for a Grant of Location on Claflin Place

EVERSOURCE ENERGY petitioning for a grant of location to relocate one pole (JO Pole #513/1) approximately 22.1’northerly from its existing location in front of 3-5 Claflin Place to the south side of Claflin Place.

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Public Hearing

#77-20  National Grid petition for grant of location in Jackson Street.
NATIONAL GRID petition for a grant of location to install and maintain 300’ +/- of 16” gas main in Jackson Street from the 10” gas main at #30 Jackson Street 240’ easterly to the intersection of Boylston Street (Route 9), to cross Boylston Street at #335 and extend easterly to Florence Street and 30’ on Florence Street from the intersection of Route 9 to the existing regulator.

Public Hearing

#78-20  National Grid petition for grant of location in Sargent Street.
NATIONAL GRID petition for a grant of location to install and maintain 621’ +/- of 8” gas main in Sargent Street from the 4” gas main at the intersection of Park Avenue westerly to existing 8’ gas main at the intersection of Hyde Avenue and 609’ +/- of 4” gas main in Jameson Road from the new 8 inch gas main in Sargent Street to the end of main at #48 Jameson Road. This is to replace and abandon the existing 4’ gas main in Sargent Street and the existing 6’ gas main in Jameson Road.

Public Hearing

#79-20  National Grid petition for grant of location in David Road.
NATIONAL GRID petition for a grant of location to install and maintain 250’ +/- of 4” gas main in David Road from the 4” gas main at #28 David Road northwesterly to the end of the main at #11 David Road.

Chairs Note: The Committee will meet jointly in room 204 with the Public Safety & Transportation Committee to discuss the following item.

Referred to Public Facilities and Public Safety & Transportation Committees

#81-20  Discussion on transportation priorities and public works
PUBLIC FACILITIES COMMITTEE, PUBLIC SAFETY & TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE AND COUNCILOR LEARY requesting a discussion with the administration and school officials on transportation priorities and public works/streets/sidewalks etc.

Chairs Note: The Commissioner of Public Buildings will be updating the Committee on ongoing Public Buildings projects in municipal buildings, schools, the library and NewCAL.

Respectfully submitted,

Alison M. Leary, Chair