

CITY MANAGER'S AGENDA

1. A communication transmitted from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to the appointment of the following persons as new members of the Citizens Committee on Civic Unity for a term of three years, effective Nov 1, 2017: Lorraine Goffe, Kelly Hassett, Laura Smith, Gustavo Payan, Tarit Rao-Chakravorti and Holly Bernier
2. Transmitting Communication from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of \$2,274,829 from Free Cash to the Mitigation Revenue Stabilization Fund. Funds appropriated to the Mitigation Revenue Stabilization Fund will be used to fund specific projects which will require individual appropriations by the City Council for the related projects in the future.
3. Transmitting Communication from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to the transfer of \$15,000 from the General Fund Employee Benefits (Insurance) Salary and Wages account to the General Fund Library Travel and Training (Judgment and Damages) account to cover current and anticipated medical services and/or prescription reimbursement costs for the remainder of the fiscal year for Library personnel injured in the performance of their duties.
4. Transmitting Communication from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to the transfer of \$250,000 from the General Fund Employee Benefits (Insurance) Salary and Wages account to the General Fund Public Works Judgment and Damages account to cover current and anticipated medical services and/or prescription reimbursement costs for the remainder of the fiscal year for Public Works personnel injured in the performance of their duties.
5. A communication transmitted from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to a recommendation from the Planning Board to adopt the Alexandria Zoning Petition regarding Innovation Space in the PUD-3A and PUD-4C Districts.
6. Transmitting Communication from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of the Children's Trust Fund grant for the Center for Families program in the amount of \$62,925 to the Department of Human Service Programs Salary and Wages account (\$62,000) and to the Other Ordinary Maintenance account (\$925) which will be used by the Center for Families to support family programs targeting parents of children up to eight years, which include a variety of family support and parent education programs and resources.
7. Transmitting Communication from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of the Project Bread Food Pantry grant received from the Project Bread organization for \$2,000 to the Grant Fund Human Services Other Ordinary Maintenance account which will allow the Cambridge Senior Center Food Pantry to pay for purchases at the Greater Boston Food Bank, and for other food purchases for the Senior Food Pantry.
8. Transmitting Communication from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to the appropriation of the Agenda for Children's Talk and Read grant in the amount of \$2,690 received from the Cambridge Public Health Department to the Grant Fund Human Service Programs Salary and Wages account (\$1,150) and to the Other Ordinary Maintenance

account (\$1,540) which will be used for the Agenda for Children's Talk and Read program.

9. A communication transmitted from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 17-32, regarding determining how the health of senior residents will be monitored during heat events and how the dangers associated with such events will be mitigated.
10. A communication transmitted from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 17-60, regarding a report on the feasibility of making the section of Kinnaird Street between River Street and Western Avenue a one-way.
11. A communication transmitted from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 16-52 regarding the City's use of push button caution lights at crosswalks and to determine any decrease in pedestrian legal rights should they be hit; and Awaiting Report Item Number 16-66, regarding a report on how traffic laws pertaining to crosswalks are currently enforced throughout the City and whether there can be stricter laws to ultimately increase pedestrian safety.
12. A communication transmitted from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 17-101, regarding a report on the feasibility of reducing the speed limit on Magazine Street as well as other traffic calming measures.
13. A communication transmitted from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report Item Number 17-90, regarding a report on policies regarding urban wildlife management.
14. A communication transmitted from Louis A. DePasquale, City Manager, relative to Awaiting Report 16-86, regarding a report on which public campaign finance options are legal for municipal elections in Cambridge; and Awaiting Report 17-84, regarding potential plans and options, responsive to community concerns, for creating a program of tax revenue financing for candidates running for City Council and School Committee in the City of Cambridge.

CHARTER RIGHT

1. That the City Manager is requested to appoint a Transportation Task Force to develop a large and comprehensive street safety and education plan that speaks to the needs of bicyclist, motorists, and pedestrians, and that can be easily disseminated and understood by all citizens. [Charter Right exercised by Mayor Simmons on Oct 30, 2017]

ON THE TABLE

2. The City Manager is requested to confer with the appropriate departments to organize regular suppers on the second Saturday of each month, starting on the 13th of August, with free food for the Cambridge community in open public spaces throughout the various Cambridge neighborhoods. [Charter Right exercised by Councillor Mazen on June 20, 2016. Tabled on a motion by Councillor Mazen on June 27, 2016.]
3. The City Manager coordinate with the Finance Department, Cambridge Redevelopment Authority, and community stakeholders to outline a proposed system of governance, management, and stakeholder engagement for the Foundry,

to be discussed in a public forum with the Council and community. [Charter Right exercised by Councillor Toomey on Oct 31, 2016. Placed On The Table on voice vote of six members on motion of Councillor Toomey.]

4. An application was received from Mundo/Lux, requesting permission for a sandwich board sign in front of the premises numbered 2 Bow Street. [Charter Right exercised by Councillor Cheung on Dec 19, 2016. Placed On Table on a voice vote of 8 on motion of Councillor Cheung on Jan 9, 2017.]
5. That the City Manager is requested to work with the Traffic, Parking and Transportation Department and any other relevant City department to survey of city residents, work, and visitors to determine who is interested in parking in the City. [Charter Right exercised by Councillor Kelley on Jan 30, 2017. Placed On Table on a motion by Councillor Cheung on Feb 6, 2017.]
6. That the City Manager is requested to establish the requirement that all appointments to the City's commissions, advisory committees, and task forces reflect the City's diversity and that the Civic Unity Committee is asked to sign off on all such appointments going forward. [Charter Right exercised by Mayor Simmons on Feb 27, 2017. Tabled on a motion by Councillor Cheung on a voice vote of 8 members on Mar 6, 2017.]
7. That the City Manager is requested to create a permanent office or public-private initiative for the purpose of fostering charitable giving in Cambridge and to work with non-profits to study the local charitable giving landscape, measuring the estimated maximum charitable carrying capacity of the city. [Tabled as amended by substitution on a motion of Councillor Mazen on May 8, 2017.]

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

8. An amendment to the Zoning Ordinance of the City of Cambridge on Beekeeping. The question comes on passing to be ordained on or after Nov 6, 2017. Planning Board hearing held on Oct 3, 2017. Petition expires Jan 3, 2018.

COMMUNICATIONS

1. A communication was received from Patricia Intrieri, 106 Hampshire Street, regarding Cambridge Safety demonstration project.
2. A communication was received from Kent Johnson, regarding support for Policy Order #299 work towards creating a Comprehensive Arts Planning Framework.
3. A communication was received from Hasson Rashid, regarding Making homelessness a protected class.
4. A communication was received from Hasson Rashid, regarding support of Representative Provost and the Cambridge Legislative delegation's effort to pass a "Right of First Refusal".
5. A communication was received from Persis McClennen, regarding property tax and bike lanes.
6. A communication was received from Christopher Craig, 31 Magnolia Avenue, regarding Cambridge Street redesign.
7. A communication was received from JJ Gonson, regarding the closing of Petco on Cambridge Street.
8. A communication was received from Henry Lelaurain, Follen Street, regarding Bike lanes with loss of parking spaces.

9. A communication was received from Peter Valentine, 37 Brookline Street, regarding Coordinate People's needs.
10. A communication was received from Logan Gilbert, regarding Banning commercial bred pets.
11. A communication was received from Leanne Scott, regarding Petco store closing due to ban on commercially bred dogs and cats.

RESOLUTIONS

1. That the City Council hereby goes on record in congratulating Gladys "Pebble" Gifford for receiving the 2017 Jane Thompson Award. Councillor Devereux
2. Retirement of Kevin McCormick from the Community Development Department. Councillor Maher
3. The City Council supports local citizens who work to enrich the Massachusetts community through service to the elderly and thank you Iain Hamilton. Councillor Mazen

ORDERS

1. That the City Manager is requested to work with the relevant City departments and report back to the City Council with an update on the City's plans to expand the curbside composting program citywide. Councillor Cheung
2. Cancel the Regular City Council Meeting scheduled for Mon, Nov 27, 2017. Mayor Simmons, Councillor Toomey
3. That the City Manager is requested to work with the relevant City departments and report back to the City Council if there is anything further the City can do to better educate parents, coaches, referees, and players about concussions and how to handle athletes if they suspect there is a concussion. Councillor Cheung
4. That the City Manager is requested to work with the relevant City departments to determine the feasibility on installing stretching, body weight, and low-impact fitness equipment at various parks throughout the City and report back to the City Council. Councillor Cheung

COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. A communication was received from Donna P. Lopez, City Clerk, transmitting a report from Councillor Dennis J. Carlone and Councillor Leland Cheung, Co-Chairs of the Ordinance Committee, for a public hearing held on Oct 12, 2017 to discuss a Zoning Petition filed by Christopher D. Smith, et al., to create a new Section 13.913 Graduate Student Housing Production Requirement. This petition would require new graduate housing to be built in conjunction with the development of commercial uses in the proposed Planned Unit Development 7 District as well as a phasing plan to implement graduate housing development.

HEARING SCHEDULE

Mon, Nov 13

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Wed, Nov 15

3:30pm The Ordinance Committee will conduct a public hearing to discuss a Zoning Petition by Alexandria Real Estate Equities, Inc., to create a new Section 13.59.11 Floor Area Ratio and Gross Floor Area Exemption for Up to 10,000 SF of Innovation Office Space and would apply to the PUD-3A and PUD-4C Districts only. This hearing to be televised. (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Nov 20

5:30pm City Council Roundtable/Working Meeting to receive an update on Envision Cambridge. No public comment. No votes will be taken. This meeting to be televised. (Sullivan Chamber)

Tues, Nov 21

5:30pm The Ordinance Committee will conduct a public hearing to discuss a zoning petition filed by Peter Kroon, et al., to amend Section 20.50 of the Zoning Ordinance "Harvard Square Overlay District." This hearing to be televised. (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Nov 27

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Dec 4

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Dec 11

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Dec 18

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Jan 1

10:00am *City Council Inaugural Meeting* (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Jan 8

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Jan 22

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Jan 29

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Feb 5

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Feb 12

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Feb 26

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Mar 5

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Mar 12

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Mar 19

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Mar 26

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Apr 2

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Apr 9

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Apr 23

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, Apr 30

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, May 7

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, May 14

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, May 21

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, June 4

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, June 11

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, June 18

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

Mon, June 25

5:30pm City Council Meeting (Sullivan Chamber)

TEXT OF ORDERS

O-1 Nov 13, 2017

COUNCILLOR CHEUNG

WHEREAS: In 2011, the City Council passed an order asking the City Manager to work with the relevant City departments to develop and create a timeline for implementing a curbside composting program in Cambridge; and

WHEREAS: In FY12, the City received a grant from MassDEP and conducted a feasibility study in the early part of 2012; and

WHEREAS: In 2014, the City of Cambridge began a curbside composting pilot program; and

WHEREAS: In late 2015, the City expanded its curbside composting program to include all households along the Monday morning trash collection route; and

WHEREAS: In the FY18 budget, the City Administration and DPW included funds to hire four new staff members with the goal of expanding the City's curbside composting program city wide; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to work with the relevant City departments and report back to the City Council with an update on the City's plans to expand the curbside composting program citywide.

O-2 Nov 13, 2017

MAYOR SIMMONS

COUNCILLOR TOOMEY

ORDERED: That the Regular City Council Meeting scheduled for Mon, Nov 27, 2017 be and hereby is cancelled.

O-3 Nov 13, 2017

COUNCILLOR CHEUNG

WHEREAS: In 2012 the City Council passed an order asking the Law Department to report back to the City Council with the language for an ordinance that would regulate the procedures that organizations should follow in the event of a concussion; and

WHEREAS: In December 2013 the City Council passed to a second reading an amendment to the Municipal Code titled "Concussion Prevention and Management in Youth Activities at City Facilities" but was eventually placed on file in May of 2015; and

WHEREAS: In September of 2015, the Public Health Department promulgated new regulations that applied to all youth athletic programs that apply for permits to use city-owned facilities; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to work with the relevant City departments report back to the City Council on if there is anything further the City can do to better educate parents, coaches, referees, and players about concussions and how to handle athletes if they suspect there is a concussion.

O-4 Nov 13, 2017

COUNCILLOR CHEUNG

WHEREAS: Some public spaces in the City, like Magazine Beach, contain stretching, body weight, and low-impact fitness equipment; and

WHEREAS: Having these features at various parks around the City would go a long way in promoting physical fitness and further encourage residents to use the City's public spaces; now therefore be it

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to work with the relevant City departments to determine the feasibility on installing stretching, body weight, and low-impact fitness equipment at various parks throughout the City; and be it further

ORDERED: That the City Manager be and hereby is requested to report back to the City Council once the feasibility is determined.