



CITY COUNCIL  
Regular Meeting

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City Councillor  
Joseph A. DelGrosso  
City Council Chamber  
Calendar

Monday, October 7, 2019, 6:00 PM

**4:30PM Zoning Sub-Committee Meeting**

**5:00PM Public Safety Sub-Committee Meeting**

**5:45PM Legislative Affairs Sub-Committee Meeting**

**Salute to the Flag**

1. **Roll Call of Members**
2. Approval of the Journal of the Regular Meeting of September 23, 2019

**Unfinished Business**

3. **19-221** Motion presented by Councillor McKenna: That the City Council and Mayor approve the installation of memorial poles for living Revere combat veterans aged 80 years or older. There is a veteran that served in World War II, the Korean War, and the Vietnam War and still residing in Revere today. He should be honored before it's too late for him to witness this most deserving tribute.

**Zoning Sub-Committee Report**

4. **19-220** Dr. Christopher Page, 44 Bradford St., Boston, MA 02118 seeking permission from the Revere City Council to expand a non-conforming structure and use (dentist office) within the RB District by constructing a new addition on Lot C at 26 Central Ave., Revere, MA 02151.

**Public Safety Sub-Committee Report**

5. **18-352** Motion presented by Councillor Rizzo: That the City Council request Dan Cameron from National Grid to appear before a City Council Sub-Committee to discuss measures both the city and residents can take to prepare for winter storms that could cause power outages, and how the city and residents can deal with outages should they occur.
6. **19-182** Motion presented by Councillor Rotondo: That the Mayor look into the feasibility of utilizing In Force911 for our schools. This app and system is being used in Worcester, Arlington, and Medway.

**Legislative Affairs Sub-Committee Report**

7. **19-162** Motion presented by Councillor McKenna: That the following special legislation be approved and forwarded to the State Delegation: An Act Relative to Duck Hunting in Densely Populated Areas Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same as follows: SECTION 1. No person shall hunt fowl by firearm, arrow, or other means on the tidelands or 1,500 yards seaward from the shoreline at Revere beach or the Point of Pines beach in the City of Revere to ensure the public safety of the residents of the city of Revere and visitors to Revere beach and its use as a place of recreation and open space. Whoever commits any offense described in this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$2,000 nor more than \$5,000. SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

#### **Communications**

8. **19-225** Communication from the Mayor relative to the appointment of Spencer Contracting Corp. as a Licensed Drain Layer.
9. **19-226** Communication from the Mayor relative to the appointment of Diaz Construction Co. as a Licensed Drain Layer.
10. **19-227** Communication from the Mayor requesting confirmation of two new appointments to the Board of Health.
11. **19-228** Communication from the Election Commissioner requesting approval of the Warrant for the Local Election on Tuesday, November 5, 2019.

#### **Motions**

12. **19-229** Motion presented by Councillor Rotondo: That the Mayor request the appropriate department to not award CDBG funding to The Neighborhood Developers (TND) until TND submits its audits to the city of Revere.
13. **19-230** Motion presented by Councillor Rotondo: That the Mayor request the Election Department to look into the feasibility of providing voters of Revere with an official voters ID.
14. **19-231** Motion presented by Councillor Rotondo: That the Mayor request the City Solicitor to appear before the Revere City Council to discuss the Revere Farmer's Market vendors contract. Further, that a copy of the contract be provided to each councillor.
15. **19-232** Motion presented by Councillor Giannino: That the City Council send a letter to the Department of Environmental Protection, requesting that Wheelabrator, Saugus, be held to the same emission standards as all other incinerators in the Commonwealth. Wheelabrator, Saugus is the only incinerator to ask for a special waiver. Further, that the Mayor be requested to send a letter to DEP regarding this matter on the City's behalf.

16. **19-233** Motion presented by Councillor McKenna: That the Mayor request the DPW to pave the following unaccepted public ways located off of Broadsound Avenue: Agneous, Ocean View, Syren, Triton and Coral. The homeowners of these streets pay the same taxes just as every other homeowner in addition to flood insurance and should have the right to easily access their homes during the winter months as a matter of public safety. It should be noted, that all other public ways off of Broadsound Avenue have been paved.
17. **19-234** Motion presented by Councillor McKenna: That the City Council award a Certificate of Commendation to Lenny Piazza for his life-long commitment to community service and historical conservation efforts.
18. **19-235** Motion presented by Councillor McKenna: That the Mayor request DCR to partially open West Street to the public. West Street has been shut down by the abutting construction company for four months. Due to the construction on Chester Street, traffic on Revere Beach Boulevard is diverted onto Shirley Avenue leaving it the only access to get off the Boulevard. During peak hours, traffic is at a standstill causing major frustration for drivers.
19. **19-236** Motion presented by Councillor Rizzo, Councillor Powers: That the Mayor request the Traffic Commission place the following matter on its next agenda: That a 3-way stop sign be installed at the corner of Arcadia and Argyle Streets in the interest of public safety.
20. **19-237** Motion presented by Council Vice-President Keefe: That the Mayor request the Traffic Commission to place the following request on its next agenda: That Central Avenue, be designated as "resident parking only" 8:00am - 5:00pm, Monday - Saturday. Residents of the neighborhood have lost ability to park in front of their homes due to the increase of business parking. Resident parking will help direct business parking to the municipal lot.