

**CONSENT AGENDA
THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 2019
7 P.M. CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS – ROOM 214
CITY HALL, 133 WILLIAM STREET, NEW BEDFORD, MA**

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillors Abreu and Giesta, requesting, on behalf of the Feast of the Blessed Sacrament Committee, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: BROOKLAWN STREET, from Ashley Boulevard to Acushnet Avenue; ACUSHNET AVENUE, from Wood Street to Earle Street; EARLE STREET, from Acushnet Avenue to Madeira Avenue; MADEIRA AVENUE, from Earle Street to Tinkham Street, ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 04, 2019, FROM 10:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M., for the purpose of THE FEAST OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ANNUAL PARADE.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillors Abreu and Giesta, requesting, on behalf of the Feast of the Blessed Sacrament Committee, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: EARLE STREET, from Acushnet Avenue to Madeira Avenue, ON: THURSDAY, AUGUST 01, 2019, FROM: 5:00 P.M. TO 5:30 P.M., for the purpose of THE FEAST COMMITTEE TO MARCH FROM THE MADEIRA CLUB PARKING LOT TO THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CHURCH FOR BLESSING OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS PRIOR TO START OF FEAST.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillors Abreu and Giesta, requesting, on behalf of the Feast of the Blessed Sacrament Committee, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: EARLE STREET, from Madeira Avenue to Belleville Avenue for a distance of 300 feet, ON SUNDAY, AUGUST 04, 2019, FROM 10:00 A.M. TO 4:00 P.M., for the purpose of: PARKING OF LARGE TRAILER TRUCKS, WHICH WILL BE USED IN THE FEAST OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT PARADE, AND WHICH ARE UNABLE TO MAKE THE TURN ONTO MADEIRA AVENUE. NOTE: REQUESTING THAT THE DPI PROVIDE STREET CLOSURE BARRELS. (NOTE: CLOSURE TO BE “USED AS NEEDED”.)

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillors Abreu and Giesta, requesting, on behalf of the Feast of the Blessed Sacrament Committee, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: EARLE STREET, from North Front Street to Belleville Avenue; MADEIRA AVENUE, from Davis Street to Tinkham Street; HATHAWAY STREET, from North Front Street to Funchal Place (Hope Street); FUNCHAL PLACE (Hope Street), from Hathaway Street to Nash Road and TINKHAM STREET, from Madeira Avenue to Funchal Place (Hope Street), ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 01, 2019, 8:00 A.M. THROUGH SUNDAY, AUGUST 04, 2019, MIDNIGHT, for the Purpose of: THE 105th ANNUAL FEAST OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillors Abreu and Giesta, requesting, on behalf of the Feast of the Blessed Sacrament Committee, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: BELLEVILLE AVENUE (starting at Hathaway Street – near Sunshine Donuts) North to Wood Street; WOOD STREET, West from Belleville Avenue to Acushnet Avenue; ACUSHNET AVENUE, South to Brooklawn Street; BROOKLAWN STREET, West to Ashley Boulevard; ASHLEY BOULEVARD, South to Irvington Street; IRVINGTON STREET, East to Acushnet Avenue; ACUSHNET AVENUE, South to Earle Street; EARLE STREET, East to Madeira Avenue; MADEIRA AVENUE, North to Madeira Field, ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 03, 2019 – FROM 10:00 A.M. TO 1:00 P.M., NOTE: REQUESTING THAT THE DPI PROVIDE STREET CLOSURE BARRELS AND THAT THE DPI SWEEP THE STREETS NOTED ABOVE PRIOR TO THE ROAD RACE IN THE INTEREST OF THE RUNNERS’ SAFETY, for the Purpose of: FEAST OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT ANNUAL ROAD RACE. NOTE: TO BE IMPLEMENTED WHERE, WHEN AND AS REQUIRED TO ENSURE THE PUBLIC’S SAFETY AND TO EXPEDITE THE EVENT.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Lopes, requesting, on behalf of Sun Multisports, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: Exiting Fort Taber at East Rodney French Boulevard, left onto Hudson Street, left onto Brock Avenue and an immediate right back to Hudson Street, then left onto Rodney French Boulevard, back to the Fort Taber entrance, then making a U-Turn onto the Bike Path, left to Fort Taber Park, and concluding back at the slip road to the Sewage Treatment Plant with all roads open to traffic in all directions as soon as the runners pass, ON SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, 2019, FROM 4:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M., for the purpose of The Fort Taber Sunset 5K Run.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Rebeiro, requesting, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: PURCHASE STREET, from Spring Street to School Street; PURCHASE STREET from Union Street to William Street; WILLIAM STREET from North Second Street to Johnny Cake Hill, FROM 6:00 A.M. ON WEDNESDAY, JULY 03, 2019, THROUGH 6:00 P.M., MONDAY, JULY 08, 2019 AND PURCHASE STREET, from Spring Street to Union Street, FROM 6:00 A.M. ON FRIDAY, JULY 05, 2019, THROUGH 11:00 P.M., SUNDAY, JULY 07, 2019 AND WILLIAM STREET, from Purchase Street to North Second Street; ACUSHNET AVENUE, from Union Street to Elm Street and SECOND STREET, from Union Street to Elm Street, FROM 6:00 A.M. ON FRIDAY, JULY 05, 2019, THROUGH 11:00 P.M., SUNDAY, JULY 07, 2019, for the purpose of the NEW BEDFORD FOLK FESTIVAL – 2019. PLEASE NOTE: CLOSINGS ARE “AS NEEDED” AND INCLUDE AREAS FOR CRAFT BOOTHS.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Rebeiro, requesting, on behalf of the Whaling Museum, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: JOHNNY CAKE HILL, from William Street to Union Street, ON SATURDAY, JULY 27, 2019, FROM 4:00 P.M. TO 10:30 P.M., for the purpose of SUMMER SAILS/SUMMER GALA.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Rebeiro, requesting, on behalf of the New Bedford Art Museum/Art Works!, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: PLEASANT STREET, from Pope Street to Pearl Street, (Inside Clasky Common Park) ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 09, 2019, FROM 9:00 A.M. TO 5:00 P.M., for the purpose of the Creative Courts Block Party.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Giesta, requesting, on behalf of the Centro Comunitario de Los Trabajadores, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: PHILLIPS AVENUE, from Acushnet Avenue to North Front Street, (the Parking Lot behind Café Mimo Restaurant, 1528 Acushnet Avenue), ON SATURDAY, JULY 20, 2019, FROM 10:00 A.M. TO 9:00 P.M., for the purpose of APOCALIPSIS.

Permission Granted.

WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Rebeiro, requesting, on behalf of AHA!, that the following street(s) be CLOSED: PURCHASE STREET, from Spring Street to Union Street; ACUSHNET AVENUE, from William Street to Union Street AND SECOND STREET, from William Street to Union Street, ON THURSDAY, JULY 11, 2019, FROM 2:00 P.M. TO 9:00 P.M., for the purpose of KIDS RULE.

Permission Granted.

PETITION/INDEMNITY AGREEMENT, NEW BEDFORD HARBOR HOTEL, for Permission to Erect and Maintain a Flat Aluminum Sign at 222 Union Street, New Bedford, MA 02740. Provisionally Granted, subject to Approval of the Building Commissioner and subject to Ratification by Mayor and City Council.

Received and Action of the City Clerk Ratified.

COMMUNICATION, Council President Morad, submitting a copy of a letter from The Rt. Rev Alan M. Gates, Bishop and The Rt. Rev. Gayle E. Harris, Bishop Suffragan from the Episcopal Diocese of Massachusetts, thanking her and the City of New Bedford for the welcoming and safe environment during Episcopal Church President Bishop Michael Curry's visit to Grace Church on April 29, 2019.

Received and Placed on File.

COMMUNICATION, City Clerk/Clerk of the City Council, to the City Council, notifying that the Office of the City Clerk has received Meeting Minutes from Board of Assessors for meetings held on May 03, 17 and 24, 2019, Board of Health, for a meeting held on April 23, 2019, Board of Park Commissioners for a meeting held on March 20, 2019, Bristol County PHEP and Executive Board for meetings held on March 19, April 16 and May 21, 2019, the Cemetery Board for a meeting held on May 29, 2019, Commission for Citizens with Disabilities for a meeting held on April 25, 2019, Community Preservation Committee for meetings held on January 17, 22 and 29, 2019, the Planning Board for meeting held on April 10, 2019, the Regional Refuse Management District for a meeting held on April 17, 2019, the Redevelopment Authority for a meeting held on October 03, 2019 and the Zoning Board of Appeals for meetings held on March 21 and April 11, 2019.

Received and Placed on File.

STREET OBSTRUCTIONS

370 Cedar Street
75 MacArthur Drive
30 Yates Street
322 Hawes Street
1479 Morton Avenue
180 MacArthur Drive

STREET DISTURBANCES

75 MacArthur Drive
30 Yates Street
322 Hawes Street
1479 Morton Avenue
180 MacArthur Drive
2693 Acushnet Avenue
65 Howard Street
33 Longview Road
255 Whitman Street
119 David Street
20 South Sixth Street
248 – 252 Purchase Street
213 Ryan Street
858 Pleasant Street
61 Lexington Street
2421 Acushnet Avenue
153 Auburn Street
Intersection of Morgan Street and Park Street

DUMPSTERS

PETITION, NSTAR Electric Company d/b/a EVERSOURCE ENERGY for location of one (1) Pole, in WINSOR STREET, West of Crapo Street.

RECEIVED AND HEARING ORDERED FOR JUNE 27, 2019.

6/11/2019 3:33:34 PM CITY CLERK

***In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA),
if any accommodations are needed, please contact the City Council Office at 508-979-1455.
Requests should be made as soon as possible but at least 48 hours prior to the scheduled meeting.***