



Council Meeting – **Late File Agenda**

CITY COUNCIL CALENDAR

Chambers of the City Council Municipal Building

Thursday, February 28, 2013 - 7:00 p.m.

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L1. REPORT, Committee on Finance, recommending to the City Council APPROVAL of the ORDER to amend the VACANT BUILDING REVOLVING FUND, the proposed changes would permit the use of monies in the Fund to be used to hire one full-time Building Inspector, rather than two part-time inspectors and a second change would allow monies in the Fund to be used to reimburse the Department of Public Facilities when its employees are occasionally tasked with the emergency board-up of a vacant building.

L1a. AN ORDER,

L2. REPORT, Committee on Finance, recommending to the City Council ADOPTION of an ORDER, (drafted by Attorney Gerwatowski) that the interest rate for items pawned be set at a rate of 18% annual percentage rate (APR) for loan amounts greater than \$25.00, said rate shall become effective upon approval by the Division of Banks for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

L2a. AN ORDER,

L3. REPORT, Committee on Finance, recommending to the City Council ADOPTION of the ORDER, for the TRANSFER of \$165,000.00 from WATER STABILIZATION FUND, to WATER, SUPPLIES & MATERIALS.

L3a. AN ORDER,

L4. REPORT, Committee on Finance, recommending to the City Council ADOPTION of a LOAN ORDER that authorizes and appropriates \$750,000.00 for the purpose of paying costs of a feasibility study for the potential construction of a new John Hannigan Elementary School, to be located at 33 Emery Street and also, to pay schematic design costs associated with constructing a new John Hannigan Elementary School.

L4a. LOAN ORDER, (To be Passed to a Second Reading)

L4b. REPORT, Committee on Finance, also recommending that the Ward Six City Councillor be included on the Design Selection Group and the School Building Committee.

L5. COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting AN ORDER transferring various parcels from the City of New Bedford to the New Bedford Redevelopment Authority, as part of the effort to assemble the site for the South Terminal Project, a \$100 million specialized marine terminal that will be capable of handling massive blades, foundations and other components necessary for constructing wind farms at sea.

L5a. AN ORDER,

L6. WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Martins, on behalf of the Fernandes and Friends Soccer Team, that the School Committee consider approving the request of an application submitted for the use of Roosevelt Middle School's Soccer Field for the following dates: April 14, April 21, May 5, May 12, and June 2; and further, since the Fernandes' Family are well-known in the City for giving back to the community and that their soccer team brings our community together, that all fees be waived as in the past, the School Committee has approved said request and this Councillor appreciates their support and the team appreciates their consideration. (To be Referred to the School Committee.)