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Subject: TPP resolution on Feb. NBCC agenda

Dear New Bedford City Councilors Martins and Rebeiro.

I am following up on past correspondences and conversations about submitting and passing a resolution about the TPP on an upcoming agenda of the New Bedford City Council.

As you know, the TPP is still being discussed. We know that New Bedford has lost many manufacturing jobs due to unfair trade policies in the past.

At this time you can make a difference by joining other City Councils, including Brockton and Cambridge, in passing a resolution expressing our concern about making sure trade policies consider the impact on our region. Attached is a resolution that we wrote for your consideration.

We hope that you can sign on as cosponsors and help us to approach other City Councilors to put this resolution on your agenda in February.

Please let myself and Cindy Rodrigues, President of the Greater Southeastern Mass Labor Council, Carlos Visinho, President of the Massachusetts Alliance for Retired Americans, and Dan Justice, Senior Field Representative of the National AFL-CIO know about what date works in February so we can coordinate together around this important resolution (they are all cced above).

Thank you, Camilo Viveiros Director Community Outreach Greater Southeastern Mass Labor Council

Attached: Draft New Bedford City Council Resolution Opposing the Extension of Disastrous Trade Policies