

## City of New Bedford

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James D. Oliveira Councillor Ward One

April 13, 2017

Sociedade Filamonica do Senhor da Pedra c/o Senhor da Pedra Club 81 Tinkham Street New Bedford, MA 02745

Dear Sociedade Filamonica do Senhor da Pedra Members:

Please consider this letter the official request, on behalf of the Portuguese-American War Veterans Memorial Day Ceremonies, for you to march, once again, in the Annual Memorial Day Parade and Ceremonies conducted by the Portuguese-American War Veterans at St. John's Cemetery.

We appreciate the fact that you have always been willing to march during the past few years, and, on behalf of the Portuguese-American War Veterans, and our Portuguese Community, your participation would be greatly appreciated again this year. It has become a tradition to look forward to yearly.

As always, your assistance is greatly appreciated, and I look forward to another successful event.

Respectfully requested,

James D. Oliveira, Councillor Ward One

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cc: City Council Consent Agenda – April 27, 2017

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