



City of New Bedford
IN COMMITTEE

March 8, 2018

The Honorable City Council
133 William Street
New Bedford, MA 02740

Dear Honorable Members of the City Council:

The Committee on Ordinances at a Meeting held on Wednesday, February 21, 2018, considered a WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that the City enforce the laws pertaining to repairing vehicles on City streets and that any vehicle being repaired or left unattended on car jacks on City streets be towed immediately at the owners expense and further, that the City Council create a fine for those in violation of the City Ordinance, and that all departments including public safety departments be required to report any vehicles in violation immediately for actions, this issue is becoming a safety, damage and environmental concern. (To be Referred to the Committee on Ordinances, Police Chief Cordeiro, Fire Chief Gomes, EMS Director McGraw, Department of Inspectional Services Director Romanowicz, and Health Department Director Weis.) (Ref'd 6/23/16) (7/15/16-returned unsigned by the Mayor) (3/21/17-remain in Committee)

On motion by Councillor Gomes and seconded by Councillor Coelho, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to take "No Further Action" on a WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that the City enforce the laws pertaining to repairing vehicles on City streets and that any vehicle being repaired or left unattended on car jacks on City streets be towed immediately at the owners expense and further, that the City Council create a fine for those in violation of the City Ordinance, and that all departments including public safety departments be required to report any vehicles in violation immediately for actions, this issue is becoming a safety, damage and environmental concern. This motion passed on a voice vote.

IN COMMITTEE ON ORDINANCES

Hugh Dunn

Councillor Hugh Dunn, Chairman

HD: dmb



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

CITY COUNCIL

June 23, 2016

WRITTEN MOTION

Requesting, that the City enforce the laws pertaining to repairing vehicles on City streets and that any vehicle being repaired or left unattended on car jacks on City streets be towed immediately at the owners expense; and further, that the City Council create a fine for those in violation of the City Ordinance, and that all departments, including public safety departments be required to report any vehicles in violation immediately for action, this issue is becoming a safety, damage and environmental concern.(To be Referred to the Committee on Ordinances, Police Chief Cordeiro, Fire Chief Gomes, EMS Director McGraw, Department of Inspectional Services Director Romanowicz, and Health Department Director Weis.)

Brian K. Gomes, Councillor at Large