



City of New Bedford

IN COMMITTEE

April 26, 2018

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

Dear Honorable Members of the City Council:

The Committee on Finance at a Meeting held on Wednesday, April 18, 2018, considered a COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting a REVISED LOAN ORDER appropriating \$6,305,000.00 for the FY2018 Capital Bond. (This revised Loan Order replaces the Order submitted on January 25, 2018.) (Ref'd 4/12/18)

On motion by Councillor Morad and seconded by Councillor Rebeiro, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to reduce the amount for the New Bedford High School Renovations from \$1,430,000 to \$750,000 cutting \$680,000 from the figure. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 7, Nays 3, with Councillors Dunn, Lopes & Markey opposed.

On motion by Councillor Morad and seconded by Councillor Rebeiro, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council APPROVAL of \$870,000 for the Buttonwood Park Zoo. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 10, Nays 0.

On motion by Councillor Morad and seconded by Councillor Rebeiro, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council APPROVAL of \$775,000 to the Main Library. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 10, Nays 0.

On motion by Councillor Morad and seconded by Councillor Rebeiro, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to reduce West Beach from \$300,000 to \$0. This motion FAILED on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 4, Nays 6, with Councillors Giesta, Gomes, Morad & Rebeiro in favor.

On motion by Councillor Dunn and seconded by Councillor Coelho, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council APPROVAL of \$300,000 for West Beach. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 6, Nays 4, with Councillors Giesta, Gomes, Morad & Rebeiro opposed.

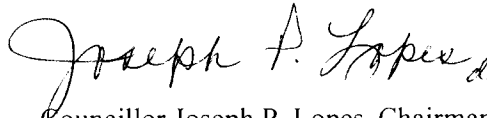
On motion by Councillor Morad and seconded by Councillor Rebeiro, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council APPROVAL of \$900,000 for City Hall Elevator. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 9, Nays 1, with Councillor Giesta opposed.

On motion by Councillor Morad and seconded by Councillor Lima, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council APPROVAL of \$430,000 for Core IT. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 10, Nays 0.

On motion by Councillor Coelho and seconded by Councillor Dunn, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council APPROVAL of \$1,600,000 for Roads. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 7, Nays 3, with Councillors Giesta, Morad & Rebeiro opposed.

On motion by Councillor Dunn and seconded by Councillor Coelho, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council ADOPTION, AS AMENDED, a REVISED LOAN ORDER appropriating \$5,625,000 for FY2018 Capital Bond. (This revised Loan Order replaces the Order submitted on January 25, 2018.) This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 9, Nays 1, with Councillor Morad opposed.

IN COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Joseph P. Lopes". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial "J".

Councillor Joseph P. Lopes, Chairman

JPL: dmb



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

CITY COUNCIL

April 12, 2018

ORDERED: That the City appropriates ~~\$6,305,000.00~~ ^{\$5,625,000.00} for the purpose of making critically-needed repairs to City-owned buildings including, but not limited to, projects for the repair and renovation of public safety facilities, recreational facilities, general office space, and roads and infrastructure and all costs incidental and related thereto. To meet this appropriation, the Treasurer, with approval of the Mayor, is authorized to borrow said sum of money, pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 44, Section 7(3A), or any other enabling authority.

FURTHER ORDERED, That the Treasurer is authorized to file an application with the appropriate officials of The Commonwealth of Massachusetts ("Commonwealth") to qualify under Chapter 44A of the General Laws any and all bonds of the City authorized by this Order, and to provide such information and execute such documents as such officials of the Commonwealth may require in connection therewith.

This Loan Order replaces the order submitted on January 25, 2018.