

City of New Bedford

**IN COMMITTEE** 

May 08, 2018

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

Dear Honorable Members of the City Council:

The Committee on Memorials & Dedications at a Meeting held on Wednesday, April 25, 2018, considered a WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that the City Council go on record in support of sending a letter to Congressman William Keating and the National Park Service, requesting that the Federal Government designate Ft. Taber Park as a National Veterans Memorial Park. (Ref'd 9/23/14) (6/27/17-tabled, and the next time this matter is on an agenda, invite a Rep from Congressman Keating's office, John D'Angelo of Senator Warren's office in Boston, and the New Bedford National Parks Superintendant Meghan Kish)

On motion by Councillor Coelho and seconded by Councillor Carney, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to send a letter to the Federal Delegation asking that they work towards securing Federal Government recognition of Fort Taber Park as a National Veteran's Memorial Park. This motion passed on a voice vote.

IN COMMITTEE ON MEMORIALS & DEDICATIONS

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Councillor Ian Abreu, Chairman

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## CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

**CITY COUNCIL** 

September 23, 2014

## WRITTEN MOTION

Requesting, that the City Council go on record in support of sending a letter to Congressman William Keating and the National Park Service, requesting that the Federal Government designate Ft. Taber Park as a National Veterans Memorial Park.

Brian K. Gomes, Councillor at Large James D. Oliveira, Councillor Ward One David Alves, Councillor at Large