

City of New Bedford

IN COMMITTEE

May 24, 2018

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

Dear Honorable Members of the City Council:

The Committee on Veterans Affairs, Elderly, Youth, Health & Housing & Disability Issues at a Meeting held on Monday, May 14, 2018, considered a WRITTEN MOTION, Council President Alves, asking that the Committee on Appointments and Briefings meet with Kathy Splinter of the "Welcome Home Veteran Housing Program" to learn more about, and better understand, the program's goals, as well as to discuss how the City Council and the City of New Bedford can assist their efforts to provide housing to our current and returning Veterans; and further, that the City's Veteran Agent, representatives of the Federal Veterans Center at 468 North Front Street and from the Veterans Transition House on Willis Street be invited to said meeting. (Ref'd 05/11/06, tabled - 12/12/06, invite Dan LeBlanc & Kathy Splinter to next meeting)

On motion by Councillor Dunn and seconded by Councillor Lima, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to take "No Further Action" on a WRITTEN MOTION, Council President Alves, asking that the Committee on Appointments and Briefings meet with Kathy Splinter of the "Welcome Home Veteran Housing Program" to learn more about, and better understand, the program's goals, as well as to discuss how the City Council and the City of New Bedford can assist their efforts to provide housing to our current and returning Veterans; and further, that the City's Veteran Agent, representatives of the Federal Veterans Center at 468 North Front Street and from the Veterans Transition House on Willis Street be invited to said meeting. This motion passed on a voice vote.

IN COMMITTEE ON VETERANS AFFAIRS, ELDERLY, YOUTH, HEALTH & HOUSING & DISABILITY ISSUES

Councillor Maria E. Giesta, Chairperson

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