



City of New Bedford

IN COMMITTEE

November 14, 2019

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

Dear Honorable Members of the City Council:

The Committee on Public Safety & Neighborhoods at a Meeting held on Monday, October 21, 2019 considered a WRITTEN MOTION, Council President Morad requesting that EMS Director Mark McGraw and Deputy Director Michael Thomas be invited to the Committee on Public Safety and Neighborhoods to demonstrate the new LUCAS device, an automatic CPR machine, which is now being utilized by the EMS Department to save lives of the residents in the City of New Bedford. (To be Referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Neighborhoods.) (Ref'd 8/15/19)

On motion by Councillor Morad and seconded by Councillor Lopes, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to request that the Administration immediately fund \$75,000 for the purchase of four (4) to five (5) additional LUCAS devices for EMS. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 10, Nays 0.

IN COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY &
NEIGHBORHOODS

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Brian K. Gomes".

Councillor Brian K. Gomes, Chairman

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