

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, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that the Department of Public Infrastructure do an immediate inventory of all of the City's street lights and their ground bases, due to the number of deteriorating ground bases throughout the City; and further, that immediate action be taken to replace those streetlights and ground bases, this request is made on behalf of public safety and liability to the City if one of these light poles should come down due to their deteriorating conditions. (To be Referred to the Committee on Public Safety and Neighborhoods.) (Ref'd 4/25/19)

On motion by Councillor Lopes and seconded by Councillor Dunn the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to take "No Further Action" on the WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that the Department of Public Infrastructure do an immediate inventory of all of the City's street lights and their ground bases, due to the number of deteriorating ground bases throughout the City; and further, that immediate action be taken to replace those streetlights and ground bases, this request is made on behalf of public safety and liability to the City if one of these light poles should come down due to their deteriorating conditions. This motion passed on a voice vote.

IN COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY & NEIGHBORHOODS

Councillor Brian K. Gomes, Chairman

Brian + Homes

BKG: dmb



CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

CITY COUNCIL

April 25, 2019

WRITTEN MOTION

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Brian K. Gomes, Councillor at Large