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From: Linda Morad <lindamoradatlargecouncillor@aol.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 20, 2020 7:48 AM
To: Donna Britto
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Fwd: Special Committee on Waivers of Residency -- information for next meeting

Donna

Would you please print a copy of this message for Denis and me for tonight's meeting. I plan to receive and place the information on file.

Also can you please forward a copy via email to all members of the residency committee and those invited to tonight's meeting. Thanks.

Linda

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Mikaela A. McDermott" <MMcDermott@newbedford-ma.gov>
Date: May 17, 2020 at 6:44:17 PM EDT
To: Linda Morad <Linda.Morad@newbedford-ma.gov>
Cc: DAVID GERWATOWSKI <davidgerwatowski@comcast.net>
Subject: Special Committee on Waivers of Residency -- information for next meeting

Councilor Morad,

I hope you are doing well. I wanted to follow up on an outstanding item from the last meeting of the Special Committee on Waivers of Residency. You had asked me which Unit C positions under the City Code explicitly require residency and which do not. The requested information is below.

Unit C Positions That Explicitly Require Residency

- Purchasing Agent (10-51)
- Administrative Assistant to the Board of Assessors (10-93)
- First Assistant City Solicitor (2-82)
- Parking Supervisor (23-1)
- Director of Personnel (19-2)
- Legislative Counsel (2-47)(says that subject to Chapter 19's residency requirements, so residency is perhaps waivable)

It could be that some of these specific residency requirements were imposed before the general residency requirement was enacted. In those instances,

there could be an argument that, as with other positions, the residency requirement could be waived for those positions. We would have to research the legislative history of each position in order to make such determinations, though. In any event, if the City Council wishes to make residency waivable for the positions listed above, it would be a good idea to make that clear in the Code.

Unit C Position for Which Residency Is Explicitly Not Required

- Chief Financial Officer (2-237)

Thank you,

Mikaela