

## City of New Bedford

IN COMMITTEE

March 25, 2021

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

Dear Honorable Members of the City Council:

The Committee on Appointments & Briefings at a Meeting held on Tuesday, March 16, 2021, considered a WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that a letter be sent to David Neeleman, founder, JetBlue Airlines, now the proposer and founder of a new airline called Moxy Airways, inviting him or his representative to the City of New Bedford for the purpose of considering New Bedford as a point of destination and departure, as this new airline is looking to locate in secondary airports across the country providing point to point destinations; and further, requesting, that the Airport Commission send a letter to Moxy Airways, outlining the possibilities and information on our airport and put together a sales pitch and a strategy as to why Moxy Airways should locate at the New Bedford Regional Airport. (Ref'd 06/28/18)

On motion by Councillor Lopes and seconded by Councillor Gomes, the Committee VOTED: To recommend to the City Council to take "No Further Action" on the WRITTEN MOTION, Councillor Gomes, requesting, that a letter be sent to David Neeleman, founder, JetBlue Airlines, now the proposer and founder of a new airline called Moxy Airways, inviting him or his representative to the City of New Bedford for the purpose of considering New Bedford as a point of destination and departure, as this new airline is looking to locate in secondary airports across the country providing point to point destinations; and further, requesting, that the Airport Commission send a letter to Moxy Airways, outlining the possibilities and information on our airport and put together a sales pitch and a strategy as to why Moxy Airways should locate at the New Bedford Regional Airport. This motion passed on a Roll Call Vote of Yeas 9, Nays 1, with Councillors Abreu, yes; Baptiste, yes; Carney, yes; Dunn, yes; Giesta, yes; Gomes, yes; Lopes, yes; Markey, yes; Morad, yes and Lima, no.

IN COMMITTEE ON APPOINTMENTS & BRIEFINGS

Councillor Naomi R.A. Carney, Chairperson

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## CITY OF NEW BEDFORD

## CITY COUNCIL

June 28, 2018

## WRITTEN MOTION

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Brian K. Gomes, Councillor at Large