

## **PUBLIC WORKS COMMITTEE**

Regular meeting of the Public Works Committee was held on Thursday, July 15, 2010 in the Council Chambers, City Hall, Cranston, Rhode Island.

The meeting was called to order at 6:05 P.M.

Present: Councilman Mario Aceto, Chair  
Councilman Anthony J. Lupino, Vice-Chair  
Councilman Robert J. Pelletier  
Councilman Richard D. Santamaria, Jr.  
Council President John E. Lanni, Jr.

Absent: Councilwoman Michelle Bergin-Andrews

Also Present: Robin Muksian-Schutt, Director of Administration  
Gerald Cordy, Deputy Director of Administration  
Evan Kirshenbaum, Assistant City Solicitor  
Robert Strom, Director of Finance  
Mike Igoe, City Controller  
Steve Woerner, City Council Internal Auditor  
Maria Medeiros Wall, City Clerk  
Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees  
Heather Finger, Stenographer

### **MINUTES OF THE LAST MEETING:**

On motion by Council President Lanni, seconded by Councilman Santamaria, it was voted to dispense with the reading of the minutes of the last meeting and they stand approved as recorded. Motion passed unanimously.

### **CORRESPONDENCE:**

None.

### **OLD BUSINESS:**

None.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

- **Request from National Grid** for pole location at Deerfield Rd.

No one appeared to speak in favor or to oppose.

On motion by Councilman Lupino, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to approve this request. Motion passed unanimously.

- **\*Natick Ave. Bridge**

**Ms. Schutt** appeared to speak and gave update. She stated that the City's Chief Engineer met with Commonwealth Engineering on Tuesday. We are on track to have plans submitted to DEM in the Fall for approval. Garofalo was the low bidder, but not selected to do the work because of the scope of the work changed and this is why Commonwealth Engineering will be doing the work. We did go out to rebid and Commonwealth won the bid. She indicated that she cannot discuss this further unless the Committee would like to go into Executive Session.

On motion by Councilman Lupino, seconded by Council President Lanni, it was voted to go into Executive Session pursuant to RIGL 42-46-5(a)(2). Motion passed unanimously.

The meeting went into Executive Session at 6:10 P.M.

Present in Executive Session: Councilmen Lupino, Santamaria, Pelletier, Aceto, Council President Lanni; Robin Muksian-Schutt, Director of Administration; Evan Kirshenbaum, Assistant City Solicitor; Robert Strom, Director of Finance; Steve Woerner, City Council Internal Auditor; Maria Medeiros Wall, City Clerk; Rosalba Zanni, Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees.

The meeting came out of Executive Session at 7:06 P.M.

On motion by Councilman Lupino, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to come out of Executive Session. Motion passed unanimously.

On motion by Councilman Lupino, seconded by Councilman Pelletier, it was voted to seal the minutes of Executive Session.

The meeting adjourned at 7:07 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Rosalba Zanni  
Assistant City Clerk/Clerk of Committees