The Steering Committee of the 30th Board of Representatives of the City of Stamford met on **Monday, August 13, 2018**, at 7:00 p.m., in the Democratic Caucus Room of the Board of Representatives in the Government Center, 888 Washington Boulevard, 4th Floor, Stamford, Connecticut.

MINUTES OF THE STEERING COMMITTEE

President Quinones called the meeting to order at 7:04 p.m.

In attendance were President (Chair) Quinones and Majority Leader (Vice Chair) Pratt Committee Member Reps. de la Cruz, Di Costanzo, Fedeli, Figueroa, DePina, McGarry, Pia, Lee, Mahoney, Miller, Nabel, and Summerville. Absent or excused were Reps. Jacobson, Kolenberg, Stella and Lutz. Also present were Reps. Cottrell, Giordano, Lion, McMullen, Spadaccini and Zelinsky; and Mayor Martin.

The Regular Meeting of the 30th Board of Representatives of the City of Stamford will be held on **Wednesday, September 5, 2018**, at 8:00 p.m., in the Legislative Chambers of the Board of Representatives in the Government Center, 888 Washington Boulevard, 4th Floor, Stamford, Connecticut.

BOARD OF REPRESENTATIVES MEETING AGENDA

INVOCATION: To be delivered by
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG: To be led by President Quinones.
ROLL CALL: To be conducted by Clerk Nabel
VOTING MACHINE STATUS: To be confirmed by Clerk of the Board Nabel.
MOMENTS OF SILENCE: To be recorded in the Minutes.
COMMUNICATIONS:

HONORARY RESOLUTIONS:

1. RESOLUTION; Congratulating Coach Mike Walsh, who coached the Trinity Catholic High School Boys'

who coached the Trinity Catholic High School Boys' Basketball Program for 39 Seasons, on his

Retirement.

08/06/18 - Submitted by Reps. Zelinsky, Giordano

and Fedeli

PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

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TIME FOR PUBLIC COMMENT:

STANDING COMMITTEES

STEERING COMMITTEE: Meeting: Monday, August 13, 2018

7:00 p.m. – Democratic Caucus Room

APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE: Annie Summerville, Chair

Denis Patterson, Vice Chair

Meeting: Tuesday, August 28, 2018 6:30 p.m. – Democratic Caucus Room

1. A30.044 Golf Commission (E.Gaynor Brennan) PLACE ON THE

Andrea J. Brantner (D) Repl. Lyons Stamford, CT 06905

Term Expires: 12/1/2020 07/11/2018-Submitted by Mayor Martin

07/31/18 – No Action Taken

2. A30.045 **Board of Ethics PLACE ON THE**

Monica S. Smyth (D) Reappointment Stamford, CT 06901 Term Expires: 12/1/2020

07/11/2018-Submitted by Mayor Martin

07/31/18 - No Action Taken

3. A30.046 Stamford Golf Authority (Sterling Farms) Reappoinment

Patricia McGrath (D) Stamford, CT 06905

Term Expires: 12/1/2019

07/11/18-Submitted by Mayor Martin

07/31/18 - No Action Taken

A motion to place Item Nos. 1 through 3 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

FISCAL COMMITTEE: Monica Di Costanzo, Chair **Lindsey Miller, Vice Chair**

> Meeting: Monday, August 27, 2018 7:00 p.m. – Democratic Caucus Room

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1. <u>F30.087</u> \$80,000.00	ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION (Operating Budget); Funding of Police Patrol Communications Utility Account (from Contingency). 08/07/18 – Submitted by Mayor Martin 08/16/18 – To be considered by Board of Finance	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA
2. <u>F30.088</u> \$805,648.00	ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION (Capital Budget); Affordable Housing/Zoning Initiative (Fee-in-lieu payment). 08/07/18 – Submitted by Mayor Martin 08/07/18 – Approved by Planning Board 08/16/18 – To be considered by Board of Finance	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA
3. <u>F30.089</u> \$2,000,000.00	ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION (Capital Budget); Veterans Park Renovation (100% grant funded). 08/07/18 – Submitted by Mayor Martin 08/07/18 – Approved by <u>Planning Board</u> 08/16/18 – To be considered by Board of Finance	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA
4. <u>F30.091</u>	APPROVAL; Ceridian Payroll Solution Software Agreement. 08/07/18 – Submitted by Mayor Martin 08/16/18 – To be considered by Board of Finance	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

5. F30.085 REVIEW: Opportunities for Process Improvements **MOVE TO** (Cost Reductions, Efficiency Gains, Investments, **PENDING** Etc.) in City Departments; Discussion And Opportunities to Limit or Avoid Growth in The City's Operating Budget. 07/11/18 - Submitted by Reps. de la Cruz, Pratt, Aquila, Cottrell, DiCostanzo, Jacobson, Lee, Lion, Matherne, Michelson, Miller, Nabel, Roqueta, Sherwood, Stella, Morson, Coleman, Wallace and Zelinsky. 07/23/18 - Report Made and Held by Committee 10-0-1 6. F30.086 REVIEW: Drawdown Account Processes. **MOVE TO** 7/11/2018 – Submitted by Reps. Sherwood and **PENDING** Cottrell 07/23/18 - Report Made and Held by Committee 10-0-0 7. F30.090 REVIEW; City Fees and Charges. PLACE ON THE 08/08/18 - Submitted by Mayor Martin **SEPTEMBER AGENDA**

A motion to place Item Nos. 1 through 4 and 7 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

LEGISLATIVE & RULES COMMITTEE:

Benjamin Lee, Chair Elise Coleman, Vice Chair

Meeting: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 7:00 p.m. – Democratic Caucus Room

1. LR30.019 ORDINANCE for public hearing and final adoption; HELD

Restricting Single-Use Plastic Shopping Bags in

Stamford.

12/07/17 - Submitted by Reps. Aguila, Coleman, Cottrell, de la Cruz, Fedeli, Giordano, Graziosi, Jacobson, Kolenberg, Lee, Lion, Lutz, Matherne, Michelson, Miller, Morson, Nabel, Patterson,

Pendell, Pia, Saftic, Sherwood, Stella and Zelinsky 01/24/18 – Held in Committee

02/28/18 - Held in Committee

03/22/18 - Report Made & Held in Committee 04/30/18 - Report Made & Held in Committee 05/29/18 - Held by Committee, as amended 06/21/18 - Held by Committee, as amended 07/31/18 - Approved by Committee, 8-0-0

2. LR30.042 REVIEW; Public Act 18-49, Opportunities

Regarding Community Support Organizations and

Possible Local Tax Benefits.

06/06/18 - Submitted by Mayor Martin and Rep.

06/21/18 – Held by Committee

07/31/18 - Held by Committee, 8-0-0

A motion to place Item No. 2 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

PERSONNEL COMMITTEE: Mary Fedeli, Co-Chair

Anabel Figueroa, Co-Chair

Meeting: Wednesday, August 22, 2018 7:00 p.m. - Republican Caucus Room

1. P30.010 APPROVAL; Agreement with Laura M. Labosky as

HELD

Project Coordinator for the Stamford Urban Transitway Project.

07/11/18 - Submitted by Clemon Williams

LAND USE/URBAN

REDEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE: Virgil de la Cruz, Co-Chair

Charles Pia, Jr., Co-Chair Wednesday, August 29, 2018

7:00 p.m. – Democratic Caucus Room

1. LU30.017 REVIEW: Process for Referrals to the Board of

> Representatives under Part 6, Division 3, Subdivision B of the Charter, Zoning Board including Sections C6-40-5 and C6-40-9, and Possible Ordinances to Clarify the Processes and Add a Requirement of Notice To The Land Use

Bureau.

07/10/2018 - Submitted by Reps. Pia, de la Cruz

and Fedeli

2. LU30.018 REVIEW; Extraordinarily Long Delay in the

> Acceptance of Peak Street as a City Street. Of Initial Application of Peak Street as an accepted

City Street in 1984 and subsequent events. 08/07/2018 - Submitted by Reps. McMullen and Pia PLACE ON THE **SEPTEMBER AGENDA**

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A motion was made to change the language of the item to read as "REVIEW; Of Initial Application of Peak Street as an accepted City Street in 1984 and subsequent events", said motion was seconded and approved by a unanimous vote.

3. LU30.019 REVIEW; Lack of Transparency regarding the

Harbor Point TIF/Infrastructure Improvement

District. Reporting Requirements for the Harbor

Point Infrastructure Improvement District.

08/08/2018 - Submitted by Reps. Cottrell, McGarry

and Sherwood

PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

A motion was made to change the language of the item to read as "REVIEW; Reporting Requirements for the Harbor Point Infrastructure Improvement District.", said motion was seconded and approved.

A motion to place Item No. 1 through 3 as amended on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

A motion to suspend the rules to take new item of Re-approval of the Redevelopment and Urban Renewal Project plan for the Mill River Corridor. Said motion was seconded and failed by a vote of 8-5½-0. (Pratt, de la cruz, McGarry, Miller, Summerville, Cottrell, Mahoney, Di Costanzo, Lee in Favor; Figueroa, Nabel, Fedeli, DePina, Quinones, Zelinsky opposed)

OPERATIONS COMMITTEE: Jonathan Jacobson., Chair John R. Zelinsky, Vice Chair

Meeting: Monday, August 20, 2018 6:30 p.m. – Republican Caucus Room

-and-

Public Hearing: Tuesday, August 28, 2018

6:30 p.m. - Legislative Chambers

1. <u>O30.016</u> PUBLIC HEARING AND APPROVAL; Agreement

with Wengell, McDonnell & Costello for West Main Street Bridge - Walkway Rehabilitation Project

07/10/18 – Submitted by Mayor Martin 07/12/18 – Approved by Board of Finance 07/26/18 – Approved by Committee 4-1-3

08/06/18 - Returned to Committee by Full Board

PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

(August 28, 2018 meeting)

Secondary Committee: Land Use/Urban Redevelopment

A motion to change item no. 1 to a Public Hearing and Approval was made and seconded and approved by a unanimous voice vote. (Pia and McGarry abstained)

A motion to place Item No. 1 as amended on the September Agenda was made,

seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

A motion for Land Use/Urban Redevelopment Committee to be secondary on Item No. 1 was made, seconded and approved by a vote of 12 ½-1½-0 (de la Cruz, DePina, Di Costanzo, Fedeli, Figueroa, Zelinsky, Lee, Cottrell, Mahoney, Miller, Nabel, Pia, Pratt, and Quinones in favor; McGarry and Summerville opposed)

2. <u>O30.018</u>	ORDINANCE <u>for publication</u> ; Amending Definition of Pollutant in <u>Code Section 201-2</u> . 08/07/18 – Submitted by Rep. McMullen	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA (August 20, 2018 meeting)
3. O30.015	REVIEW; The New Bagged Leaf Pickup Program Being Proposed By Mayor Martin. 07/10/18 – Submitted by Reps. Watkins, Michelson, Sherwood and Zelinsky 07/26/18 – Held by Committee 4-1-1	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA (August 20, 2018 meeting)
4. <u>O30.014</u>	REVIEW; Update on Repairs to Sea Wall on Weed Avenue. 03/29/18 – Submitted by Reps. Figueroa and Sherwood 04/23/18 – Report Made & Held in Committee 05/14/18 – Moved to Pending 07/26/18 – Held by Committee 8-0-0	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA (August 20, 2018 meeting)
5. O30.019	REVIEW; City Procedures on Removal and Processing of Catch Basin Waste. 08/08/18 – Submitted by Reps. McGarry, Pratt and Sherwood	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA (August 20, 2018 meeting)
6. <u>O30.020</u>	REVIEW; Glenbrook Community Center RFP Status and Continuity Plan for Current Tenants. 08/08/18 – Submitted by Rep. Lee	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA (August 20, 2018 meeting)

A motion to place Item No. 1 through 6 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

PUBLIC SAFETY & HEALTH COMMITTEE:

Jeffrey Stella, Chair Eric Morson, Vice Chair

Meeting: Thursday, August 30, 2018 7:00 p.m. – Democratic Caucus Room

1. PS30.013 REVIEW; Exterior Lighting Regulations 7/11/18 - Submitted by Rep. Lion SEPTEMBER 08/02/18 - Held in Committee 6-0-0 AGENDA

A motion to transfer Item No. 1 to the Legislative and Rules committee was made, seconded and failed by a vote of 4-9-0(Pratt, de la Cruz, Cottrell and Lee in favor; McGarry, Zelinsky, Figueroa, Nabel, Fedeli, Pia, Miller, DiCostanzo, Mahoney, DePina and Quinones opposed)

A motion to move item no. 1 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by a vote of 10½-2-0. (Pratt, de la Cruz, McGarry, Summerville, Figueroa, Cottrell, Nabel, Miller, Pia, Lee, DePina, and Quinones; Zelinsky and DiCostanzo opposed)

2. PS30.012	REVIEW; Monitoring of Food Trucks 7/10/18 – Submitted by Rep. DePina 08/02/18 – No Action Taken	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA
3. PS30.011	REVIEW; Suicide Prevention Initiatives by the City of Stamford. 06/08/18 – Submitted by Reps. Kolenberg and Stella	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA
4. PS30.014	REVIEW; Complaints regarding Construction of UConn Garage. 08/07/2018 – Submitted by Reps. Moore, Giordano and Zelinsky.	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

A motion to place Item Nos. 2 through 4 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

PARKS & RECREATION COMMITTEE:

Dennis Mahoney, Co-Chair Marion McGarry, Co-Chair

Meeting: Tuesday, August 21, 2018 7:00 p.m. – Republican Caucus Room

1. <u>PR30.007</u>	RESOLUTION; Approving Fee Schedule for Terry Conners Ice Rink. 04/30/18 – Submitted by Laurie Albano 05/14/18 – Moved to Pending	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA
2. <u>PR30.008</u>	RESOLUTION; Establishing Fees for Summer Camp Programs. 04/30/18 – Submitted by Laurie Albano 05/14/18 – Moved to Pending	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA
3. PR30.012	REVIEW; Stamford Park Police Status and Contract. 08/08/18 – Submitted by Reps. McGarry, Matherne, Aquila, Roqueta, Pratt and Sherwood	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

A motion to place Item Nos. 1 through 3 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

EDUCATION COMMITTEE: Diane Lutz, Chair

Megan Cottrell, Vice Chair

Meeting: Monday, August 20, 2018 5:30 p.m. – Democratic Caucus Room

1. <u>E30.005</u>	REVIEW; Provisions for Pedestrian Safety Around Stamford Public Schools. 12/06/17 – Submitted by Rep. de la Cruz 12/18/17 – Held In Committee 5-0-0 01/29/18 – Report Made & Held in Committee 02/15/18 – Report Made & Held in Committee 03/12/18 – Moved to Pending 04/16/18 – Report Made & Held in Committee	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA
	07/30/18 – Report Made & Held in Committee	

A motion to place Item No. 1 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

HOUSING/COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT/ SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE:

Gloria DePina, Chair Lila Wallace, Vice Chair TRANSPORTATION COMMITTEE: Steven Kolenberg, Chair

Bradley Michelson, Vice Chair Meeting: Thursday, August 23, 2018 7:30 p.m. – Republican Caucus Room

1. T30.016 ORDINANCE for publication; Amend § 231-15

Violation of Pedestrian Right of Way to Increase the

Fine Amount.

07/10/18 - Submitted by Rep. Kolenberg

07/26/18 - No Action Taken

2. T30.017 ORDINANCE for publication; Amending §231-45.1,

Residential Parking Program, to Add One-Day

Event Residential Parking Exception.

08/08/18 – Submitted by Reps. Michelson and

Zelinsky

PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

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A motion to place Item No. 1 and 2 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

3. T30.018 REVIEW; Parking at Glenbrook and Springdale

Train Stations, Including Day and Month Rates, Usage, Eligibility Criteria for Monthly Passes, Waitlist Process, and Possible Improvements.

08/08/18 - Submitted by Rep. Lee

A motion to place Item No. 3 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and failed by a vote of 4 ½-7½-2 (Pratt, de la Cruz, Nabel, Pia and Lee in favor; Summerville, Mahoney, Zelinsky, Fedeli, Miller, DiCostanzo, DePina and Quinones opposed; Cottrell, Figueroa and McGarry abstained)

STATE & COMMERCE COMMITTEE: Lindsey Miller, Chair

Robert Roqueta, Vice Chair

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE: Bob Lion, Chair

Nina Sherwood, Vice Chair

Meeting: Thursday, August 23, 2018 6:30 p.m. – Democratic Caucus Room

1. C30.004 REVIEW; Discuss a communications allowance to

assist Board of Representatives members to communicate issue-oriented matters with

constituents, and propose draft rules governing the

appropriate use of said allowance.

03/06/18 – Submitted by Reps. de la Cruz, Lion,

Sherwood, Michelson, Matherne, Zelinsky

03/15/18 – Held in Committee 05/02/18 – Held in Committee 05/22/18 – Held in Committee 06/27/18 – Held in Committee PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

A motion to place Item No. 1 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.

As a Late Submission:

2. C30.008 REVIEW; Review Information Gathered and

Preparation of Report to the Board. 08/10/18 – Submitted by Rep. Lion

A motion to suspend the rules to place Item No. 2 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and failed by a vote of 4-7-0 (de la cruz, Figueroa, Lee, McGarry, and Quinones in favor; Zelinksy, Nabel, Fedeli, Miller, Pia, DiCostanzo, Mahoney and DePina opposed).

MINUTES

 APPROVAL; August 6, 2018 Regular Board Meeting Minutes

President Quinones adjourned the meeting at 8:30 p.m.

This meeting is on video.

PENDING AGENDA

Legislative & Rules Committee

1. LR30.031 REVIEW; Ethics Complaint Process as Recognized

by the Board Of Ethics from Submission to Final

Determination and Consequence.

02/07/18 - Submitted by Rep. McMullen

02/12/18 - Moved to Pending

REMAIN ON PENDING

Operations Committee:

REVIEW; Stamford's Ability to Comply with the 1. O30.013 **REMAIN ON** ACLU's Call to Establish Municipal Broadband **PENDING**

Service.

03/29/18 - Submitted by Rep. Jacobson

04/23/18 - Held in Committee 05/14/18 - Moved to Pending

Parks & Recreation Committee

1. <u>PR30.004</u>	REVIEW; Maintenance, Upkeep and Future Plans	REMAIN ON
	for Marinas.	PENDING

02/07/18 - Submitted by Reps. Sherwood and

02/26/18 - Report Made and Held in Committee

03/20/18 - Report Made and Held in Committee 04/17/18 - Report Made & Held in Committee

05/14/18 - Moved to Pending

2. PR30.009 RESOLUTION; Approving Fees for Use of **REMAIN ON PENDING**

Ballfields.

04/30/18 - Submitted by Laurie Albano

05/14/18 - Moved to Pending

3. PR30.010 RESOLUTION; Approving Travel Team Beach **REMAIN ON PENDING**

Parking Fees.

04/30/18 - Submitted by Laurie Albano

05/14/18 - Moved to Pending

Education Committee

1. E30.016	REVIEW; City personnel performing SPS Central Office functions. 05/11/18 – Submitted by Rep. de la Cruz 06/11/18 – Moved to Pending	REMAIN ON PENDING
2. E30.017	REVIEW; Stamford Public Schools Recycling initiatives. 05/14/18 – Submitted by Rep. Lutz 06/11/18 – Moved to Pending	PLACE ON THE SEPTEMBER AGENDA

A motion to place Item No. 2 on the September Agenda was made, seconded and approved by unanimous voice vote.