



**CITY OF NEW BEDFORD**  
**MASSACHUSETTS**  
**City Council 2007**

Joint Statement of the New Bedford City Council on the passing  
of  
City Council President Leo R. Pimental

“Words cannot express the loss we feel on the passing of our dear friend, colleague and leader Leo R. Pimental. Leo exemplified public service in its purest form. He was committed to his work, his family, and his community and he can never be replaced. We join with the entire citizenry in extending our condolences to the Pimental Family. New Bedford has lost one of its most passionate advocates.”

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