



# Appointments and Briefings

February 13, 2017 – 7:00 PM – **Agenda**  
Chambers of the City Council, Room 214

1. PUBLIC HEARING on a COMMUNICATION/DEMOLITION, New Bedford Historical Commission, to City Council, re: 1494 East Rodney French Boulevard, (Map 12, Lot 77), circa 1890 wood framed structure; the structure retains historical significance due to its association with New Bedford's 20th century boat building industry and the widely recognized innovative boat design and manufacturing techniques attributed to Palmer Scott; the structure has been vacant for nearly a decade, has experienced a high level of deferred maintenance, and the level of rehabilitation required to meet current building code standards far exceeds the value of the property; and therefore, in light of these findings, the New Bedford Historical Commission has determined that the structure at 1494 East Rodney French Boulevard is Historically Significant, but is not a Preferably Preserved Structure. (Ref'd 12/8/16)

***INVITEES: New Bedford Historical Commission Chairperson Diana Henry; Planning and Community Development Director Patrick J. Sullivan; Preservation Planner Anne Louro; DIS Commissioner, Danny Romanowicz; Kristie's Wrecking, Property Owner Agent; Gregory Kulpinski, Property Owner; Abutters***

2. COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the REAPPOINTMENT and WAIVER OF RESIDENCY for JAMES E. BOYLE, South Dartmouth, MA, to the HARBOR DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; this term will expire December 2018. (Ref'd 1/12/17)

***INVITEES: James E. Boyle***

3. COMMUNICATION, Mayor Mitchell, to City Council, submitting the REAPPOINTMENT and WAIVER OF RESIDENCY for DAVIS L. SULLIVAN, Rochester, MA, to the HARBOR DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; this term will expire December 2019. (Ref'd 1/12/17)

***INVITEES: Davis L. Sullivan***

4. RELATED MOTION, Councillor Carney, requesting, that DFFM Commissioner Kenneth Blanchard appear before the Committee on Appointments and Briefings to discuss the new Janitorial fees implemented for Community and City run Organizations at public buildings. (Ref'd 1/12/17)

***INVITEES: Kenneth Blanchard, DFFM Commissioner***