



City Council
Maintenance and Development Sub-Committee <http://www.springfieldcityhall.com>
~ Minutes ~

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Springfield, MA 01103

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Thursday, October 10, 2019

5:30 PM

City Hall -- Room 200

I. Call to Order

5:30 PM Meeting called to order on October 10, 2019 at City Hall -- Room 200, 36 Court Street, Springfield, MA.

Attendee Name	Title	Status	Arrived
Tracye Whitfield	Councilwoman	Excused	
Adam Gomez	Ward 1 Councilor	Excused	
Timothy Ryan		Present	
Michael A. Fenton	Ward 2 Councilor	Excused	
Melvin A. Edwards	Ward 3 Councilor	Excused	
E. Henry Twiggs	Ward 4 Councilor	Excused	
Kenneth E. Shea	Ward 6 Councilor	Excused	
Orlando Ramos	Vice President - Ward 8 Councilor	Excused	
Jesse Lederman		Present	
Marcus J Williams	vice-president	Present	
Timothy C. Allen	Ward 7 Councilor	Excused	
Kateri B. Walsh	At-Large Councilor	Excused	
Justin Hurst	President	Excused	

II. Public Portion

1. Discussion of Enhancing curbside appeal as it relates to littering, etc.

Members from the community spoke with regards to issues regarding "curb appeal" throughout the city. Trash located around our city mention on I-91N/S and 290 E/W East Columbus avenue, boston road and several other neighborhoods. Concerned citizens would like to see some type of action taken to help prevent this throughout the city.

III. Discussion of enhancing park appeal as it relates to ongoing drug and alcohol activity and tents emerging in Magazine and Appleseed parks.

Another concerned citizen contacted Councilor Williams with regards to two specific parks and an up-tick in drug and alcohol activity and tents being put up at the parks. Would like to see more police patrolling the area and more coverage to help prevent this type of activity at our local parks.