

HEARINGS:

1. Petition of Verizon New England, Inc., proposing to place 2-4 inch conduits from existing MH 232 at the intersection of Pleasant and Ash Streets, Southerly across Pleasant St., to Pole 24/1-1 Ash Street; approximately 200 feet.
2. Petition of Clifford Lechtur 249 Belmont Ave., Brockton for a Solicit and Canvass license for Signature Cleaners (Legion Parkway Cleaners).

REPORTS:

3. Of the Finance Committee for its meeting of January 22, 2013

COMMUNICATIONS:

4. From the DPW Commissioner requesting acceptance of the award from the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) Sustainable Materials Recovery Program Municipal Grant (SMRP) in the amount of \$2,000.00. The purpose of the grant is to purchase a second Paint Swap Shed needed to help with the increase of paint being dropped off at the City of Brockton Recycling Depot at 301 Oak Hill Way.
5. From the Mayor recommending that the City Council authorize the acceptance and appropriation of the award of \$2,000.00 from the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Sustainable Materials Recovery Program Grant for Small Scale Initiatives to Department of Public Works- Sustainable Materials Recovery Program Grant for Small Scale Initiatives. This grant is to fund the city's recycling program, which provides the collection of mercury, paint, and automotive waste collection equipment.
6. From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Ch. 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying the proposed grant of \$2,000.00 from Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Sustainable Materials Recovery Program Grant for Small Scale Initiatives to Department of Public Works- Sustainable Materials Recovery Program Grant for Small Scale Initiatives.
7. From the City Auditor certifying that the balance of the Sale of Lots and Graves Account as of January 18, 2013 is \$369,272.81
8. From the Acting Superintendent of Cemeteries requesting a transfer of \$80,000 from Account Sale of Lots and Graves to Melrose Department Equipment for the purchase of a new Backhoe Loader to replace current 1997 Backhoe Loader.
9. From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Ch. 44, recommending a transfer of \$80,000 from Sale of Lots and Graves to Cemetery Capital Projects for purchasing a Backhoe Loader.
10. From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Ch. 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying the proposed transfer of \$80,000 from Sale of Lots and Graves to Cemetery Capital Projects
11. From the Chief of Police requesting authorization to expend grant monies related to FY2013 State 911 Department Training and Emergency Medical Dispatch Grant in the amount of \$151,419.69

12. From the Mayor in accordance with M.G.L., Ch. 44, recommending that the City Council authorize the appropriation of the grant award in the amount of \$151,419.69 from FY2013 State 911 Department Training and Emergency Medical Dispatch Grant to Brockton Police Department: FY2013 State 911 Department Training and Emergency Medical Dispatch Grant. These grant funds will be used to pay for a contracted vendor to deliver state certified classes on site at the Brockton Police Department for all Police and Electronic Telecommunication Dispatchers.
13. From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Ch. 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying the proposed appropriation of \$151,419.69 from FY2013 State 911 Department Training and Emergency Medical Dispatch Grant to Brockton Police Department: FY2013 State 911 Department Training and Emergency Medical Dispatch Grant.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

14. Petition of Antero Rodrigues & Joao Depina, Unique Collision & Repair Center for a Motor Vehicle Repair Mechanical/Body License located at 225 North Montello St. (IN CITY COUNCIL JANUARY 14, 2013, POSTPONED UNTIL NEXT CITY COUNCIL MEETING)
15. Reappointment of Thomas A. DeChellis as a Special Police Officer of the City of Brockton for a one year term ending January 2014. (FAVORABLE)
16. Appropriation of \$5,000  
From: Treasurer's purchase of services-security/fire control  
To: Treasurer's personal services-overtime  
(In order to cover the expected overtime costs for the remainder of the fiscal year)  
(FAVORABLE)
17. Appropriation of \$18,895  
From: Stabilization Fund FY13  
To: Mayor-Personal Services  
(for the separation costs for Kenneth Thompson) (FAVORABLE)
18. Ordered: That the City Council votes to approve the adoption by the Brockton Contributory Retirement Board of the local option to increase the annual benefits payable to widows of disabled public employees to \$12,000.00 per year, in accordance with the provisions of M.G.L. Ch. 32 Sec. 101. (FAVORABLE)
19. Ordered: That the City Council votes to approve the adoption by the Brockton Contributory Retirement Board of the local option to increase the minimum monthly pension allowance from \$250.00 to \$500.00 to beneficiaries of employees eligible to retire who died in service prior to retirement pursuant to Option (d) under M.G.L., Ch. 32 Sec. 12. (FAVORABLE)
20. Ordered: That the following named sum be and the same is hereby appropriated as the same was submitted by the Mayor as follows appropriation of the grant award in the amount of \$8,500 in grant funds from the MEMA (EMPG) Performance Grant Program. (The Brockton Emergency Management (BEMA) intends to use the grant funds for radios and radio equipment for the Brockton Fire and Brockton Police Department. No matching funds are required)  
(FAVORABLE)

ORDERS:

21. Ordinance: An Ordinance amending Chapter XXVII of the Revised Ordinances of the City of Brockton. Be it ordained by the City Council of Brockton as follows: Section 27-25 R-1 Zones, single family residential zones.
22. Appropriation of: \$2,000.00  
From: Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection Sustainable Materials Recovery Program Grant for Small Scale Initiatives  
To: Department of Public Works- Sustainable Materials Recovery Program Grant for Small Scale Initiatives. (This grant is to fund the city's recycling program, which provides the collection of mercury, paint, and automotive waste collection equipment.)
23. Appropriation of \$80,000  
From: Sale of Lots and Graves  
To: Cemetery Capital Projects (for purchasing a Backhoe Loader)
24. Appropriation of: \$151,419.69  
From: FY2013 State 911 Department Training and Emergency Medical Dispatch Grant  
To: Brockton Police Department: FY2013 State 911 Department Training and Emergency Medical Dispatch Grant. (These grant funds will be used to pay for a contracted vendor to deliver state certified classes on site at the Brockton Police Department for all Police and Electronic Telecommunication Dispatchers. (There is no required match for these funds)
25. Resolved: That Captain Leo Lloyd of the Salvation Army be invited to appear before a committee of the Council to provide information concerning the Salvation Army's new curbside pick-up plan.
26. Granting of Verizon New England, Inc., proposing to place 2-4 inch conduits from existing MH 232 at the intersection of Pleasant and Ash Streets, Southerly across Pleasant St., to Pole 24/1-1 Ash Street; approximately 200 feet.