

FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES

The Standing Committee on Finance met on Monday, July 20, 2015 at 7:00 PM in the Council Chamber with Councilor Eaniri presiding. All councilors were present except Councilors Dubois, Monahan and Stewart.

1. **ORDER:** That the City Council of the City of Brockton acting pursuant of Chapter 40Q of the Massachusetts General Laws hereby approves the downtown Brockton District, designates the City of Brockton Planning & Economic Dept, directs the City of Brockton Assessing Department and authorizes the Planning Department to take any other action in connection with the approval of the district.
RECOMMENDED FAVORABLY

2. **ORDER:** That the City Council of the City of Brockton petitions the Great and General Court under the provisions of Section 8 of Article 89 of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for an Act as follows: An Act authorizing the City of Brockton to impose a local sales tax on certain sales of medical marijuana.
POSTPONED JULY 20, 2015 FOR NEXT FINANCE MEETING IN AUGUST.

3. **RESOLVE:** That the Mayor be requested to appropriate money for a study of the Brockton Police Department Staffing Span of Control and to provide recommendations for reducing supervisory positions within the department and increasing patrol officers.
POSTPONED JULY 20, 2015 FOR NEXT FINANCE MEETING IN AUGUST.

4. **RESOLVE:** That the City Council hereby requests that a representative and/or representatives of Aquaria appear before the Finance Committee to address questions pertaining to the Desalinization water contract.
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