

ORDINANCE COMMITTEE AGENDA

Thursday, February 17, 2022
6:00 PM
City Council Chambers
Second floor
City Hall, 45 School St.
Brockton, MA 02301

1. Public Hearing Scheduled

1. Ordinance: Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Brockton as follows:
That the City Council adopt the following Amendments to the Section 24-24.4 “Adult use of Marijuana” relative to Regulation and Zoning of Marijuana:

To strike the language “*Marijuana Retailer operations shall not be conducted or located on the ground floor in C-3 Zones*” in its entirety in Sec. 27-24.4 (b)(i).

Invited to attend:

Councilor at Large Moises Rodrigues

Megan Bridges, City Solicitor

Mr. Paul Protentis, Owner of Protentis Plaza Realty

Mr. Victor Teixeira, Business Owner

2. Public Hearing Scheduled

2. Ordinance: Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Brockton as follows: That the City Council adopt the following Amendments to the Section 24-24.4 “Adult use of Marijuana” relative to Regulation and Zoning of Marijuana: To strike the language “8 p.m.” and insert it its place “10 p.m.” in Sec. 27-24.4 (b)(ii).

Invited to attend:

Megan Bridges, City Solicitor

Mr. Chirag Patel

3. Ordinance: “An Ordinance to establish Honorary Positions for the Poet Laureate and Youth Poet Laureate in the City of Brockton”
Be it Ordained by the City Council of the City of Brockton as follows, and inserted into the Ordinances where appropriate:

(a) Poet Laureate

The City of Brockton shall designate a poet as the official Poet Laureate in the City of Brockton. The Poet Laureate shall be appointed by the mayor upon recommendation of the Brockton Library Board of Trustees and confirmed by the City Council. The Poet Laureate shall be a resident of the City of Brockton and shall serve for a two-year term.

(b) Youth Poet Laureate

The City of Brockton shall designate a poet as the official Youth Poet Laureate in the City of Brockton. The Youth Poet Laureate shall be appointed by the mayor upon recommendation of the Brockton Library Board of Trustees and confirmed by the City Council. The Youth Poet Laureate shall be a resident of the City of Brockton and shall serve for a one-year term. The Youth Poet Laureate shall be no more than twenty-one (21) years of age at the time of the appointment.

(c) Responsibilities

The responsibilities of the Poet Laureate and the Youth Poet Laureate may include, but not be limited to, providing public poetry readings, encouraging poetry appreciation within the city, and composing and publishing poems. These positions are honorary in nature and the positions shall not receive any monetary compensation from the city.

Invited to attend:

Brockton Poet Laureate, Philip Hasouris