

Notice is hereby given that the regularly scheduled meeting of the City Council will be held on Monday evening January 23, 2023 at 7:00PM in the Council Chambers, City Hall, 45 School St., Brockton, MA. The meeting was called to order at 7:01 PM with nine members present. Councilors Minchiello and Tavares absent.

744. Acceptance of the Minutes of the January 11, 2023 City Council meeting.

Accepted and placed on file

APPOINTMENTS:

745. Appointment of Monique Screen-Berry of 126 Torrey Street Brockton, MA 02301 to the Zoning Board of Appeals as a Member for a three-year term, ending January 2025.

Clerk Cruise tells Council that there is a scrivener's error and the term will end January 2026.

Referred to Finance

746. Appointment of Iolando Spinola of 23 Noyes Ave, Brockton, MA 02301 to the Planning Board for a five-year term, ending January 2028.

Referred to Finance

747. Appointments of the following officers as a Special Police Officer:

Spencer Benoit of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Jason Mosley of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Adelson Mendes of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Marc Deveau of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Daniel Vaughn of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Abraham D. Nazario Jr. of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Alicia Fernandes of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Darnell Campbell of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

David R. Wallant Jr. of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Kevin Smith of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301

Councilor Lally motioned to move under Suspension of Rules and was properly seconded. The motion carried by a hand vote. Confirmed by a roll call vote taken by "yeas" and nays"; nine members present and all voting in the affirmative.

Councilor Lally motioned to file for reconsideration with the wish that it not prevail and was properly seconded. Reconsideration failed by a hand vote.

REPORTS:

748. Of the Finance Committee for its meeting of January 17, 2023.

Accepted and placed on file

COMMUNICATIONS:

749. From the Mayor in accordance with M.G.L. c. 138, §6, designating Commissioner Jeffrey Charnel to serve as Chairman of the License Commission.

Accepted and placed on file

**223. (COMMUNICATIONS CONT.)**

750.From the Mayor informing the City Council that Iolando Spinola of 23 Noyes Ave, Brockton MA 02301 is resigning as an Alternate Member of the Zoning Board of Appeals effective December 20, 2022.

Accepted and placed on file

751.From the Mayor appointing Monique Screen-Berry of 126 Torrey Street Brockton, MA 02301 to the Zoning Board of Appeals as a Member for a three-year term, ending January 2025.

Accepted and placed on file

752.From the Mayor appointing Iolando Spinola of 23 Noyes Ave, Brockton, MA 02301 to the Planning Board for a five-year term, ending January 2028.

Accepted and placed on file

753.From the Mayor appointing the following officers as a Special Police Officer: Spencer Benoit of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, Jason Mosley of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, Adelson Mendes of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, Marc Deveau of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, Daniel Vaughn of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, Abraham D. Nazario Jr. of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, Alicia Fernandes of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, Darnell Campbell of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, David R. Wallant Jr. of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301, Kevin Smith of 43 Crescent Street, Brockton MA 02301.

Accepted and placed on file

754.From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending that the City Council authorize the acceptance and expenditure of the grant award in the amount of \$198,263 from...DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES (DOER) GREEN COMMUNITIES DIVISION-FY23 GREEN COMMUNITIES COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM to.... FINANCE DEPARTMENT-FY23 GREEN COMMUNITIES COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM FUND.

These grant funds will be used to fund the following projects:

\$188,263, City-EV charging stations (31)

\$10,000, City-Administrative assistance

There is no match required for this grant.

Accepted and placed on file

755.From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are and will continue to be adequate to support the acceptance and expenditure of the grant award in the amount of \$198,263 from...DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY RESOURCES (DOER) GREEN COMMUNITIES DIVISION-FY23 GREEN COMMUNITIES COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM to.... FINANCE DEPARTMENT-FY23 GREEN COMMUNITIES COMPETITIVE GRANT PROGRAM FUND without a detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

Accepted and placed on file

**224. (COMMUNICATIONS CONT.)**

756.From the Police Chief requesting authorization to expend grant monies related to the FY 23 Municipal Staffing Grant from the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security's Office of Grants and Research in the amount of \$293,850.00.

Accepted and placed on file

757.From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending that the City Council authorize the acceptance and expenditure of the grant award in the amount of \$293,850.00 from... THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY'S OFFICE OF GRANTS AND RESEARCH-FY23 MUNICIPAL PUBLIC SAFETY STAFFING GRANT to.... BROCKTON POLICE DEPARTMENT- FY23 MUNICIPAL PUBLIC SAFETY STAFFING GRANT FUND.

These grant funds are provided to the Brockton Police Department to pay overtime wages for patrol shift minimum staffing, shift overruns, detective investigations, restraining order service, training, community policing activities, etc. There is no match required for this grant.

Accepted and placed on file

758.From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are and will continue to be adequate to support the acceptance and expenditure of the grant award in the amount of \$293,850.00 from...THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY'S OFFICE OF GRANTS AND RESEARCH-FY23 MUNICIPAL PUBLIC SAFETY STAFFING GRANT to.... BROCKTON POLICE DEPARTMENT- FY23 MUNICIPAL PUBLIC SAFETY STAFFING GRANT FUND without a detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

Accepted and placed on file

759.From the Police Chief requesting authorization to expend grant monies related to the Covid 19 Sexual and Domestic Violence Trust Fund Grant from the Executive Office of Health and Human Services – Department of Public Health in the amount of \$286,488.75.

Accepted and placed on file

760.From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending that the City Council authorize the acceptance and expenditure of the grant award in the amount of \$286,488.75 from...THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES-DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH-FY23 COVID 19 SEXUAL AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TRUST GRANT to.... BROCKTON POLICE DEPARTMENT-FY23 COVID 19 SEXUAL AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TRUST FUND GRANT.

These grant funds are provided to the Brockton Police Department to pay overtime wages for patrol shift minimum staffing, shift overruns, detective investigations, restraining order service, training, community policing activities, etc. There is no match required for this grant.

Accepted and placed on file

## 225. (COMMUNICATIONS CONT.)

761. From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are and will continue to be adequate to support the acceptance and expenditure of the grant award in the amount of \$286,488.75 from... THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES-DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH-FY23 COVID 19 SEXUAL AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TRUST GRANT to.... BROCKTON POLICE DEPARTMENT-FY23 COVID 19 SEXUAL AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE TRUST FUND GRANT without a detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

Accepted and placed on file

762. From the Police Chief requesting authorization to expend grant monies related to the 2023 Senator Charles E. Shannon, Jr. Community Safety Initiative Grant from the Executive Office of Public Safety and Security Office of Grants and Research in the amount of \$718,400.00.

Accepted and placed on file

763. From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending that the City Council authorize the acceptance and expenditure of the grant award in the amount of \$718,400.00 from... COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY OFFICE OF GRANTS & RESEARCH-FY23 SENATOR CHARLES E. SHANNON, JR. COMMUNITY SAFETY INITIATIVE to.... BROCKTON POLICE DEPARTMENT-FY23 SENATOR CHARLES E. SHANNON, JR. COMMUNITY SAFETY INITIATIVE GRANT FUND.  
These grant funds will pay for gang prevention efforts throughout the City. Police overtime will be used for outreach efforts to at-risk youth, hot spot suppression by the Brockton Police Department Gang Unit, and SRO/School Police home visits. This award will also fund Old Colony YMCA street development through its Kidz Konnect program, provide camperships at the Boys and Girls Club, create services from Luminosity. The grants funds will also allow Strategies for Youth to continue to introduce their Juvenile Justice Jeopardy Game that fosters relationships with the at-risk youth and law Health Imperatives to educate youth about dating violence, and Free the Captive Ministry to teach STEM education via one on one coaching and mentoring. The match consists of in-kind services only.

Accepted and placed on file

764. From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are and will continue to be adequate to support the acceptance and expenditure of the grant award in the amount of \$718,400.00 from... COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY OFFICE OF GRANTS & RESEARCH-FY23 SENATOR CHARLES E. SHANNON, JR. COMMUNITY SAFETY INITIATIVE to.... BROCKTON POLICE DEPARTMENT-FY23 SENATOR CHARLES E. SHANNON, JR. COMMUNITY SAFETY INITIATIVE GRANT FUND without a detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

Accepted and placed on file

**226. (COMMUNICATIONS CONT.)**

765. From the Director of Planning and Economic Development requesting the City Council to restore the \$175,000 cut to the DIF line item 531-716. The funds were intended to further our Downtown Action Strategy and Urban Renewal Plan.

Accepted and placed on file

766. From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending the total transfer of \$175,000 as follows:

FROM: DPW-HIGHWAY-SNOW REMOVAL  
\$175,000  
PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT –  
PURCHASE OF SERVICES  
\$175,000

Accepted and placed on file

Councilor Minichiello stepped in.

767. From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are adequate to support the total transfer of \$175,000 as follows:

FROM: DPW-HIGHWAY-SNOW REMOVAL  
\$175,000  
TO: PLANNING & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT –  
PURCHASE OF SERVICES  
\$175,000

without detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

\*This transfer is intended to replenish the budget to the mayor's original FY23 proposal.

Accepted and placed on file

768. From the City Solicitor requesting that the City Council authorize a transfer in the amount of \$20,000 from "Part-Time Salaries" to "Consultants" as well as a transfer in the amount of \$50,000 from "Court Judgements" to "Legal". The law department believes that these transfers will not impact any existing municipal services.

Accepted and placed on file

769. From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending the total transfer of \$70,000 as follows:

FROM: LAW-COURT JUDGEMENTS  
\$50,000  
LAW-PERSONAL SERVICES OTHER THAN OVER-TIME  
\$20,000  
TO: LAW-PURCHASE OF SERVICES  
\$70,000

Accepted and placed on file

**227. (COMMUNICATIONS CONT.)**

770. From the CFO In accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are adequate to support the total transfer of \$70,000 as follows:

FROM: LAW-COURT JUDGEMENTS

\$50,000

LAW-PERSONAL SERVICES OTHER THAN OVER-TIME

\$20,000

TO: LAW-PURCHASE OF SERVICES

\$70,000

without detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

\*This transfer is intended to replenish the budget to the mayor's original FY23 proposal.

Accepted and placed on file

771. From the DPW Commissioner requesting that the City Council authorize an appropriation in the amount of \$416,389 from the "Desal Variable" to the Water Enterprise Account.

Accepted and placed on file

772. From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending the total transfer of \$416,389 as follows:

FROM: DPW-WATER-DESAL-VARIABLE COST

\$416,389

TO: DPW-WATER PURCHASE OF SERVICES

\$416,389

Accepted and placed on file

773. From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are adequate to support the total transfer of \$416,389 as follows:

FROM: DPW-WATER-DESAL-VARIABLE COST

\$416,389

TO: DPW- WATER PURCHASE OF SERVICES

\$416,389

without detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

\*This transfer is intended to replenish the budget to the mayor's original FY23 proposal.

Accepted and placed on file

774. From the Inspector of Buildings requesting that the City Council authorize a transfer in the amount of \$200,000 from "DPW Highway – Snow Removal" to "Public Property – Stadium Purchase of Services".

Accepted and placed on file

775. From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending the total transfer of \$200,000 as follows:

FROM: DPW-HIGHWAY-SNOW REMOVAL

\$200,000

TO: PUBLIC PROPERTY- STADIUM PURCHASE OF SERVICES

\$200,000

Accepted and placed on file

**228. (COMMUNICATIONS CONT.)**

776.From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are adequate to support the total transfer of \$200,000 as follows:

FROM: DPW-HIGHWAY-SNOW REMOVAL

\$200,000

TO: PUBLIC PROPERTY- STADIUM PURCHASE OF SERVICES

\$200,000

without detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

\*This transfer is intended to replenish the budget to the mayor's original FY23 proposal.

Accepted and placed on file

777.From the DPW Commissioner requesting that the City Council authorizes an appropriation in the amount of \$815,802 from the "unappropriated estimated receipts" to the Sewer Enterprise Account.

Accepted and placed on file

778.From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending the total appropriation of \$815,802 as follows:

FROM: UNAPPROPRIATED ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

\$815,802

TO: DPW-SEWER ENTERPRISE-PURCHASE OF SERVICES

\$815,802

Accepted and placed on file

779.From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are adequate to support the total proposed appropriation of \$815,802 as follows:

FROM: UNAPPROPRIATED ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

\$815,802

TO: DPW-SEWER ENTERPRISE-PURCHASE OF SERVICES

\$815,802

without detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

Accepted and placed on file

780.From the Mayor in accordance with the General Laws of Massachusetts, Chapter 44, recommending the total transfer of \$90,000 as follows:

FROM: HUMAN RESOURCES- EMPLOYEE BENEFITS

\$90,000

TO: MAYOR-PURCHASE OF SERVICES

\$80,000

MAYOR-GOODS AND SUPPLIES

\$10,000

Accepted and placed on file

**229. (COMMUNICATIONS CONT.)**

781. From the CFO in accordance with Section 5 of Chapter 324 of the Acts of 1990, certifying that the financial resources and revenues of the City of Brockton are adequate to support the total transfer of \$90,000 as follows:

FROM: HUMAN RESOURCES- EMPLOYEE BENEFITS	\$90,000
TO: MAYOR-PURCHASE OF SERVICES	\$80,000
MAYOR-GOODS AND SUPPLIES	\$10,000

without detrimental impact on the continuous provision of the existing level of municipal services.

\*This transfer is intended to replenish the budget to the mayor's original FY23 proposal.

Accepted and placed on file

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Councilor Tavares stepped in.

724. Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$267,600.

From: Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security- FY2023 Massachusetts Municipal Public Safety Staffing Grant  
To: Brockton Fire Department- FY2023 Massachusetts Municipal Public Safety Staffing Grant Fund

(These grant funds will be used for overtime necessary to maintain staffing levels. There is no match required for this grant.) (FAVORABLE)

Adopted by a roll call vote taken by "yeas" and "nays"; eleven members present and all voting in the affirmative.

725. Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$41,500.84.

From: Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Fire Services- 2023 Firefighter Safety Equipment Grant  
To: Brockton Fire Department- 2023 Firefighter Safety Equipment Grant Fund

(These grant funds will be used to purchase equipment to combat the ever-increasing fires and fire potential from lithium ion batteries. There is no match required for this grant.) (FAVORABLE)

Adopted by a roll call vote taken by "yeas" and "nays"; eleven members present and all voting in the affirmative.

726. Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$230,940.00

From: The Executive Office of Elder Affairs-FY23 Formula Grant  
To: Council on Aging-FY23 Formula Grant Fund

These grant funds will be dispersed in the following manner:

- Salaries including overtime
  - Energy
  - Department equipment repair
  - Printing
  - Office Supplies
- Registration, memberships and subscriptions (FAVORABLE)

Adopted by a roll call vote taken by "yeas" and "nays"; eleven members present and all voting in the affirmative.



**230. (UNFINISHED BUSINESS CONT.)**

727. Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$150,000.

From: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)- 2022 Southeast New England Program (SNEP) Grant

To: Department of Planning and Economic Development- 2022 Southeast New England Program (SNEP) Grant Fund

(These grant funds will be used to study nature-based solutions to reduce flooding on Trout Brook and the Salisbury Plain River. There is a local match of \$50,000 required.) (FAVORABLE)

Adopted by a roll call vote taken by “yeas” and “nays”; eleven members present and all voting in the affirmative.

728. Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$50,000.

From: The Massachusetts Office on Disability MMARS Department-FY23 Municipal ADA Improvement Grant

To: Finance Department-FY23 Municipal ADA Improvement Grant Fund

These grant funds will be used to hire a consultant with EOAF Grant Funds to complete an ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan. The Project scope includes an ADA Self-Evaluation and Transition Plan encompassing all of Grantee’s facilities, activities, programs and services. (FAVORABLE)

Adopted by a roll call vote taken by “yeas” and “nays”; eleven members present and all voting in the affirmative.

729. Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$73,551.

From: The U.S Department of Justice- FY22 Massachusetts State Police Edward J. Byrne Justice Assistance Grant Program

To: City of Brockton Police Department- FY22 Massachusetts State Police Edward J. Byrne Justice Assistance Grant Program Fund.

(These grant funds will be used to fund overtime used for community policing and outreach efforts. **There is no match requirement.**) (FAVORABLE)

Adopted by a roll call vote taken by “yeas” and “nays”; eleven members present and all voting in the affirmative.

730. Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$80,000.

From: The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection- FY23 MassDEP FY23 RDP Grant

To: Department of Public Works Refuse Division- FY23 MassDEP FY23 RDP Grant Fund

These grants will be used by the Department of Public Works Refuse Division to pay the January, February, March and part of April Recycle Cart portion of the trash bill (\$23,682 per month). The city will own the containers after April. (FAVORABLE)

Adopted by a roll call vote taken by “yeas” and “nays”; eleven members present and all voting in the affirmative.

**231. (UNFINISHED BUSINESS CONT.)**

731.Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$426,000.

From: Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Housing and Economic Development- FY2023 Community Empowerment and Reinvestment Program Grant  
To: Finance Department-FY2023 Community Empowerment and Reinvestment Program Grant Fund

(These grant funds will be used to support the Brockton Second Chances Project. The services that will be provided to meet the unique needs of formerly incarcerated and court-supervised individuals are IT trainings, CDL training programming, housing services for individuals suffering from substance use disorder, and case management services.) (FAVORABLE)

Adopted by a roll call vote taken by “yeas” and “nays”; eleven members present and all voting in the affirmative.

**ORDERS:**

782.Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$198,263.

From: Department of Energy Resources (DOER) Green Communities Division-FY23 Green Communities Competitive Grant Program  
To: Finance Department – FY23 Green Communities Competitive Grant Program Fund  
(These grant funds will be used to fund the following projects:

- ❖ \$188,263, City-EV charging stations (31)
- ❖ \$10,000, City-Administrative assistance

(There is no match required for this grant.)

Referred to Finance

783.Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$293,850.00.

From: The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security’s Office of Grants and Research-FY23 Municipal Public Safety Staffing Grant  
To: Brockton Police Department – FY23 Municipal Public Safety Staffing Grant Fund  
(Grant funds are provided to the Brockton Police Department to pay overtime wages for patrol shift minimum staffing, shift overruns, detective investigations, restraining order service, training, community policing activities. There is no match required.)

Referred to Finance

784.Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$286,488.75.

From: The Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services-Department of Public Health -FY23 Covid 19 Sexual and Domestic Violence Trust Grant Program  
To: Brockton Police Department – FY23 Covid 19 Sexual and Domestic Violence Trust Grant Program Fund

(Grant funds are provided to the Brockton Police Department to pay overtime wages for patrol shift minimum staffing, shift overruns, detective investigations, restraining order service, training, community policing activities. There is no match required.)

Referred to Finance

**232. (ORDERS CONT.)**

785. Ordered: That the City Council authorizes the acceptance and expenditure of the total grant funds in the amount of \$718,400.

From: Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety and Security-Office of Grants & Research-FY23 Senator Charles E. Shannon, Jr.  
Community Safety Initiative Grant

To: Brockton Police Department – FY23 Senator Charles E. Shannon, Jr. Community Safety Initiative Grant Fund

(These grant funds will pay for gang prevention efforts throughout the City. Police overtime will be used for outreach efforts to at-risk youth, hot spot suppression by the Brockton Police Department Gang Unit, and SRO/School Police home visits. This award will also fund Old Colony YMCA street development through its Kidz Konnect program, provide camperships at the Boys and Girls Club, create services from Luminosity. The grants funds will also allow Strategies for Youth to continue to introduce their Juvenile Justice Jeopardy Game that fosters relationships with the at-risk youth and law Health Imperatives to educate youth about dating violence, and Free the Captive Ministry to teach STEM education via one on one coaching and mentoring. The match consists of in-kind services only.)

Referred to Finance

786. Ordered: That the following named sum be and the same is hereby transferred as the same was submitted by the Mayor as follows:

Transfer of \$175,000

From: DPW-Highway-Snow Removal	\$175,000
To: Planning & Economic Development –Purchases of Services	\$175,000

Referred to Finance

787. Ordered: That the following named sum be and the same is hereby transferred as the same was submitted by the Mayor as follows:

Transfer of \$70,000.

From: Law-Court Judgements	\$50,000
Law-Personal Services Other than Over-time	\$20,000
To: Law-Purchases of Services	\$70,000

Referred to Finance

788. Ordered: That the following named sum be and the same is hereby transferred as the same was submitted by the Mayor as follows:

Transfer of \$416,389

From: DPW-Water-Desal-Variable Cost	\$416,389
To: DPW-Water-Purchases of Services	\$416,389

Referred to Finance

789. Ordered: That the following named sum be and the same is hereby transferred as the same was submitted by the Mayor as follows:

Transfer of \$200,000

From: DPW-Highway-Snow Removal	\$200,000
To: Public Property – Stadium Purchases of Services	\$200,000

Referred to Finance

**233. (ORDERS CONT.)**

790.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 \$815,802	
From: Unappropriated Estimated Receipts	\$815,802
To: DPW- Sewer Enterprise-Purchase of Services	\$815,802

Referred to Finance

791.Ordered: That the following named sum be and the same is hereby transferred as the same was submitted by the Mayor as follows:

Transfer of \$90,000	
From: Human Resources-Employee Benefits	\$90,000
To: Mayor-Purchases of Services	\$80,000
Mayor-Goods and Supplies	\$10,000

Referred to Finance

RESOLVES:

792.Resolved: To invite Brockton Fire Chief, Brian Nardelli, to appear before the council to present, pursuant to Revised Ordinances Sec. 6-33, his report on the Fire Department, and such remarks and recommendations as appropriate.

Referred to Finance

793.Resolved: To invite Brockton Chief of Police, Brenda Perez, to appear before the City Council to present her annual report, prepared pursuant to Revised Ordinances Sec. 19-26, discussing the department’s business of the preceding calendar year, with her remarks and recommendations.

Referred to Finance

LATE FILE

Council Farwell motioned to accept a late file and was properly seconded. The motion carried by a hand vote.

794.Ordinance: An Ordinance Amending Article III, Division 2, Section 2-127 – Pay Plan  
 Be it ordained by the City Council of the City of Brockton, Article III, Section 2-127 is hereby amended by inserting “Conservation Commission Chair, Conservation Commission Member” to the categories of pay plan positions with the initial use of “ConCom” to designate the Conservation Commission. Be it further amended that the pay plan reflect the following for compensation:

<i>ConCom-1</i>	<i>Conservation Commission Chair</i>	<i>\$300 per official posted meeting</i>	
<i>ConCom-2</i>	<i>Conservation Chair Member</i>	<i>\$200 per official posted meeting</i>	<i>If an alternate sits at a meeting, they shall be compensated as a regular member at the flat rate for ConC-2.</i>

The change in the Pay Plan for the positions shall be effective to July 1, 2023 as shown above.

Referred to Ordinance

**Councilor's Recognition**

Councilor Mendes states that she and President Nicastro attended an event run by the BRA to celebrate women-owned businesses in the City of Brockton. She encourages all women-owned businesses to get involved.

Councilor Thompson states that the City of Brockton has undertaken discussions of potential zoning changes to the downtown area and for Trout Brook. He states that a working group has been formed to begin these discussions along with a city-hired consultant. The group will be holding it's first public meeting to discuss these potential changes on February 2, 2023 in the East Junior High Cafeteria from 6:15pm-7:00pm with a snow date of February 8, 2023. More information about this meeting can be found on the City of Brockton website under the Planning and Economic Development tab.

President Nicastro states that the next Finance Committee meeting will be on Monday, February 6, 2023 at 7:00pm.

Meeting Adjourned: 7:30PM

All council business as listed on the agenda have been emailed to the City Council members in their complete form, with exception of oversized material, such as maps, photos, etc. Recommendations are based on reports from committees.