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### Karina Hicks named new Chamber Executive Assistant

By John Lynds

The East Boston Chamber of Commerce recently announced that Karina Hicks has been hired as the Chamber's new Executive Assistant.

Hicks, a native of Mexico City, Mexico, began her career working as an executive assistant for the Ministry of Interior in Mexico during the Chiapas Conflict. The conflict led to the Zapatista Uprising as well as tensions between the indigenous peoples and subsistence farmers in the Mexican state of Chiapas beginning in the 1990s.

"I was born and raised in Mexico City," said Hicks. "I worked for the Ministry of Interior during a very difficult time in my country."

The uprising led to several armed conflicts between guerrilla groups and the government. However, Hicks worked at the Ministry of Interior as the government tried to negotiate peace between the government and Zapatistas.

She moved to Kentucky in 2005 to attend the University of Kentucky and work as an interpreter. She, her husband and their two children then moved to Brazil because her husband's accounting firm relocated the family to the South

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Karina Hicks is the new East Boston Chamber of Commerce Executive Assistant.



Peaches and Cream hand out deserts during last year's Taste of Eastie. This year's annual food event will kick off on Thursday, January 24 at the Logan Hilton at 6 p.m.

### Taste of Eastie set for Thursday

By John Lynds

For over two decades, the annual Taste of Eastie has become a local culinary tradition that brings the neighborhood and old friends together through food. The event's success has long been attributed to its perfect blend of community, camaraderie and cuisine—and this year will be no exception.

This year's 23rd Annual Taste of Eastie will kick off at the Logan Hilton Hotel on

Thursday, Jan. 24 at 6 p.m.

Each year the event's organizer, East Boston Main Streets (EBMS), captures the experience of bringing friends and family together to enjoy great food, each other's company and celebrate the community—because in Eastie, dinner is as much about spending time with friends and family as it is about the food.

EBMS Director Max Gruner commented that the thirty or so participating restaurants

are a great reflection of the diversity, hard work, and entrepreneurship that make Eastie's culinary scene one of the best in the state.

Food and fun highlight this wonderful evening that also includes raffles and auctions. Over thirty local food merchants will showcase their delicious cuisine, including tastes from South and Central America, the Mediterranean, China, the Middle East, Italy

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### Eastie nonprofits receive Save the Harbor/Save the Bay Better Beaches grant

By John Lynds

For East Boston nonprofit organizations like Piers Park Sailing Center, East Boston YMCA, the Neighborhood of Affordable Housing (NOAH) and Harborkeepers the annual Save the Harbor/Save the Bay's Shamrock Splash fundraiser helps these organization bring fun activities to Eastie beaches and harbor during the summer months.

The annual Harpoon Shamrock Splash to benefit Save the Harbor/Save the Bay and the Department of Conservation and Recreation's (DCR) Better Beaches Program will be held on Sunday, March 10, at the BCYF Curley Community Center at M Street Beach in South Boston. Save the Harbor/Save the Bay hope to raise more than \$50,000 to support free beach events and programs on the region's pub-

lic beaches from Nahant to Nantasket.

"It's that time of year again. A chill is in the air, and the Harpoon Shamrock Splash is just eight weeks away," said Save the Harbor/Save the Bay's Bruce Berman. "For just \$20, you can enjoy refreshing Harpoon beer, tasty treats, a terrific beach party and the warm feeling you get

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### Madaro to host tunnel meeting

By John Lynds

Winter weather and two car accidents on the other side of the Harbor in Boston brought East Boston's traffic nightmare back to forefront on Tuesday morning.

Many Eastie commuters experienced delays of up to 45 minutes just to get into the Summer Tunnel during Tuesday's morning rush hour commute.

Over winter vacation and since local elementary and high schools resumed class following the Christmas break traffic had improved slightly, especially in the early morning hours between 7 to 8 a.m.

However, many universities were still on break and just resumed class last week, so Eastie residents just started

to report increases in traffic again as college students descended upon Boston and are now again part of the morning commute.

As promised, Rep. Adrian Madaro will be hosting a MassDOT meeting on Wednesday (tonight), January 23 at 6:30 p.m. at the East Boston High School auditorium.

"This meeting is finally on the calendar," said Madaro. "I hope everyone that has an issue with the morning commute attends this meeting and expressed their frustration with MassDOT. This is an issue that has been affecting the neighborhood for two years now and I want to make sure your voice is heard

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### BPDA issues RFP for Multimodal Transportation Study consultant team

By John Lynds

At last week's Boston Planning and Development Agency (BPDA) meeting the board voted to authorize and issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) to hire a consultant team to assist in the preparation of the PLAN: East Boston Multimodal Transportation Study.

According to the BPDA the purpose of the study will be to analyze Eastie's multimodal transportation network, develop network recommendations for all travel modes, and design and implement time-sen-

sitive recommendations.

According to the RFP the study will, "holistically analyze East Boston's walking, biking, transit, and street networks and recommend policies, strategies, and improvements that respond to existing issues and support future growth."

Proposals submitted in response to the RFP will result in the selection of a consultant team—employed under a single contract with the BPDA—with experience in multi-

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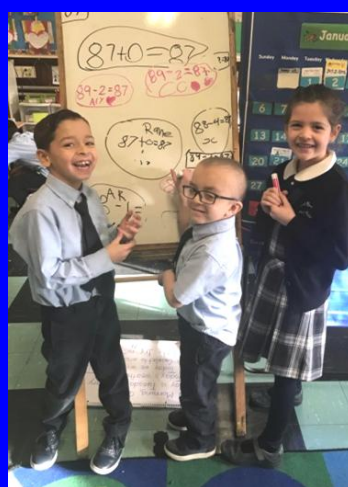
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## THANK YOU, JAY ASH

When Governor Charlie Baker was elected to his first term of office four years ago, his first major announcement was the appointment of Jay Ash to the post of Secretary of Housing and Economic Development.

The announcement by Gov. Baker, a Republican, came as a surprise to many political insiders because Ash was a lifelong Democrat and at the time was serving as the City Manager for the City of Chelsea, a post he had held for almost 15 years. Moreover, the Secretary of Housing and Economic Development is among the most important members of a governor’s cabinet, and typically goes to a person who is among those most trusted by the governor to implement his broad policy objectives.

However, Ash’s appointment by Gov.-elect Baker signaled two things about the incoming administration: First, that Baker was going to “reach across the aisle” to Democrats and second, that he was seeking the most-qualified persons he could find to serve in his administration.

During the past four years, Charlie Baker’s appointment of Jay Ash, who officially stepped down from his cabinet post in December to become the new president of a nonprofit business group known as the Massachusetts Competitive Partnership, has proven to be a win-win for Gov. Baker -- and the people of Massachusetts -- on both scores.

Ash, who had served for many years as the chief of staff to former House Ways and Means Committee Chairman Richard Voke, not only knew the ins-and-outs of the legislative process, but also was on a first-name basis with many legislators, most notably House Speaker Bob DeLeo, who played a key role in working with Jay in implementing the many initiatives put forth by the Baker administration.

In addition, Jay Ash brought to the table his experience as the City Manager of Chelsea, a small city that is the prototype for both the potential and pitfalls of economic development of urban areas throughout the state.

During his tenure, Jay Ash brought to fruition many projects that will bring economic benefits for future generations of our state’s residents. Among Ash’s signature accomplishments, he played a key role in bringing the Pawtucket Red Sox to Worcester, which included the redevelopment of the city’s Canal District with \$35 million in infrastructure and affordable housing funds; he brought \$12.5 million in state funds to the Berkshire Innovation Center, which will focus on life sciences in Pittsfield; he played an integral role in persuading General Electric to locate its world headquarters in Boston’s Seaport District; and he was instrumental in bringing about a significant reduction in the number of homeless families living in motels.

All in all, Jay Ash’s tenure as Secretary of Housing and Economic Development has been among the most successful and remarkable of any Cabinet member of any administration in the state’s history.

We know we speak not only for the residents of his native Chelsea, but also for citizens throughout the state, in thanking Jay Ash for his years of public service and wishing him well in his future endeavors.

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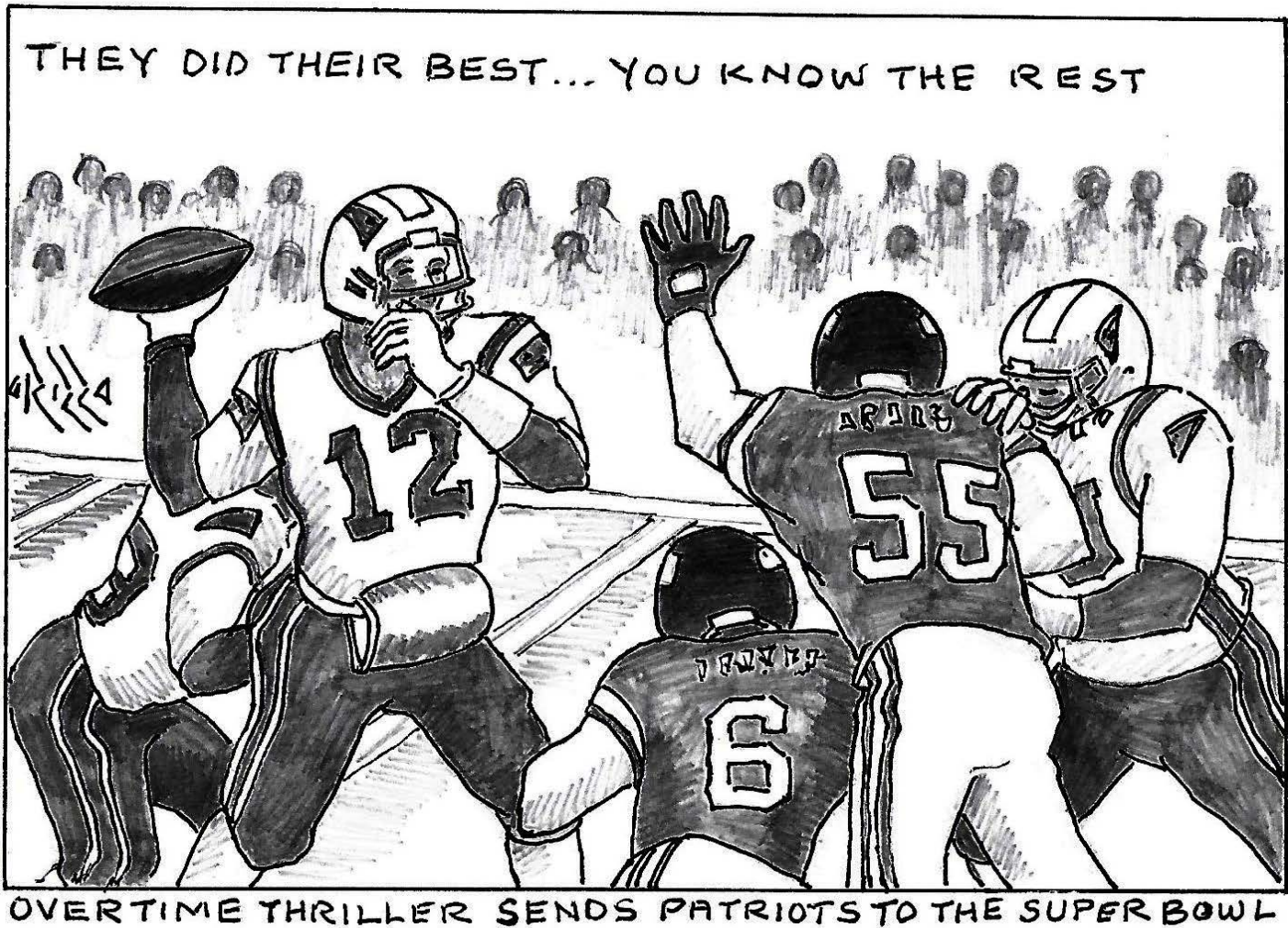
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## GUEST OP-ED

### We should carefully consider ANY construction that occurs

By John Walkey

Eversource is coming back again to the community to sell the idea of a high voltage electrical substation on the banks of the Chelsea Creek and a ball-toss distance from the American Legion Playground on Condor Street. On the evening of Tuesday, February 5th at East Boston High School the state’s Energy Facilities Siting Board (EFSB) will host a Public Comment Hearing to provide an opportunity for residents to hear about the changes in the project and provide feedback. For some in the neighborhood this might be the first time hearing about this potentially explosive proposal. So what are the changes and why are we having this meeting?

Eversource has been planning this project for quite some time. The process has been held up at the EFSB by the project’s impact on the operations of the neighboring, long-time local business Channel Fish. The EFSB’s provisional thumbs up on the project was given back in November 2017 with one of the provisions being that Eversource would work with the City to move the substation site to the other side of the City Yards property. Now that this change has been enacted the EFSB has to again review the project for its environmental impacts, given the new location.

The gestation of this project began as far back as 2010 and the official process really got underway at the end of 2014. All these years later we have a different Mayor, different State Representative and Senator, and a different City Councilor. We have also had Condor Street closed due to coastal flooding three times last winter. Things change, and not just project locations. Our understanding of flood risks change, data on electricity usage and need change, and



more instances of spectacularly exploding substations are reported in the media. The most recent one happened shortly after Christmas, when the entire Manhattan skyline turned blue when a substation in Astoria, Queens exploded.

This map shows the degree of coastal flooding in the immediate area as a result of a 100-year storm in 2070 given a 36-inch sea level rise. These are the time frames that encompass the operational lifespan of infrastructure that is being considered. These data are sourced to the City of Boston’s own Climate Vulnerability Assessment and reflect what we witnessed firsthand on Condor Street last winter, under current conditions. The mapping analysis shows the new site of the substation in the flood zone.

We should carefully consider ANY construction that occurs along our coastal areas and even more so critical infrastructure that we, as Eversource rate payers, will be paying for. If you look at your electrical bill you’ll see that about half of it is for the electricity you use and the other half (more than 50% on my bill) goes to pay for transmission and distribution, including questionable projects such as this one. February 5th will be your opportunity to have a say about the projects YOU are paying for – both literally, in your electrical bill and figuratively, in the added risk in our community.

John Walkey is the Waterfront Initiative Coordinator for GreenRoots, a Chelsea-based organization, and a resident of Eagle Hill, East Boston.

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interpreter. She, her husband and their two children then moved to Brazil because her husband’s accounting firm relocated the family to the South American country.

“We then moved back to the U.S. in 2017,” said Hicks, whose family settled in Somerville. “I then worked for the Mexican Consulate in Boston for one year. It was a very interesting job. I had to do many different things from going out to meetings and events to being in charge of the Consulate’s press and media as well as social media. It was very interesting work because of the things I learned and the people I met.”

However, she left the consulate after the Consul General recalled to Mexico.

In Eastie, she began doing some work for a few months with Veronica Robles at Robles’s Cultural Center.

“It was through that contact

that I found about this job,” she said.

Hicks was hired by the Chamber and began working on Monday, January 7.

“I like East Boston a lot and I’m just starting to meet all these wonderful people,” said Hicks. “I would like to contribute to achieving the goals of the Chamber and keep the businesses and people here in East Boston informed about the events and opportunities that can help economic growth in the neighborhood.”

One thing Hicks has already done is use her past experience and social media savvy to heightened the Chamber’s online presence.

“No one is mailing letters or receiving letters and typing the information into computers anymore,” explained Hicks. “Everything is done through social media and everything on social media is synced with people’s personal

devices. So if I send out a meeting notice or event all people have to do is click on it and it goes into their calendars on their phone or computers.”

With the housing and development boom in full swing here, Hicks would also like to see more big corporations, as well as smaller developers, get involved with the chamber and become members.

“There a lot of opportunities for growth and I would like to see some of those larger corporations get involved,” she said. “I’d also like to get more information out there about how the Chamber can help your small business through networking.”

Chamber Vice President Jim Kearney said Hicks has filled a huge void that has been empty for almost two years.

“It’s amazing. Since the Chamber had the opportunity to hire Karina (Hicks) she has

done more in five or six days than has been done in the past two years at the Chamber,” said Kearney. “There’s been a void and she has stepped up to the plate and has more than met my expectation. She’s shown initiatives, made executive decisions that have been the correct decisions and we are lucky to have her.”

Kearney said right away Hicks updated the Chamber’s Facebook page, began a email campaign using Constant Contact software to keep members abreast of events and meetings and is working on overhauling the group’s website.

“We want her to be the face of the Chamber and reach out to all businesses, old and new, and begin selling the Chamber,” said Kearney. “However, in her first week she’s already hit the ground running and been doing just that.”

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flow in and out of the neighborhood.”

For those living in Eastie it seems that every week there’s another issue at the mouth of the tunnel and each issue and excuse has not been enough to quell the angry residents that have to sit in traffic for almost an hour every morning to get

out of East Boston.

The natives are restless and are now vowing to take action.

Recently, flyers were circulated in the community with the names, phone numbers and email addresses of elected officials, MassDOT officials and transportation officials. Residents were asked on the

the flyers to flood these offices with pictures and videos of Eastie’s traffic nightmare.

There was also talk of taking to the streets like Eastie residents did in the 1960s and 1970s to protest Logan Airport expansion.

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modal transportation network analysis and modeling, transportation engineering, urban planning and design, and public outreach.

The team will be paid \$360,000 for their services and will work with the BPDA and the community to identify focus areas for transportation analysis based on existing issues, neighborhood boundaries, travel origins and destinations, and key multimodal corridors, as well as based on areas that will see growth and enhancement.

Work on the study is expected to begin in April and completed within 24 months. Key tasks for the consultant selected through this RFP will include Development of neighborhood goals and vision that build on the Go Boston 2030 framework; Identification of transportation analysis areas; Existing and future scenario network analysis for all transportation modes; Written and visual content for the Existing Conditions Report and Neighborhood Plan; Generation and analysis of policies, strategies, and transportation improvement projects for all modes;

Alternatives analysis, including planning-level design development and cost estimating; Recommendations and designs for immediate-term network improvements to be implemented during Study development; Recommendations for near-, medium- and long-term transportation improvement projects; as well as technical support and staffing for community and Advisory Group meetings.

According to the BPDA a key goal of the Study will be an actionable “menu” of immediate-, near-, medium-, and long-term multimodal projects that will form the basis for future development mitigation and transportation investments in the neighborhood.

East Boston is experiencing a period of tremendous growth with a population growth of 17 percent from 2000 to 2015. This is faster growth than the overall City’s growth of 10 percent over the same time period. While growth has brought welcome investment, increased development pressure has had impacts on the Eastie multimodal transporta-

tion network. Given Eastie’s proximity and connectivity to Downtown, the Seaport, and Logan Airport, the strong regional economy is further increasing the demand on the transportation network.

According to the MBTA, ridership on the Blue Line has increased 18.1 percent since 2014 while Red Line, Orange Line, and bus ridership has declined during that same period. According to MassDOT, the number of vehicles entering the Summer Tunnel has increased by 47 percent since 2013. Resulting congestion is extending onto nearby local streets.

In 2018 Mayor Martin Walsh and the BPDA initiated PLAN: East Boston, a neighborhood-wide comprehensive planning initiative of East Boston. PLAN: East Boston will produce a framework to predictably shape the future of Eastie; identify opportunities to preserve, enhance, and grow; and recommend immediate- to long-term improvement projects for the neighborhood’s transportation network.

## Airline inspectors at Boston Logan Airport warn passengers of safety concerns amidst the Government Shutdown

By John Lynds

Last week the East Boston Times reported about local concerns regarding Air Traffic Controllers working without pay at Boston Logan Airport during the government shutdown. The shutdown and working without pay maybe making an already stressful job more demanding an impacting safety.

With over 40,000 Eastie residents living in the shadow of the one of the busiest international airports in the nation, air traffic control safety at Logan is paramount to the welfare of the community.

As the government shutdown moves into its fifth week, aviation safety specialists across New England and the country are speaking out to warn passengers that skeleton inspection staffing is lowering safety standards at airports throughout the country.

While a handful of inspectors were mandated back to work under “emergency” conditions, many remain sidelined by the shutdown in New England-including Logan. This means more flights across the region are taking off without independent oversight by qualified aviation safety specialists at the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA).

Now, inspectors like Stephen Brown are speaking out, saying skeleton crews are not enough to keep the skies as safe as possible for passengers flying out of airports in the re-

gion like Logan.

Brown said while airline companies may conduct their own checks, the FAA safety inspectors charged with double-checking the work of those airlines and ensuring companies play by the rules have been sidelined since December 22.

Workers like Brown say that it’s a major concern for all travelers.

“The government shutdown has put a tremendous strain on the workers, but more so I believe it has put a strain on the aviation industry and its safety,” said Brown in a statement on behalf of employees belonging to the Professional Aviation Safety Specialists (PASS) union. “With the government shutdown and the furlough of Aviation Safety Inspectors across the nation, this line of defense on regulatory and safety oversight has just disintegrated. Aviation Inspectors, like myself, have been forced to cease inspections on the airworthiness and operations of many commercial entities, from the large major air carriers down to the local commercial flight school.”

Brown added that the nation and the public are now in a position where the is little to no oversight on all these commercial operations, yet they are allowed to operate.

“Unscrupulous or naive operators and operations can be conducted within our system without any regulatory oversight, inspections or in-

vestigations,” he said. “While some inspectors are being recalled, we are all essential to the safety of the National Airspace System and should all be on the job for the American flying public.”

Historically, inspectors like Brown had been classified as excepted employees and would have been required to work. However, that was changed in 2013 with the nation’s second longest shutdown.

Last Monday, some of Brown’s colleagues were called back to work on an “emergency” basis, but it’s unclear how long that will last for – and when the services will return to being fully staffed.

PASS National President Mike Perrone spoke at a federal employee rally on Capitol Hill last week.

“We stand with those in the labor and aviation communities to let Congress and the White House know that this government shutdown hurts the employees we proudly represent and impacts the ability of the Federal Aviation Administration to conduct important safety-related functions,” said Perrone at the rally. “Essential aviation professionals have been forced to the sidelines and their important work is not getting done. Without a fully functioning FAA, a layer of safety is missing. Let me say that again: Without a fully functioning FAA, a layer of safety is missing.”

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when you give back to your community. You will also have a chance to win round trip flights from JetBlue, terrific swag from Harpoon and other great prizes for best costume and biggest fundraiser.”

Last year the four Eastie nonprofits received \$18,180 each to host activities like free kayaking, sunset family fitness, family fun days, and the first annual East Boston marine science and maritime festival.

Those who would like to take part can register online before the event at [www.shamrocksplash.org](http://www.shamrocksplash.org) for just \$20, or register on the day of for \$25. Registration includes Harpoon beer, great food, a Harpoon Koozie, entrance to the post-splash party, and the chance to win round-trip flights on JetBlue for best costume and biggest fundraiser.

Berman gave a shout out

to the Massachusetts Legislature, the Baker-Polito Administration and the Metropolitan Beaches Commission for their support for state beaches, and to the organization’s partners at the Department of Conservation and Recreation, the Boston Centers for Youth and Families and the Greater Boston YMCA for their support.

“The Baker-Polito Administration is proud to work collaboratively with organizations like Save the Harbor/Save the Bay in an effort to ensure the Commonwealth’s state beaches and other parks and reservations remain popular destinations for residents and tourists alike,” said DCR Commissioner Leo Roy. “The Better Beaches Program serves as a great example of a strong partnership that will directly impact visitors of some of the state’s most popular beaches.”

Berman also thanked the Better Beaches Program sponsors like Harpoon Brewery, JetBlue, Mix 104.1, The Daily Catch, and the Blue Sky Collaborative, and to our Better Beaches Program Funding Partners at The Boston Foundation, the Richard Saltonstall Charitable Foundation, Beacon Capital Partners, P&G Gillette, National Grid and Comcast that all make the event a success each year.

Save the Harbor/Save the Bay is the region’s leading voice for clean water and continued public investment in Boston Harbor, the region’s public beaches, and the Boston Harbor Islands, Save the Harbor/Save the Bay’s mission is to restore and protect Boston Harbor, Massachusetts Bay and the marine environment and share them with the public for everyone to enjoy.

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and Australia.

Whether you are already an Eastie-food addict or looking to try food from fantastic neighborhood restaurants for the first time, this is your night.

As in years past, Taste of Eastie will feature a silent auction and raffle. Last year, more than 300 Eastie residents and residents from neighboring communities reached into their pockets and gave something back

to Eastie by supporting this long standing fundraiser to support of EBMS. The event raised nearly \$20,000 to fund EBMS’s community improvement projects.

Restaurants from Eastie and surrounding communities will again pitch in to help EBMS pull off another successful Taste of Eastie and at the same time showcased their cooking talents.

Gruner added that the event is more than a culinary

showcase and has evolved into a community gathering that celebrates Eastie’s diversity, pageantry and love of friends and family.

Tickets can be purchased online at [www.eventbrite.com/e/taste-of-eastie-2019-tickets-53630246511](http://www.eventbrite.com/e/taste-of-eastie-2019-tickets-53630246511). For more details or questions please contact EBMS at [mgruner@ebmainstreets.com](mailto:mgruner@ebmainstreets.com) or call (617) 561-1044.



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Cathedral High School students cut the ribbon across the entrance to the Applied Learning Center, officially unveiling it.

## Applied Learning Center unveiled at Cathedral High School

By Lauren Bennett

Cathedral High School in the South End revealed its brand new Applied Learning Center at a ribbon cutting ceremony on Sept. 4. Construction for the 15,000 square-foot center began in April 2017, and it will include programs in STEAM-based learning: science, technology, engineering, arts, and mathematics.

Head of Cathedral High School, Oscar Santos, said that the school was founded in 1926 with the purpose to “serve as a mission to make sure that inner city kids have a great place to have an education.”

With the completion of the Applied Learning Center, Santos said that along with the school building and the

gymnasium, there are more opportunities for students to be successful. The center will allow students to have hands-on experiences with things like robotics, 3-D printers, and theater. “We know that as the world changes, students need opportunities to have applied learning experiences,” Santos said. “And that’s making sure that they content and the skills that they learn in the classroom is also implied and embedded into the work that we do here every day so that students are better prepared to go out into the workforce, and more importantly, into the world.”

Paul Chisholm, Chair of the Board of Trustees, told the students at the ribbon cutting: “This is your building...make sure you take advantage of it,

make sure you challenge your teachers, because this is the type of education you need to be successful in the future.”

Senior Armani Lamin spoke about his third summer at the Crimson Summer Academy at Harvard University, where he lived on campus and studied macroeconomics and expository writing. “It gave me a sneak peek of what college would be like and so I enjoyed that,” Lamin said. He spoke about how great it was to be in the same room with people who came from all over the world for the same purpose: to get an education. “And with this building that you guys have funded and put all your time into we can advance our education, so for

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## Forming the leaders of tomorrow at Malden Catholic

Since its founding in 1932, Malden Catholic High School has prided itself on delivering an educational program that turns the outstanding students of today into the outstanding leaders of tomorrow. Formed by a rigorous college-preparatory experience and steeped in the values of the Catholic and Xaverian traditions, MC students have gone on to pursue meaningful careers and vocations that touch all aspects of society. Malden Catholic counts among its alumni CEOs, doctors, lawyers, innovators, teachers and administrators, members of the United States military, priests, deacons, vowed religious, professional athletes, tradesmen, law enforcement officers, state representatives, ambassadors, a United States Senator, and a Nobel Laureate in Economics. This has not happened by accident! Regardless of what paths in life the graduates of Malden Catholic pursue, they all share a common vocation: the call to be servant-leaders.

As Malden Catholic begins the next chapter of its history as a codivisional school—all boys and all-girls divisions on one shared campus—it does so with an intentional focus on providing unique programs for boys and girls to develop their God-given potential for effecting change through confident, ethical leadership. Four programs at Malden Catholic stand out as foundational aspects of Malden Catholic’s focus on leadership:

### The Malden Catholic Leadership Institute (School for Boys)

One of the most cherished of Malden Catholic’s traditions, the Leadership Insti-

tute is the signature event in the four-year progression of retreats at Malden Catholic School for Boys. Sponsored by the Campus Ministry team, the institute consists of a dynamic, four-day/three-night program on the campus of Endicott College where service, worship, team-building, and deep self-reflection converge, providing students with the opportunity to examine how their formation at Malden Catholic is calling them to live as faith-filled men of purpose and integrity in their senior year and beyond.

### The Leadership Course (School for Girls)

Inaugurated in the fall of 2018, the School for Girls Leadership Course makes leadership learning and training a priority for students at Malden Catholic School for Girls, providing them with the tools to lead themselves and others. The four-year leadership course helps young women to explore who they are and what they believe. The first of its kind anywhere, the course provides students a way to merge the five values of Xaverian education—humility, simplicity, compassion, trust, and zeal—with effective leadership skills. This program equips girls with the courage to embrace the power of their own voice to affect change locally, nationally, and globally.

### The Senior Service Program (School for Boys)

The Senior Service Program at Malden Catholic School for Boys is the culmination of students’ four-year commitment to compassionate Christian service to others. After moving through a

15/25/35-hour progression over their first three years at Malden Catholic, seniors carry out 90 hours of service under the direction of Campus Ministry, devoting 60 of those hours to a non-profit organization of their choice over a two-week period in January. Some of the most popular organizations among MC students in recent years have included Habitat for Humanity of Greater Boston, iPods for Wounded Veterans, Mission of Deeds, Housing Families, Inc., and the Greater Boston Food Bank. Following their two weeks of service, seniors use the second semester of their theology courses to share and discuss the insights, learnings, and movements of the Spirit that arose as a result of their service.

### The Capstone Leadership Program (School for Girls)

The Capstone Program at Malden Catholic School for Girls provides students with the opportunity to put into practice the faith and character formation they have received. The Capstone invites students to investigate an area of social concern over four years and develop a substantial Christian service community outreach initiative in that area of concern, undertaken in the junior year. The senior service commitment is dedicated fully to the chosen area of social concern. The Capstone allows each student to become a flexible and self-directed learner, a strong team collaborator, an innovative problem solver, an effective communicator, a competent information researcher, a globally aware individual, and a compassionate

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that I thank all of you,” he said. He said he’s most excited to use the 3-D printers and getting to know the new Applied Learning Center, where he will have some classes this year.

The building was blessed by the Very Rev. James Flavin, who prayed that the center would become one where “students and teachers imbued with the words of truth

will search for the wisdom that guides the Christian life and strive wholeheartedly by Christ as their teacher...”

Current Cathedral students provided those in attendance with a tour of the new facility, showing them the different dedicated spaces that they are excited to use.

Santos said that the school will start three new programs: maker space, which involves

engineering, as well as creating robots, where the students will learn basic programming and then prototype and print. In addition, there will be a new art program with a new art teacher to increase the level of arts instruction at the school, and finally, programs for theater and music.

He said they surveyed the kids and asked what their interests and passions were, and

these were the top results. Being able to provide the students with real-world experiences and input through having workshops with real firms and companies are some of the “things that help kids feel like they’re part of the solution and really creating,” Santos said.

“What I’m most excited about is really giving kids real world opportunities to make sure that the things that they’re learning in class, they can connect it to their real lives,” Santos said.

Santos said that most importantly, he wants to thanks everyone who helped make this a reality, and that buildings go up and down every day in the City of Boston, but “this is really about opportunity for kids and it’s the Cathedral story,” he said.

The students are excited for the new center too. Senior Lisalina Pena said “I’m glad they’re making all these changes right now and they’re trying really hard to make us happy and listen to our voices and I like that.” She said she’s



Very Rev. James Flavin reads a prayer before he blesses the new building.



Head of Cathedral High School Oscar Santos gives a welcome speech at the ribbon-cutting ceremony for the school's new Applied Learning Center.



Cathedral High School senior Armani Lamin talks about his experience in the Crimson Summer Academy at Harvard University.

excited to take some law and justice classes, and is thinking about applying to Tufts University and Wellesley College to study law, or even heading down to Washington, D.C.

Lamin said he really wants to apply to some liberal arts colleges like Harvard, Boston University, and Boston College to study economics or something in the medical field.

Sept. 5 is the first day of school for Cathedral students, and though some of the equipment for the Applied Learning Center has not arrived yet, students will slowly ease into the opportunities it has to offer. Santos said that the new center ultimately “lets the community know that we’re around and we’ll be here for the long haul.”

Saint Anthony School opens new gym and new music room

By Cary Shuman

The students at the Saint Anthony School in Everett are enjoying the use of their new gymnasium and new music room during school hours and in after-school programs.

Maria Giggie, principal at the parochial school, said the new gym opened in September. The bursting of an interior pipe, in December, 2017, caused extensive damage to the gym, resulting in the installation of a brand new gym new floor and padding along the walls.

“The students absolutely love the gym,” said Giggie, who is in her 12th year as leader of the 245-student school. “We’re using it as a gymnasium, cafeteria, and auditorium, so we’re taking advantage of the space, especially during our after-school programs.”

Students participate in physical education classes in the gym. St. Anthony also has two boys and two girls basketball teams for Grades 5-8. After-school clubs, such as arts and crafts and a Valentine cooking club (that starts in

February), also use the gym each school day.

The school also added a new music room, with classes and after-school instrumental lessons available for students. Julio Santos is the music teacher at the school.

One of the students in the after-school music program is Christian Dopinio, who started at St. Anthony’s in first grade and will graduate in June.

“I really love this school,” said Dopinio, who plays the piano. “Ms. Giggie really tries hard to make this school the

best it can be. She listens to the students for their opinions. She is a great principal.”

Maria Giggie came to the United States from Italy when she was 15 years old. She holds undergraduate and graduate degrees from Boston University, where she met her husband during her freshman year in college. They have three children, who are all graduates of St. Anthony School.



St. Anthony School music teacher Julio Santos (right) is pictured with students inside the new music room at the school.

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and faith-filled citizen.

Through their participation in these leadership programs, each Malden Catholic student makes the school motto – “Plus Ultra,” Latin for “More Beyond” – a lived reality. In

doing so, the Lancers of MC truly become leaders who walk in the way of Christ, the One who came not to be served, but to serve.

This story was submitted

by Robert Gregory, Director of Marketing and Communications, who may be reached at 781.475.5358 or by e-mail gregoryr@maldencatholic.org.

Pope John High School announces Catholic Schools Week schedule

Pope John XIII High School in Everett has announced the following schedule for Catholic Schools Week (Jan. 28-Feb. 1):

Monday: Open Liturgy

Tuesday: The Kraft Blood Donor Center will be at the school from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. So far, we have 30 donors signed up to participate. The event is hosted by the National Honor Society.

Also: Students will be volunteering after school at the East Boston Boys & Girls Club

Wednesday: Clubs & Activities showcase

Also: Students (10) will work on a build site (location pending) for Habitat for Humanity beginning at 8 a.m.

Students will have a bake sale in support of Safe Passage. Students will be volunteering after school at the East Boston Boys & Girls Club.

Thursday: Project Rachel (guest speaker)

Also: Habitat for Humanity retail store volunteers

Friday: Diversity Day (all students compete in small groups throughout the morning)

Also: Teambuilding speaker in the afternoon.

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# 2019 Love Your Block mini-grants application now being accepted

Mayor Martin J. Walsh today announced the acceptance of 2019 Love Your Block mini-grant applications. Applicants can apply here or email [loveyourblock@boston.gov](mailto:loveyourblock@boston.gov) with a deadline of March 1st, 2019.

“The Love Your Block program is a fantastic way for residents and organizations to get involved in their community and continue to show why the neighborhoods of Boston are such special places to work and live,” said Mayor Walsh. “I encourage all residents interested to apply for these grants.”

Last year, 60 applications were received, with 5 ultimately being chosen for the grants. Projects included revitalization of community gardens and beautification of vacant plots of land. Neighborhood mini-grant winners are awarded up to \$3,000 to either implement or revitalize a public space used to address a larger issue identified by the community. Examples of

projects include community gardens, art installations, and placemaking.

“Boston’s Love Your Block grant helped the Mattapan Branch of Boston Public Library generate excitement surrounding healthy eating and gardening. Because of LYB’s funding, library patrons of all ages were able to participate in growing fruits and vegetables in their own neighborhood,” said Celia Contelmo, Teen librarian at the Mattapan Branch of the Boston Public Library system.

The Love Your Block mini-grant award selection committee included representatives from the Love Your Block team, Mayor’s Office of Neighborhood Services Liaisons, Public Works Department, Parks & Recreation, Boston Transportation Department, City Hall To Go Program, Department of Neighborhood Development and the Mayor’s Office of Arts and Culture.

**2018 Love Your Block**

**mini-grant winners were:**

Charlestown: Charlestown Sprouts Community Garden

- \$800 to revitalize the community garden by updating infrastructure: repairing a broken compost bin, creating a garden message board, repairing the water control box covering and adding additional garden plots.

Charlestown: The Charlestown Coalition

- \$2,700 to create a “peace park” at Mt. Vernon Plaza -- with landscaping, water features and memory rocks -- to help bring awareness to those suffering from trauma, and substance use disorders.

South Boston: Round Table

- \$3,000 to turn a vacant lot into a community garden as an extension of a new community center that seeks to educate and engage residents of all ages in conversations around healthy eating and environmentalism.

Dorchester: Mt. Bowdoin Betterment Association

- \$1,000 to beautify the corner



2018 Love Your Block volunteers at Codman Sq. Library.

lot by planting perennials, revitalizing the garden plots and installing trellises decorated with artwork.

Mattapan: Mattapan Branch of the Boston Public Library

- \$500 to rebuild community garden beds, as well as

raise the garden beds for easier accessibility for children and seniors.

About Love Your Block

Originally a partnership between the City of Boston and Cities of Service, the Love Your Block program officially became a City department in

2018. The Love Your Block program aims to help transform physical landscapes with social programs that highlight the culture of community by way of mini-grants, increased volunteerism and service based projects.

## The Energy Facilities Siting Board will host meeting on proposed Eversource substation

By John Lynds

The Energy Facilities Siting Board (EFSB) will come out to the community next month and have a public comment hearing on Eversource proposed electrical substation at 338 East Eagle Street.

The meeting about the proposed substation in East Eagle Square will be on Tuesday, February 5 at 7p.m. at East Boston High School.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss Eversource’s Notice of Project Change that moves the proposed substation from the eastern corner of the City Yards in East Eagle Square to the western corner.

The original location on the eastern portion of the city-owned parcel was approved by the EFSB last year.

In its Notice of Project Change Eversource seeks approval to move the Substation 190 feet to the western side of the City Yards lot. The scope of the upcoming meeting is limited to Eversource’s proposed relocation of the substation from its current site on the eastern side of the city parcel to its new proposed location.

Eversource said the two 115-kV transmission lines that would connect to the substation would no longer be routed along Condor and East Eagle Streets if the substation is placed in the western portion of the parcel.

Recently, local environmentalists from Eastie and Chelsea gathered at Boston City Hall to deliver 700 postcards to Boston Mayor Martin Walsh asking for the mayor to meet with residents on both sides of the Chelsea Creek to discuss alternatives to placing Eversource’s proposed substation along the creek.

For two years local environmentalists on the Eastie and

Chelsea sides of the Chelsea Creek have launched a visual, media and talking campaign against Eversource’s plans to place the substation at the City Yards in Eagle Square.

Last year the state’s Energy Facilities Siting Board (EFSB) ruled in favor of placing the substation at the City Yards. However, the final ruling came with some provisos. According to the state board the EFSB vote to approve the substations and 115 kV underground cables in Eastie, Chelsea and Everett came with some conditions. The EFSB directed Eversource to enter into discussions with the City of Boston regarding the possible relocation of the new substation and the related cable on the Chelsea Creek site.

Local activist John Walkey argues that the project represents an increased risk in both communities already bearing a huge environmental burden in the region by playing host to Logan International Airport, highways and jet fuel storage tanks along the Chelsea Creek.

Walkey added that Mayor Walsh has been very receptive to the group’s concerns

but while they have met with Walsh Administration staffers they have not met directly with the mayor.

“We are here to bring home this idea that we just want to sit down and talk,” said Walkey. “We are not demanding anything ridiculous. We just want to voice our concerns and have the mayor hear them.”

As part of its decision the EFSB directed Eversource to provide an update to the board on the status of discussions between the community and city before construction on the substation commences. This has given additional time for Eversource, the City of Boston, and residents to iron out the alternative locations for the substation.

Walsh has maintained that the city is in the process of working with Eversource to ensure the substation is in the best possible location for the residents and businesses in Eastie and those along the Chelsea Creek.

The substation was initially slated to be built on an Eversource-owned parcel on Bremen Street. However, under the former late Mayor Thomas Menino Boston executed a land swap with Eversource. Eversource have the City of Boston the Bremen Street parcel so the city could build the new East Boston Branch Library in return for a city-owned parcel in East Eagle Square.

## LOCAL STUDENTS EARN ACADEMIC HONORS

**Emerson College announces Dean’s List honorees**

The following students have been named to Emerson College’s Dean’s List for the Fall 2018 semester. The requirement to make the Dean’s List is a grade point average of 3.7 or higher that semester.

Daniele Sestito of East Boston

William Schwartz of East Boston

Audrey Peterson of East Boston

About Emerson College

Located in Boston, Massachusetts, opposite the historic

ic Boston Common and in the heart of the city’s Theatre District, Emerson College educates individuals who will solve problems and change the world through engaged leadership in communication and the arts, a mission informed by liberal learning. The College has 3,750 undergraduates and 750 graduate students from across the United States and 50 countries. Supported by state-of-the-art facilities and a renowned faculty, students participate in more than 80 student organizations and performance groups. Emerson is known for its study and internship pro-

grams in Los Angeles, Washington, D.C., the Netherlands, London, China, and the Czech Republic. A new, permanent facility on Sunset Boulevard for its L.A.-based program opened in January 2014. The College has an active network of 39,000 alumni who hold leadership positions in communication and the arts. For more information, visit [www.emerson.edu](http://www.emerson.edu).

*NOTE: You are receiving this press release because the student or their parents are from your area. This press release above was prepared for: Editor-in-Chief - East Boston Times-Free Press.*

## DISTRICT SEVEN POLICE REPORT

**Monday, January 7, 2019**  
No Arrests

**Tuesday, January 8, 2019**  
Around 2:00 PM in the area of 113 Leyden St., a 30 year old White Female with an East Boston address was arrested for Assault & Battery

**Wednesday, January 9, 2019**  
No Arrests

**Thursday, January 10, 2019**  
Around 10:30 AM in the area of Bennington St. & Westbrook St., a 30 year old White Male with a Revere, MA address was arrested for Possession With Intent to Distribute Class B Drugs and Possession of Class B Drugs

**Friday, January 11, 2019**

**Saturday, January 12, 2019**  
No Arrests

**Sunday, January 13, 2019**  
No Arrests

Around 2:30 AM in the area of 195 Sumner St., a 47 year old White Male with an East Boston address was arrested for Assault & Battery/Felony Section

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Marion Street 221 LLC	Gould, Eric	221-221R Marion St	\$1,024,100
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COMMUNITY NEWS

GOVE STREET CITIZENS ASSOCIATION MONTHLY MEETING AGENDA

Monday, January 28, 6:30-8:30 p.m.  
Catherine Leonard-McLean Community Room  
Logan Airport Rental Car Center  
• Welcome & Announcements  
• Boston Police Updates – Sargent Martin & Officer Simmons  
• Office Neighborhood Services Updates – Jesus Garcia  
• Project Presentations:  
• 231 Maverick Street & 96 Cottage Street

A proposal to demolish existing three story buildings at 231 and 233 Maverick Street and the existing two story building at 237R Maverick and erect a new four story building that contains seven units (6 – two bedroom units and one 1-bedroom unit. The Cottage Street property will be four stories and will contain two 2-bedroom units. Off-street parking for 9 units.

1st Presentation – Meggan Ayres and Wayne Daniels, developers/NO VOTE

• 74 Everett Street  
A proposal to erect addition and change occupancy to a 4 unit dwelling.

2st Presentation – Attorney Richard Lynds/VOTE

• 58 Lubec Street

This proposal to change occupancy from 4 units to 9 units and erect a penthouse.

Attorney Richard Lynds, 1st Presentation/NO VOTE

• Mt Carmel Project (Frankfort + Gove Street Housing Project)

This project consists of demolishing two existing structures into new residential buildings with 98 units and converting the Mount Carmel Church into a residential building with 14 units and 84 off-street parking spaces. Attorney Jeff Drago, VOTE

Location: The Catherine Leonard-McLean (formerly Noddle Island) Community Room is located on the first floor of the Logan Airport Rental Car Center, situated at the end of Porter Street. Free event parking in front of

the building and in the Porter Street parking lot adjacent to the building.LOCATION - The Noddle Island Community Room located on the first floor of the Logan Airport Rental Car Center situated at the end of Porter Street. Free event parking in front of the building and in the Porter Street parking lot adjacent to the building.LOCATION - The Noddle Island Community Room located on the first floor of the Logan Airport Rental Car Center situated at the end of Porter Street. Free event parking in front of the building and in the Porter Street parking lot adjacent to the building.

FRIENDS OF THE EAST BOSTON GREENWAY EVENTS

The Friends of the East Boston Greenway Council wanted to make sure that a few upcoming events that the Friends are hosting and that BPDA are people’s radar. Also, we’re still confirming the Councils agenda meeting next Thursday (January 24)

Upcoming Events  
Design Challenge - Drop-In Session

Purpose: Drop-in session to talk with youth to collect there design ideas for the Greenway as part of the BSLA Design Challenge

Wednesday, January 23, from 3 to 5 p.m.

East Boston Library - 365 S Bremen St, Boston, MA 02128

Friends of the East Boston Greenway Council Meeting  
Thursday, January 24, at 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Anna Defronzo Senior Center - 395 Maverick St, East Boston, MA 02128

Agenda coming soon. We are still confirming guests.

PLAN: East Boston Open Space Workshop

Tuesday, January 29, 6:30 to 8:00 p.m.

East Boston YMCA 54 Ashley Street Boston, MA 02128

Event Info: <http://www.bostonplans.org/news-calendar/calendar/2019/01/29/plan-east-boston-open-space-workshop>

EAST BOSTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CANDIDATES FOR THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The East Boston Chamber of Commerce announces the following candidates for the Board of Directors

Candidates for Officers 2019:

President: Jim Kearney

1st Vice President: Marita Palavicini, Vilma’s Boutique

2nd Vice President: Veronica Robles, VROCC

3rd Vice President: Shirley Fabbo, Massport

Treasurer: Kim Altschul, East Boston Savings Bank

Secretary: Joanna Cataldo, East Boston Neighborhood Health Center

Candidates for Directors 2019-2021:

Margaret Farmer  
Amanda Donis, Logan Beauty

Paul Scott, Going Clear Interactive

Kathy Orlando, Sulprizio Real Estate

Aldo Callejas, La Hacienda Restuarant

Vinny Qualtieri, NOAH

The elections will take place at the East Boston Chamber office at 175 McClellan Highway, East Boston, MA, 02128, on Thursday, January 31, 2019 from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. and 4-6 p.m. All East Boston of Chamber Commerce members in good standing are eligible to vote. Proxy voting and absentee voting are not allowed. All voting results will be counted and reported after 6:00PM on Thursday, January 31, 2019 at the Chamber office; results will then be made available on the Chamber website.

Please come to the Chamber office and Vote Thursday, January 31, 2019.

EAST BOSTON SOCIAL CENTER'S SENIOR PROGRAM NOW OFFERING SPANISH LANGUAGE CLASSES

The Senior Program at the East Boston Social Centers is now offering Spanish Language Classes for adults over

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Community Meetings

Harbor View Neighborhood Association  
First Monday of every month  
6:30 p.m. at the Edward Brooke Charter School, 145 Byron St.

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6:30 p.m. at the Jeffries Point Yacht Club, 565 Sumner St.

Orient Heights Neighborhood Association  
Third Monday of every month.  
6:30 p.m. at Ashley Street YMCA, 54 Ashley St.

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Fourth Thursday of every month.  
6:30 p.m. at the Anna DeFronzo Center, 395 Maverick St.

Central Square Flats Civic Association  
Third Wednesday of every month  
7 p.m. at Paris Street Community Center, 112 Paris St.

Gove Street Citizens Association  
Fourth Monday of every month  
6:30 p.m. at the Noddle Island Community Room, Logan Rental Car Center

Eagle Hill Civic Association  
Last Wednesday of every month  
7 p.m. at East Boston High School Cafeteria, 86 White St.

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Services

Grace Church Federated is an Episcopal/United Church

of Christ church located at 760 Saratoga Street in East Boston. All are welcome. Please join us for Sunday morning worship at 9:30 a.m., followed by a coffee hour. We also have a food pantry on Saturdays from 10 a.m. until noon in the church basement. There are a number of ways you can help us to serve East Boston. Volunteer at or contribute to the food pantry. Sing with the Festival of Lessons and Carols choir. Bring a dish to the monthly Sunday evening community suppers. Participate in the Sunday worship service. Help with SundaySchool. Visit the Grace Church web site at [www.gracechurcheastie.org](http://www.gracechurcheastie.org) or call the church at 617-569-5358 for more information.

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TYPE	1BR	2BR	3BR
60% AMI	1	10 <sup>1</sup>	9
Gross Rent <sup>2</sup>	\$1,213	\$1,456	\$1,682
100% AMI	-	10	9 <sup>1</sup>
Gross Rent <sup>2,3</sup>	-	\$2,185	\$2,523
UNIT TOTALS	1	20	18

<sup>1</sup>Preference for persons with mobility impairment 1- (1br unit) 2- (2br unit) 1- (3br unit).

<sup>2</sup>Gross Rent includes utility allowance with tenant payment for electricity.

<sup>3</sup>Gross Rent Rents subject to change in 2019 upon HUD release of updated AMI information for the Boston area.

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To request an application be sent, call 617.445.8338 or e-mail your name and complete mailing address to [madisonmelnea@gmail.com](mailto:madisonmelnea@gmail.com)  
Applications can be picked up in person during the days and locations listed below:

DAY / DATE	HOURS	Application Pickup Location
Wednesday, January 30, 2019	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	122 Dewitt Drive, Roxbury, MA 02120
Thursday, January 31, 2019	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	122 Dewitt Drive, Roxbury, MA 02120
Friday, February 1, 2019	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	122 Dewitt Drive, Roxbury, MA 02120
Monday, February 4, 2019	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	122 Dewitt Drive, Roxbury, MA 02120
Tuesday, February 5, 2019	5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	122 Dewitt Drive, Roxbury, MA 02120
Wednesday, February 6, 2019	5:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	464 Tremont Street Boston MA 02116
Thursday, February 7, 2019	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	122 Dewitt Drive, Roxbury, MA 02120
Friday, February 8, 2019	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	122 Dewitt Drive, Roxbury, MA 02120
Saturday, February 9, 2019	10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.	122 Dewitt Drive, Roxbury, MA 02120

**Application Deadline** for completed applications to be included in the lottery, must be hand delivered to the management office or submitted online by 4:00pm February 13, 2019 or postmarked by February 13, 2019.

**Information Sessions** will be held during the following dates and times at:

**122 DEWITT DRIVE ROXBURY, MA 02120**

(Dewitt Community Center Gym)

**TUESDAY FEBRUARY 5, 2019 5PM-8PM**

AND

**464 TREMONT STREET BOSTON, MA 02116**

(Castle Square Apartments Community Room)

**WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 6, 2019 5PM-8PM**

Applications will be available at **BOTH** information sessions

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5 Persons	\$69,900	\$116,450
6 Persons	\$75,060	\$125,050

<sup>4</sup>Income limits are subject to change

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NOTICE OF ADJUDICATION  
NOTICE OF PUBLIC COMMENT HEARING

EFSB 14-04A/D.P.U. 14-153A/14-154A  
NSTAR Electric Company d/b/a Eversource Energy  
Notice of Project Change

Notice is hereby given that NSTAR Electric Company d/b/a Eversource Energy (“Eversource” or “Company”) has submitted to the Energy Facilities Siting Board (“Siting Board”) a Notice of Project Change in connection with the electric transmission project (“Project”) approved by the Siting Board in its December 1, 2017 Final Decision in EFSB 14-04/D.P.U. 14-153/14-154 (“Final Decision”). The Project as approved includes two new 115-kilovolt (“kV”) underground electric transmission lines in Everett, Chelsea, and East Boston, Massachusetts, as well as a new 115/14-kV substation (“Substation”) in East Boston. In its Notice of Project Change, Eversource seeks approval to modify the location of the Substation.

As approved in the Final Decision, the Substation would have been located on a parcel of land on the eastern side of a larger parcel of land owned by the City of Boston (“City Parcel”) in the East Eagle area of East Boston. In its Notice of Project Change, Eversource seeks approval to move the Substation 190 feet, to the western side of the City Parcel. Accordingly, the scope of this proceeding is limited to Eversource’s proposed relocation of the Substation from its current site on the eastern side of the City Parcel (“Original Site”) to a new location on the western side of the City Parcel (“New Site”) (“Project Change”). The two 115-kV transmission lines would connect to the Substation at the New Site and no longer be routed along Condor and East Eagle Streets. The layout and components of the Substation will remain substantially unchanged from what was previously approved in the Final Decision.

Figure 1, below, shows the relative locations of the Original Site, the New Site, and the City Parcel.

Opportunity for Public Comment

The Siting Board will conduct a public comment hearing on  
Eversource’s proposed Project Change:  
Tuesday, February 5, 2019, at 7:00 p.m.  
East Boston High School  
86 White Street  
East Boston, MA 02128

At the public comment hearing, Eversource will present an overview of the proposed Project Change. Public officials and the public will then have an opportunity to ask questions and provide comments about the Project Change. A Spanish/English and a Portuguese/English interpreter will be present. The public comment hearing will be recorded by a court reporter. Written comments may be submitted at the public comment hearing, or filed with the Siting Board through Tuesday, February 19, 2019. Comments must be filed electronically, by email attachment, to the Presiding Officer and to the Siting Board’s electronic docket: [kathryn.sedor@mass.gov](mailto:kathryn.sedor@mass.gov) and [dpu.efiling@mass.gov](mailto:dpu.efiling@mass.gov). Comments emailed to the Presiding Officer must be followed by a mailed hard copy. Additionally, all written comments must be provided electronically by email attachment to counsel for Eversource, Catherine Keuthen, at [ckeuthen@keeganwerlin.com](mailto:ckeuthen@keeganwerlin.com).



Figure 1 Original and New Substation Sites

Siting Board Jurisdiction and Scope of Review

The Siting Board will review the Company's Project Change Filing to determine whether the proposed relocation of the Substation within the City Parcel would alter in any substantive way either the assumptions or conclusions reached by the Siting Board in its analysis of the Project’s environmental impacts in the original Siting Board proceeding.

The scope of the Siting Board’s review in this proceeding is limited to Eversource’s proposed Project Change. Specifically, the Siting Board is reviewing potential impacts of relocating the Substation from the Original Site, on the eastern side of the City Parcel, to the New Site, on the western side of the City Parcel, a distance of approximately 190 feet. The Siting Board will not be reviewing matters unrelated to the Project Change, such as the need for the overall Project, Project alternatives, or other matters that were reviewed and decided by the Siting Board in the Final Decision, and are not directly related to or affected by the proposed relocation of the Substation.

Public Review of the Notice of Project Change

The general location, layout, dimensions and configuration of the Substation are described and shown on maps and plans included in the Company's Notice of Project Change, dated November 15, 2018. Copies of the Company's Notice of Project Change, including all attachments, are available for public inspection at the offices of the Siting Board, One South Station, Boston, MA 02110, and at the offices of Eversource’s counsel, Catherine Keuthen, Esq., Keegan Werlin, 99 High Street, Suite 2900, Boston, Massachusetts 02110-3113. Copies are also available at the following locations:

- \* Office of the Boston City Clerk, Boston City Hall, One City Hall Square, Boston, MA 02201
- \* East Boston Public Library, 365 Bremen Street, East Boston, MA 02128

In addition, the Company's Notice of Project Change including all attachments, are electronically available via the Department of Public Utilities' website at: <https://eaonline.eea.state.ma.us/DPU/Fileroom>

Intervention and Participation

Persons or groups who wish to be involved in this Project Change proceeding beyond providing comments may file a petition to intervene as a party or a petition to participate as a limited participant.

Intervention allows a person or group to participate in the evidentiary phase of the proceeding, including evidentiary hearings in Boston, if evidentiary hearings are conducted, and grants the right to appeal the Siting Board’s final decision in this proceeding. A limited participant may receive many of the documents that will be submitted to the Siting Board, but may not present evidence or appeal the final decision. Both parties and limited participants may present oral comment to the Siting Board at the public meeting at the conclusion of the proceeding, during which the Board will deliberate on the Tentative Decision.

Any person interested in intervening as a party or participating as a limited participant in this proceeding must file a written petition with the Presiding Officer. Petitions must satisfy the timing and substantive requirements of 980 CMR 1.05, the Siting Board's procedural rules. Among these rules is the requirement that a petition to intervene “must state the manner in which the petitioner is “substantially and specifically affected” by the proposed Project Change. The regulations pertaining to intervention and limited participation can be found on the Board's website at: <https://www.mass.gov/how-to/file-a-petition-to-intervene-in-an-efsb-or-dpu-siting-case>.

A petition to intervene or to participate as a limited participant must be filed in three places.

**First**, the petition must be filed electronically, by email attachment, to the Presiding Officer, M. Kathryn Sedor, at [kathryn.sedor@mass.gov](mailto:kathryn.sedor@mass.gov) **no later than the close of business (5:00 p.m.) on Tuesday, February 19, 2019**. The text of the email to the Presiding Officer must specify: (1) the docket number of the proceeding (EFSB 14-04A/D.P.U.14-153A/14-154A; (2) the name of the person or entity submitting the filing; and (3) a brief description of the document. The electronic filing should also include the name, title and telephone number of a person to contact in the event of questions about the filing.

**Second**, the petition must be filed electronically with the Siting Board by email attachment, at [dpu.efiling@mass.gov](mailto:dpu.efiling@mass.gov). The text of the email to the Siting Board also must specify: (1) the docket number of the proceeding (EFSB 14-04A/D.P.U. 15-153A/14-154A; (2) the name of the person or entity submitting the filing; and (3) a brief description of the document. The electronic filing should also include the name, title and telephone number of a person to contact in the event of questions about the filing

**Third**, the petition must be sent by e-mail attachment to counsel for Eversource, Catherine Keuthen, Esq., at [ckeuthen@keeganwerlin.com](mailto:ckeuthen@keeganwerlin.com)

Public Accommodation

Upon request, copies of the Project Change Filing or other materials in this proceeding may be available in a format accessible by people with disabilities (such as Braille, large print, electronic files, or audio format). Contact the Department's ADA coordinator with your request, at [DPUADACoordinator@mass.gov](mailto:DPUADACoordinator@mass.gov) or (617) 305-3500. Reasonable accommodations at the public comment hearing for people with disabilities are available upon request. Include a description of the accommodation you will need, including as much detail as you can. Also include a way we can contact you if we need more information. Please provide as much advance notice as possible. Last minute requests may not be able to be accommodated. Contact the Department's ADA coordinator with your request, at [DPUADACoordinator@mass.gov](mailto:DPUADACoordinator@mass.gov) or (617) 305-3500.

As noted above, interpretation services in Spanish/English and Portuguese/English will be provided at the public comment hearing. Interpretation in additional languages may be available upon request. Include in your request the language(s) required, and how many persons will require interpretation services. Provide a way to contact you if we need more information. Please provide as much advance notice as possible. Last minute requests may not be able to be accommodated. Contact the Presiding Officer with your request (contact information below).

Any person desiring further information regarding this Notice, including information about intervention or participation in the adjudicatory proceeding, may contact the Presiding Officer at the address, telephone number, or email below:

M. Kathryn Sedor, Esq., Presiding Officer  
Energy Facilities Siting Board/DPU  
One South Station  
Boston, MA 02110 (617) 305-3525  
or [kathryn.sedor@mass.gov](mailto:kathryn.sedor@mass.gov)





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funding by fully implementing the Foundation Budget Review Commission (FBRC) recommendations and addressing the underlying inequities within the Commonwealth's education funding formulas, like Chapter 70. As a result of the bill, foundation budgets statewide will better reflect the true cost of educating students, and there will be a renewed partnership between the state and all districts in funding those foundation budgets.

"Children across our Commonwealth are waiting for us to fulfill the promise we made in our Constitution and in the 1993 Education Reform Act: that zip code should not be destiny," said Chang-Diaz, lead Senate sponsor of the bill. "For 25 years, we have failed to live up to that promise—first unknowingly and now, for the past three years, knowingly. Our schools are suffering from death by a thousand paper cuts. This bill isn't about providing 'new' or 'extra' funds. It's about making good on what we've already promised."

COUNCIL WANTS BEGGARS OFF EVERETT STREETS

EVERETT — A proposed addition to the City's nuisance/panhandling law would effectively outlaw begging within city limits.

Last week, Councilor-At-Large Michael Marchese proposed an addition to the law stating that "it shall be unlawful for any person to beg or solicit money or aid in his own behalf in any place of business, house, or upon any of the streets of Everett."

The proposal was forwarded to the Council's Legislative Affairs Committee for further discussion and review.

While there are laws on the books regarding panhandling, Marchese said his proposal would help strengthen those existing laws.

Councilor-At-Large Wayne Matewsky said with the Encore resort and casino opening soon, the addition to the law is needed now more than ever.

"There are going to be a lot of visitors to our community," said Matewsky. "I've been to the casino and seen the panhandlers all over the casino area. Our city is going to change quite a bit, so I think we should be prepared."

Ward 1 Councilor Fred Capone said the City Solicitor should also be involved in discussion over the change in the law, since there could be constitutional issues involved.

But he added that in addition to being a nuisance, many panhandlers create a safety issue by walking in the middle of the street.

Ward 4 Councilor Leo McKinnon said panhandling is already a major issue in the city.

"It's already happening, and we should be able to enforce it better," he said.

In other business, Marchese put forward a resolution that any new piece of business that is placed on the Council calendar be sent to committee without discussion, with the exception of whomever proposed the business. He said the resolution would help cut down on unnecessary discussion of issues only to have the issues referred to committee for further discussion.

"We've seen it happen time and time again that we talk about an issue for an hour, an hour and 20 minutes, then de-

cide to stick it in committee," said Capone. "I think this has merit."

The Council voted to forward the resolution to the legislative affairs committee.

Councilor-At-Large John Hanlon said he disagreed with the resolution, noting that councilors should have the opportunity to speak on resolutions as they are originally presented.

The Council also requested that a representative from the Assessor's Office, as well as Mayor Carlo DeMaria appear before them to discuss and explain the assessment process and the steps implemented to ascertain property values.

Several councilors said they have heard from residents, but especially business owners, concerned about rising property taxes, even as the expected windfall from Encore promises to be right around the corner.

And in a resolution that likely surprised very few people, the Council requested that a representative from National Grid appear at the next meeting to update it on street light replacements.

Councilor-At-Large Peter Napolitano said there are currently at least a dozen lights out on Ferry Street and seven on Main Street.

McKinnon said requesting that the street lights be replaced is not a new issue.

"We need to come up with a better way of dealing with this if they are just going to come up here and 'yes' us," he said. "If we can't get assurances, we need to do something."

CAPACITY CROWD ATTENDS MASTER PLAN TALKS

REVERE — If the size of the crowd is any indication, the city's master plan, known as Next Stop Revere, is off to a spectacular start.

Mayor Brian Arrigo stood in front of the capacity, standing-room audience inside the Rumney Marsh Academy auditorium and his optimism for the city's future was felt throughout the hall. That enthusiasm was affirmed when the mayor humbly introduced himself, and the crowd erupted in spontaneous applause.

"The city has engaged in a partnership with the Metropolitan Area Planning Council (MAPC), which is a group of expert planners in the Commonwealth, who are going to help us think about the next 20 years in the city of Revere," began Arrigo. "It's incredibly exciting to have this opportunity to think about the next 20 years of our city."

Arrigo turned the program over to MAPC officials, Ralph Willmer and Betsy Cowan, who are working with the city in preparing the master plan. Willmer was impressed with the large assemblage, calling it "a record-breaking" turnout for an event of this nature.

Willmer, co-project manager, defined a master plan as "a strategic framework for future land use decision making in the city of Revere for housing, economic development, parks and open space, things along those lines."

"We'll be looking at how the city has changed over time and with input from meetings like this and other meetings, we're going to develop a vision for the city and identify goals and objectives," said Willmer.

He said the MAPC will recommend specific strategies for the implementation of the master plan.

Cowan noted the future development opportunities in the city such as the Wonderland Park site, the former NECCO property, and the plans for the Suffolk Downs site, "which is going to affect the overall development of our [master] plan."

Cowan said the process will include community meetings, surveys, and workshops. There will be community forums in the spring and feedback from residents will be sought throughout the process. She said the final master plan will be submitted to the Planning next winter.

She also assured the audience that there will be an implementation plan for the master plan.

Wendy Millar-Page, executive director of the Revere Chamber of Commerce, said she was excited about the available spaces in Revere and the potential for "smart development, affordable housing as well good retail and commercial space use, maybe some mixed-used properties."

Rafael Mares, executive director of The Neighborhood Developers and a member of the master plan steering committee, said it's important to engage the community in the process and Tuesday's event was a fantastic start.

"I think it's a really exciting process," said Mares. Revere hasn't done this [a master plan] since 1971. To be able to be here with a room full of people, a standing room only crowd, it's amazing to see that many showing up and being interested, and it's really what a planning process is about."

Ward 4 Councillor Patrick Keefe said the city has obviously been energized by the master plan and its potential to transform Revere.

"This is a tremendous turnout and it just goes to show you how invested our community is and what's happening with the future of Revere," said Keefe. "We're a city on the rise. It's a great place to live and raise a family. I'm proud of being from Revere, living in Revere, and I'm happy about the future we have in front of us. It's very exciting."

Other elected officials in attendance at the event were City Councillors Anthony Zambuto, John Powers, and Ira Novoselsky, and School Committee members Carol Tye, Michael Ferrante, and Stacey Rizzo, and Gerry Visconti. Members of the master plan steering committee were also in attendance.

ARRIGO POINTS TO BOOMING DEVELOPMENT

REVERE — When it comes to Revere's economic development in 2018, it's safe to say that the proposed development of Suffolk Downs was the biggest story.

A 151-acre site situated in Revere and East Boston, the Suffolk Downs property, under the watchful eyes of the developer, the HYM Investment Group, will mold the area into a new community, with Beachmont Square and Belle Isle Square serving as the front door to the development.

"We have used the word 'transformational' to describe this project, and that is no overstatement. Phase One alone will constitute the most ambitious development project in the city's history and will have tremendous influence on our city's economy and recreational environment," said Mayor Brian

Arrigo.

The first phase of the development as a whole will begin in Revere, since the city was able to complete the permitting process. In November 2018 the City Council approved the entire planned urban development site (PUD).

There will be close to 1.5 million square feet of development. Construction is expected to begin by the end of 2019. Between now and then there will be the demolition of the horse barns and the preparation of the development.

The construction phase is expected to start in late 2019 or early 2020.

In other development around the city, there are about 30 projects underway in various stages; almost 23 could see completion this year. Some like Ocean 650, the Beach Club, property on Dahon Street and the Gate Residential on Revere Beach Parkway is just about complete.

The XSS Hotel near the old China Lantern site on Ocean Ave., a tandem hotel to the Gate property, will get underway. Holiday Inn and Staybridge Suites are planned with a shared lobby, amenities and facilities on the Beach.

"Beyond that we have five hotels, with over 500 rooms, that are on the way," Arrigo said. "Two on Revere Beach Boulevard are under construction, and work on a hotel on Ocean Avenue, a final phase of the Waterfront Square development, will begin construction in the very near future."

The site of the former car wash on American Legion Highway will be demolished to make room for another hotel. This will become an Avid Hotel, with 100 rooms.

The site of the former Papa Gino's on Squire Road is also being prepared to become another hotel.

There is also another hotel planned for the Revere portion of the Suffolk Downs development. That would make eight hotels for the city, and there is interest in other hotels, but nothing is set in stone.

"Hotels are attractive from the city's prospective because they provide revenue in the form of property tax and also produce sales tax, room tax, meals tax revenues. Their demand on city services is relatively low, and they are a source of employment for our residents," Arrigo said, adding that Revere's proximity to Boston, the beach, the airport or the MBTA Blue Line make the city particularly attractive to the hotel industry.

On Ocean Avenue the Waterfront Square property should be completed, includes the Vanguard (under new ownership) and Ocean 650.

On Revere Beach Boulevard Gate Residential is developing the lot immediately north of Atlantic Towers as well as the parcel on Ocean Avenue immediately adjacent to Surfside Lots.

At the site of the former China Lantern on Ocean Avenue, developers plan 75 apartment units and 320 Revere Beach Blvd. can also begin construction this year. The

Cove project on Revere Street by The Neighborhood Developers is expected to begin construction. There are also plans for micro-units on Dahon Street in 2019.

Elsewhere there will be the construction of 18 units on North Shore Road. The construction of a self-storage facility on Charger Road continues and tenants are also being sought by the owners of the old NECCO building.

BRIDGEWELL NAMES CENTER AFTER KELLY MARTIN

LYNN — Bridgewell dedicated "The Kelly J. Martin Center" at a ceremony in honor of its former CEO's outstanding 35-year career at the social and human services organization located on Boston Street in Lynn.

Following is Interim CEO Chris Tuttle's remarks at the memorial tribute to Kelly J. Martin:

It's an important day for all of us and it's an important day for Bridgewell. I would like to thank Mayor McGee for coming today. Thank you very much.

We're gathered here today to honor Kelly, a very special person to all of us here. One of the things that struck me when I got to know Kelly is her telling her story to me.

All of you know Kelly started her career here at Bridgewell 35 years ago. She started as the director at Saugus Geriatrics and over her career moved up and ultimately became the CEO of Bridgewell.

Kelly's work here was so meaningful to all of us. Kelly's time here is incredibly important. One of the things I learned that Kelly, during her career here when she was in college, actually started off as a computer science major.

And because of her time here and her work with the individuals, Kelly switched her major to social work. What also struck me in the time that I got to know Kelly, and also talking with the staff and with the individuals, is Kelly's ability to move forward our agenda, our individuals' agenda, and continuously work toward making people's lives better.

That's what's going to stick with us. One of the things as we move forward at Bridgewell is Kelly will always be with us. Kelly's DNA is woven in to the fabric of Bridgewell. And it's who Bridgewell is. Thirty-five years, she will be with us forever.

Her spirit, her kindness, her innovation, her dedication — that is who we are and it is part of our mission and Kelly is a significant reason and a big part of who we are and what our mission is.

I want to take time in recognizing and thanking Kelly's family for being here, but also thanking Kelly's family for sharing Kelly with us. Thirty-five years in human service, to do it well as Kelly did, you were dedicated to your family, you were dedicated to your work.

And there were often times, I'm sure, that Kelly had to be

at work when she much rather be at home. So for Bridgewell, we are in deep gratitude to Kelly's family for sharing her with us for all this time.

I have deep gratitude for Kelly for giving me the opportunity to be part of Bridgewell. I don't take lightly that I was Kelly's last hire. I will always hold that and cherish that. I will continue to work to move Bridgewell in the path that Kelly had started over this time.

So it is our pleasure and honor not just to dedicate the building, but the programs that sit in this building and call it and have it, The Kelly J. Martin Center.

NO SMOKING AT PARKS OR BEACH AFTER MAY 1

WINTHROP — The Board of Health has approved changes to the town's smoking regulations that will go into effect on May 1.

The newly revised workplace and public places smoking regulations prohibit smoking, including e-cigarettes, in parks, at town beaches, there is also now a buffer zone of 25 feet around municipal properties. Smoking is prohibited inside membership associations/private clubs, but is allowed in an outdoor area.

Board of Health Chairman Bill Schmidt said the board has been working on these for the past several months, with input from Bonny Carroll, of the Six City Tobacco Initiative, and DJ Wilson of the Massachusetts Municipal Association. A public hearing was held in December.

The new regulations also carry a fine of \$25 to \$100 per violation. State law states it is a \$100 fine to smoke on beach and other places, but the Winthrop Board of Health also wanted to establish a \$25 fine for those smoking or vaping in places where smoking is prohibited.

The use of e-cigarettes is prohibited wherever smoking is prohibited per M.G.L. Ch. 270, §22 and Section 4(c) of this regulation.

Pursuant to M.G.L. Ch. 270, §22(j) smoking is also hereby prohibited in:

1. Retail Tobacco Stores
2. Smoking Bars
3. Town-Owned Playgrounds, Parks, Beaches and Athletic Fields
4. the area within 25 feet of any municipal building entranceway accessible to the public, except that this shall not apply to a smoker transiting through such 25 foot area nor to a smoker approaching an entranceway with the intention of extinguishing a tobacco product.
5. Enclosed indoor spaces of Membership Associations (private clubs)
6. Nursing Homes
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# Getting Out

## THE WOLVES

By Sheila Barth

We’re seated on set designer Shelley Barish’s three-sided, netted indoor soccer court, with green turf on the back wall and floor. Eight teen-age girls come bustling in, with one more trailing behind. They’re warming up, doing their routine calisthenics.

We are part of their world - with little said about boy-friends, but more about playing hard despite embarrassing menstrual periods and avoid-

ing disgusting porta-pottys.

They laugh, chatter, gossip, poke fun, but also discuss some serious global issues, such as a Cambodian murderer, Cambodia’s Khmer Rouge genocidal scourge, and more.

“I’ve been to Cambodia!,” #46 chimes in. She’s a newcomer to this tight, competitive, suburban team, and she’s trying desperately to fit in. When the word emphysema is bandied about, she injects with, “My grandmother has emphysema!,” like Kristen

Wiig’s one-upper character, Penelope, in former “Saturday Night Live” shows. Self-consciously and awkwardly, she tries to do whatever the other girls are doing.

The girls learn later that she’s never played soccer before. She played football-soccer. And she was (gasp)! home-schooled! She lives in a yurt - a portable, circular structure- , which the girls’ giggle about, calling it yogurt. Her string of outbursts make a lot of sense later.

Under Director A. Nora Long’s artistic leadership, accomplished actress Lydia Barnett-Mulligan is charming and touching, capturing ‘new girl’ teen-age angst in Sarah DeLappe’s 90-minute, Pulitzer Prize finalist, one-act play, “The Wolves”.

No, the girls aren’t part of the popular movie-TV werewolf-vampire genre. Their team’s name is the Wolves, and like a pack working in unison, they hope to win, win, win, and compete in the nationals, rumored to be held in Miami. #8 (Julia Lennon) blurts out, “I want to go to DisneyWorld,” and she’ll work hard to win, and make it happen. Later, she bawls and howls when she’s told the nationals will be in Tulsa instead.

The entire cast of 10 is a tightly-woven group, much like the teammates they’re depicting. Some of the actresses

### BOX OFFICE

Lyric Stage Company of Boston presents Sarah DeLappe’s 90-minute, one-act play through Feb 3, at 140 Clarendon St., Boston: Wednesdays, Thursdays, at 7:30 p.m.; Fridays, 8 p.m.; Saturdays, 3,8 p.m.; Sundays, 3 p.m.;Wednesday matinee, Jan.30, at 2 p.m.Tickets start at \$25; senior, student rush, group discounts. 617-585-5678.

are soccer players, others are beginners, but they handle the ball, do calisthenics in unison, without being coached, and give theatergoers a bird’s-eye peek into their characters’ psyches. During their pregame or practice warm-ups, half-time, and jubilant win over a national championship-winning team, the girls envelop us, at times running up the aisle stairs or around the theater’s perimeter.

Through their chatter, we learn one girl is Armenian. Another exhibits an eating disorder. Then, too, #7, (Olivia Z. Cote) drops f-bombs with every other word, making us immune to its shock factor, but her teammates still cringe at her colorful speech.

She becomes injured in a ski trip and can’t play the rest of the season.

We’re also privy to #00’s (Simone Black) very private secret - she had an abortion awhile ago.

The girls are also acutely aware scouts are watching them, perhaps to recruit them to high performing teams.

The play doesn’t end happily. There’s tragedy, revealed when Laura Latreille, portraying distraught Soccer Mom, comes to cheer the team on, during a heart-wrenching scene.

Sara Elizabeth Bedard, Valerie Terranova, Jarielle Whitney, Chelsea Evered, Grace Experience and Julia Lennon round out the cast.

### AROUND THE CITY

#### RAGTIME

Wheelock FamilyTheatre presents Tony Award-winning musical, “Ragtime,” based on EL Doctorow’s novel, book by Terrence McNally, music by Stephen Flaherty and lyrics by Lynn Ahrens, Jan. 25-Feb. 17: Friday, Saturday, 7:30 p.m.; Saturday, Sunday, 2 p.m. recommended for ages 10+. 200 Riverway, Boston. 617-353-3001, WFTTix@bu.edu, wheelockfamilytheatre.org.

#### PHANTOM GOURMET WINTER PHEST

On Saturday, Jan. 25, 12-3 p.m., Phantom Gourmet hosts its winter phest, at Landsdowne Pub, next to Fenway Park. \$20; VIP tickets include early entry at 11:30 a.m., special food, entertainment and service. There’s a sampling of 30 Phantom favorite foods, including Cabby Shack clam chowder, New England Soup Factory soup and Firefly’s chili, vendors, outdoor oyster bar, beer and wine bars outside, music, heaters, and more.

#### SHEN YUN

The spectacular Shen Yun, bursting with beauty, music, dance and Chinese lore, returns to the Boch Center Wang Theatre, Jan. 23,25,26, at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 24,26,27, at 2 p.m., 270 Tremont St., Boston; and Providence Performing Arts Center, 220 Weybosset St., Providence, RI, Feb. 2, 2 and 7:30 p.m., andFeb. 3, 1 p.m.Tickets, \$80, \$90, \$100, \$120, \$150,\$180. ShenYun.com/NE, 888-974-3698.



**RAN BLAKE:** New England Conservatory faculty member RAN Blake pays tribute to the late vocalist Jeanne Lee, in a free, solo recital, and release of “The Newest Sound You Never Heard,” Sunday, January 27, 3 p.m, at the conservatory’s Plimpton Shattuck Black Box Theater, Boston.

#### ACE TICKETS

Dawes performs Feb. 2 at the Boch Center tickets start at \$51; the Beanpot Tournament is held Feb. 4 at TD Garden, tickets start at \$56 with finals held Feb. 11, tickets start at \$61.Galactic is at House of Blues, Feb. 2, tickets start at \$30.The Bruins take on he Blackhawks at TD Garden, Feb. 11, tickets start at \$56. Ace ticket.com.

#### EARTHA KITT

Jade Wheeler portrays Eartha Kitt in Bridge Repertory Theater’s performance of “Who is Eartha Mae?,” Jan. 31-Feb. 23, at the tether in residence at

the Multicultural Arts Center, 41 Second St., East Cambridge. connect@bridgerep.org, bridgerep.org.

#### THE CURIOUS INCIDENT OF THE DOG IN THE NIGHT-TIME

Marblehead Little Theatre presents Simon Stephens’ provocative play, based the novel by Mark Haddon, Jan. 25-Feb. 3, 12 School St., Marblehead: Jan. 25,26,31, Feb. 1,2, at 7:30 p.m.; Jan. 27, Feb. 2,3, at 2 p.m. mlt-live.org.

#### PABLO SAINZ VILLEGAS

Boston Celebrity Series presents the famous guitarist, Jan. 23,24, 8 p.m., at Longy’s Edward M. Pickman Hall, Longy School of Music of Bard College, 27 Garden St., Cambridge. Tickets are limited and start at \$25. 617-482-6661. celebrityseries.org.

#### HANDEL AND HAYDN SOCIETY

The society plays Mozart and Haydn’s music, Jan 25, 7:30 p.m., and Jan. 27, 3 p.m., at Symphony Hall, Boston. handelandhaydn.org, 617-266-3605.

#### WOOD BROTHERS

As part of their tour featuring their latest album, “One Drop of Truth,” the trio performs with special guest Priscilla Renee, Saturday, Jan.26, 7 p.m., at House of Blues, 15 Landsdowne St., Boston. Advance tickets. \$29, day of show, \$40. 888-693-2583.

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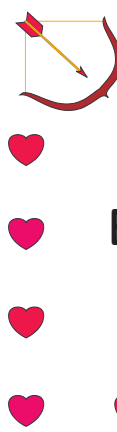
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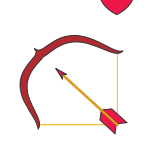


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## Community Meeting

### PLAN: East Boston

## Open Space Workshop

Tuesday January 29  
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

54 Ashley Street  
East Boston YMCA, Orient Heights  
East Boston, MA 02128

#### Event Description

Please join us for a community workshop focusing on open space in East Boston. Open space includes parks, playgrounds, community gardens, beaches, boardwalks, marshes, and more. The workshop—part of a broader conversation on how to preserve, enhance, and grow East Boston—will solicit community feedback about what our open space needs are today and how open spaces should be used in the future. We will share information about previously completed planning efforts and what we’ve heard at previous public meetings.

This event is part of many public events for PLAN: East Boston a long-range planning initiative which, when complete, will update the East Boston Master Plan and will recommend changes to East Boston zoning.

Light refreshments, translated materials, and interpretation services will be provided.

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## Taller Comunitario

### PLAN: East Boston

## Taller sobre el Espacio Abierto

Martes 29 de Enero  
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

54 Ashley Street  
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#### Descripción

Le invitamos a participar en un taller comunitario centrado en el espacio abierto en East Boston.El espacio abierto incluye parques, espacios de juegos de niños, jardines comunitarios, playas, paseos, marismas y mucho más.El taller es parte de la conversación general de cómo y dónde se ha de preservar, mejorar y crecer en East Boston. Solicitaremos opiniones sobre las necesidades de hoy en día y cómo se usarán estos espacios en el futuro. Compartiremos información sobre estudios de planificación anteriores y comentarios recibidos en reuniones anteriores.

Este evento es parte de PLAN: East Boston, una iniciativa de planificación a largo plazo que, cuando se complete, actualizará el Plan Maestro de East Boston y recomendará cambios en la zonificación.

Contaremos con aperitivos, materiales traducidos e intérpretes.

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**LOVE CANON**  
Bluegrass band Love Canon brings its acoustic versions of 1980s and ‘90s electronic-tinged pop songs, Jan. 24, 25, at 8 p.m. at Club Passim, 47 Palmer St., Cambridge.\$22, members, \$20. clubpassim.org, 617-492-7679.

**CELEBRITY SERIES**  
Lizz Wright and Lean on Me;Jose James celebrates Big Withers, Jan. 25, 8 p.m. \$45-\$70, Berklee Performance Center 136 Mass. Ave., Boston; Nederlands Dans Theater 2, performs Jan. 26,27, Boch Center Schubert Theatre, Boston. Tickets start at \$60. The Michael Jackson Tribute appears Jan. 29, \$10/\$15; and Berklee Students of Caribbean Ancestry Club (S.O.C.A.) presents RISE, featuring Riddim Symphony, Jan. 31, 8 p.m. \$10/\$15. boxoffice@celebrityseries.org, 617-482-6661.

**J. SYBYLLA SMITH**  
Firehouse Center for the Arts continues its North Shore Photography Lecture Series, in partnership with Sweethaven Gallery, with artist-academic-photographer J. Sybylla Smith, Jan. 31, 7 p.m., Market Square, Newburyport.\$10,students, \$5.firehouse.org, 978-462-7336.

**KOWLOON ENTERTAINMENT**  
Kowloon Restaurant and Comedy Club features Frank Santorelli, Jan. 26, 8 and 8:30 p.m., \$20; followed by Don Gavin, the godfather of Boston Comedy,

Feb. 1,2, 8 p.m. \$25. Route 1N, Saugus.781-233-0077.  
**CANTATA SINGERS**  
As part of their concert series, the Cantata Singers feature James Primosch: Matins, with oboist Peggy Pearson; Bela Bartok, “Divertimento for Strings; Arvo Part: Te Deum, Friday, Jan. 25, 8 p.m., New England Conservatory’s Jordan Hall, 30 Gainsborough St., Boston. cantatasingers.org, 617-868-5885.  
**GREATER BOSTON STAGE COMPANY STUDENT MATINEES**  
The theater’s Young Company presents “Junie B. Jones Jr., the musical,” Jan. 29, 9:30 and 11:30 a.m.; Jan. 31, 10:15 a.m.;“Annie,” Jan. 24, 10 a.m.; Jan. 30, 9:30 a.m.Feb. 1, 10 a.m.; and Disney’s Beauty and the Beast,” Jan. 25 and 29, at 10 a.m., 395 Main St., Stoneham. \$12. greaterbostonstage.org., 781-279-2200.

**RED ROOM EVENTS**  
The Nude Party performs Jan. 24; Berklee Original Open Mic free event is Jan. 28; Gary Jay, Miette Hope and Cypress appear Feb. 1; Tommy Newport, Feb. 2; The Brook and the Bluff, Feb. 4; Andy McKee, Feb. 11, and Elise Davis, Feb. 16, all at 8 p.m., at Cafe 939’s Red Room Cafe, 939 Boylston St., Boston.

**JONATHAN BASS**  
Boston Conservatory at Berkless’ Piano Masters Series presents Professor Jonathan Bass, performing Chopin’s Prelude op:28 and works by Beethoven, Faust and Prokofiev, Tuesday, Jan. 29, 8 p.m., at Seully Hall 8 Fenway, Floor 4, Boston.\$10-\$15, discounts also. bosotonconservatory.berklee.edu/events, 617-912-9222.

**WELL**  
Wellesley Repertory Theatre pres-

ents Lisa Kron’s play, through Feb. 10, Thursday-Saturday,7 p.m.; Saturday, Sunday, at 2 p.m. Ruth Nagel Jones Theater, Wellesley College campus.\$20, students. Seniors, \$10; also pay what you will Thursdays. wellesleyrep.org.

**OTHELLO**  
American Repertory Theatre presents the Oregon Shakespeare Festival production of Shakespeare’s “Othello,” through Feb. 9, at Loeb Drama Center, 64 Brattle St., Cambridge. 617-547-8300. Tickets Services@amrep.org.

**WINTER PANTO 2019**  
Imaginary Theater works its fun and magic touch with Mathew woods and The Ensemble’s “Winter Panto 2019:Paul Bunyan and the Winter of the Blue Snow,” through Feb. 10: Friday-Sunday, also Jan. 31, Feb. 4, 7.Charlestown Working Theater, 442 Bunker Hill St. Charlestown. \$24; children 12-under,\$12; students 13+ years old, seniors, \$15; group rates. 866-811-4111, web. ovationtix.com/trs/pr/1003505. Groups, imaginarybeasts@gmail.com.

**WORLD MUSIC EVENTS**  
The Boston premiere work, Dance Up, features Danza Organica, Jan. 25, 8 p.m.; Prometheus Dance, Jan.26, 8 p.m., and Wondertwins, Jan. 27, 3 p.m., all at the Institute of Contemporary Art, 25 Harbor Shore Drive, Boston (\$36/\$32). worldmusic.org, 617-876-4275.

**JAPAN SOCIETY BOSTON EVENTS**  
The Japan Society Boston presents calligraphy at Coolidge Corner, Jan.30, 7-9 p.m.,at Topdrawer Brookline, 275 Harvard St., Brookline. JapanSocietyBoston.org.

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# OHNC January meeting recap

By John Lynds

On Monday night, the Orient Heights Neighborhood Council (OHNC) held its January meeting and at the meeting the Council voted on two development projects and heard presentations on two other projects.

First, OHNC members voted 9 to 2 in favor of the project at 35 Leyden St. There the developer plans to raze and existing six-family building and erect new nine unit condo building with 11 off street parking.

The developer has worked closely with abutters to come up with a design that compliments many of the homes on Leyden Street with more traditional architecture mirroring some of the triple-deckers on the street.

Lyden Street resident Jim Kearney said he did not like the first design that was presented, but after working with neighbors the developer did a good job coming up with a better product.

“The developer met with abutters several times to ad-

dress the issues we had with the design,” said Kearney who lives directly across the street from the proposed project. “I’m happy with what the developers have done. The current building is an eyesore and this project will improve the neighborhood with homeownership opportunities so I’m voting yes.”

The developer will be seeking zoning relief for Use, Floor Area Ratio, Height and Parking.

Next, the group voted 11 to 0 in favor of the project at 6 Faywood Ave. The proponent was simply asking the group to support plans to add a second floor with additional living space to an existing two-family home.

After voting on the two projects OHNC heard from Attorney Matt Eckel on two projects.

The first project at 170 Gladstone plans to keep an existing building erecting in 1907 on the corner of Gladstone and Breed Streets and add second 3-story building with eight units of housing and four off-street parking

spots.

This was the first meeting regarding this project so Eckel said he was at Monday’s OHNC to get feedback from residents on what they like and don’t like about the plans.

“We want to hear your concerns,” he said. “This project needs zoning relief and we will design and redesign. We want to be in constant contact with the abutters because it is still very early in the process. So we want to come out and have these conversations and discussions about what works and what doesn’t work.”

Immediately some OHNC members said only four parking spaces was going to be an issue as well as the height of the building, which is proposed at 41 feet.

Others like Joe Arangio said the development was ‘too big for Gladstone Street’.

“The area is zoned for two-families so eight units is out of context with the surrounding community,” said Arangio. “Frankly we are being oversaturated with big lot development.”

Lastly, Eckel updated

OHNC members on the project at the Gladstone Lots. There the proposal is to erect a four-story building with 79 units and 80 parking spaces plus eight on-street spaces as well as maintaining open and public greenspace.

The project is subjected to the Boston Planning and Development Agency’s (BPDA) Article 80 process, which Eckel believes will be thorough and lengthy.

Eckel has already presented this project once before to the group and said some changes have already been made.

The developer has reconfigured access in and out of the site to accommodate for the eight additional parking spaces.

In order to minimize the massing of the building, which some equated to a large box that looked more like a hotel than an apartment complex, the developer has broken up the facade of the building so it looks more like individual row houses than one large building.

The ultramodern style has also been softened so



A developer presents the project at 35 Leyden St. during Monday night’s OHNC meeting.

the building looks more like some of the other homes on the street.

Some still had concerns of

the sheer size of the proposal and called 79 units a ‘major game changer’ for the otherwise quiet Gladstone Street.

## OBITUARIES

### Kevin Donovan

Of Winthrop

Kevin J. Donovan of Winthrop passed away on Sunday, Jan. 20.

He was the loving son of Helen (Butori) Ferriman, devoted companion of the late Lori Caldarelli (Farro); cherished father of Susan Sullivan and Kevin of Holbrook, James Farro of Derry, NH, Anthony Farro of Winthrop, Laurena Farro and Oscar Pimental of Chelsea and Shannon Donovan and Shawn Kelley of East Boston; loving brother of Gil Brewer, Timothy Donovan, Terrence “Cookie” Donovan, Carolyn Richard, Kelly DeBonis, William Ferriman, and the late Virginia Viscay and Albert Donovan Jr. and adored grandfather of Jessica, Alexa, Isabella, Joshua, Madison, and Andrew.

Family and friends will honor Kevin’s life by gathering in the Ruggiero Family



Memorial Home, 971 Saratoga Street, East Boston, on Thursday, Jan. 24 from 4 to 8 p.m. and again on Friday morning at 10 a.m. for a funeral service in the Serenity Chapel of the funeral home before heading in procession to Woodlawn Cemetery Chapel, Everett. for committal prayers.

### Nicholas Mastromarino

Former resident of Malden

Nicholas A. Mastromarino, formerly of Malden, passed away unexpectedly on Jan. 19.

He was the beloved father of Nicholas Alessandro of Chelsea, adoring son of Marline Porix and her husband, Hector of Revere and the late John D. Mastromarino of East Boston, dear brother of Monique Nestor and her husband, Raymond Jr. of Saugus and John Mastromarino and his wife, Judy of Malden; cherished grandson of the late David and Arline Carrozza, loving boyfriend of Brenda Lee Dean and her son, Patrick and caring nephew of Donna and Jim Rego of Florida, Debbie and Manny Fernandes of East Boston, and Eleanor and Timmy Partee of Peabody. He also leaves behind Renee Synnott Booth, the mother of his son as well as other dear aunts, uncles,



cousins and close friends.

A visitation will be held at the Paul Buonfiglio & Sons ~ Bruno Funeral Home 128 Revere St, Revere on Friday, Jan. 24 from 4 to 8 p.m. Relatives and friends are kindly invited. Funeral Mass will be held at Calvary Christian Church 47 Grove St, Lynnfield (Everyone to meet directly at church) on Saturday at 10 a.m. For guest book please visit [www.Buonfiglio.com](http://www.Buonfiglio.com)

### Joseph Oliveri

Longtime member of Revere Moose and Italian-American Civic League

Joseph L. Oliveri, a longtime resident of East Boston, passed away peacefully on Jan. 18 at the age of 92 at Kaplan Family Hospice House surrounded by his loving family.

Joe was born on Dec. 1, 1926 in Revere to Carl and Josephine (Piazza) Oliveri. He met the love of his life, Katherine “Kay” Pignato in East Boston and they married and raised their family on Princeton Street. Joe fondly would tell stories of living on Princeton Street and working with his brother-in-law, Pat on various political campaigns, at one point having to drive then-candidate George HW Bush to Caruso’s Diplomat to a function.

He was a US Army veteran serving in the Korean Conflict. He was a long-time member of the Revere Moose and the Italian American Civic League.

Joe was the devoted father of Carl Oliveri and his wife, Rose of East Boston and the



late Joseph Oliveri; dear brother of the late Josephine Cardoza, cherished grandfather of Carl Oliveri Jr. and his wife, Jessica of Chelsea, Laura Groves and her husband, Kenneth of Melrose and Daniel Oliveri of Saugus and adored great-grandfather of Kayla and Ava. He is also survived by many loving nieces and nephews.

Funeral arrangements were by the Ruggiero Family Memorial Home 971 Saratoga St. East Boston. Joe was laid to rest with full military honors beside his beloved Katherine at Holy Cross Cemetery in Malden.

#### LEGAL NOTICE

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT Suffolk Division CITATION GIVING NOTICE OF PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN FOR INCAPACITATED PERSON PURSUANT TO G.L.C.190B, §5-304

Docket No. SU19P0062GD In the matter of: Camille M MacLean of East Boston, MA RESPONDENT Alleged Incapacitated Person To the named Respondent and all other interested persons, a petition has been filed by: Renee MacLean of East Boston, MA, in the above captioned matter alleging that Camille M MacLean is in need of a Guardian and requesting that Renee MacLean of East Boston, MA (or some other suitable person) be appointed as Guardian to serve on the bond. The petition asks the court to determine that the Respondent is incapacitated, that the appointment of a Guardian is necessary, and that the proposed Guardian is appropriate. The petition is on file with this court and may contain a request for certain specific authority. You have a right to object to this proceeding. If you

wish to do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance at this Court on or before 10:00 a.m. on 02/07/2019 This day is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline date by which you must file the written appearance if you object to the petition. If you fail to file the written appearance by the return date, action may be taken in this matter without further notice to you. In addition to filing the written appearance, you or your attorney must file a written affidavit stating the specific facts and grounds of your objection within 30 days after the return date.

IMPORTANT NOTICE The outcome of this proceeding may limit or completely take away the above-named person’s right to make decisions about personal affairs or financial affairs or both. The above-named person has the right to ask for a lawyer. Anyone may make this request on behalf of the above-named person. If the above-named person cannot afford a lawyer, one may be appointed at State expense. WITNESS, Brian J. Dunn Date: January 09, 2019 Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS THE TRIAL COURT PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT Suffolk Probate And Family Court 24 New Chardon St. Boston, MA 02114 (617)788-8300 CITATION ON PETITION FOR CHANGE OF NAME Docket No. SU18CO528CA

In the matter of: Tayla Scott Todisco A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by Tayla Scott Todisco, of E. Boston, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to: Tayla Claudio IMPORTANT NOTICE Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: Suffolk Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 02/07/2019. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding. WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court. Date: January 16, 2019 Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate

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### Rose Ann Bruno

Lifelong East Boston resident

Rose Ann Bruno of East Boston passed away peacefully surrounded by her loving family on Jan. 21 at the age of 82.

Rose was born in Boston on March 16,1936 to Dominic and Lena (Drago) DiMarzo. She lived in East Boston all her life.

She was the beloved mother of Louise A. Capone and her husband, Charles, Doreen Bruno, Jacqueline Ballantine and Debra Rowe and her husband, Freddy, all of East Boston; the dear sister of Joseph DiMarzo, Frank DiMarzo, Marie Pepe and Marion Puleio and cherished grandmother of nine grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

She is also survived by

many loving nieces and nephews.

Family and friends will honor Rose’s life by gathering at the Ruggiero Family Memorial 971 Saratoga St., East Boston on Sunday Jan. 27 from 2 to 6 p.m. and again on Monday morning 8:30 before leaving in procession to St. Joseph -St. Lazarus Church Ashley St., East Boston for a 10 a.m. Funeral Mass in celebration of Rose’s life. Services will conclude with Rose being laid to rest with her parents at Woodlawn Cemetery in Everett. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Alzheimer’s Association. For more information, visit [ruggieromh.com](http://ruggieromh.com)

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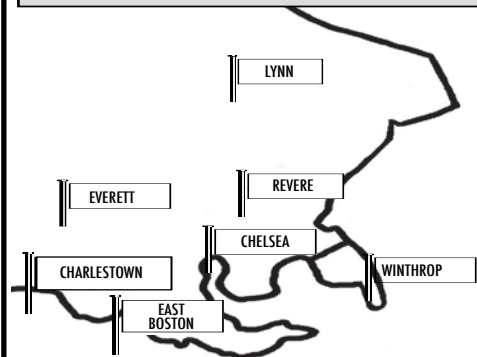
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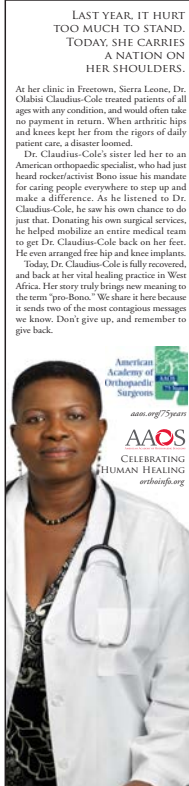
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## Congresswoman Ayanna Pressley announces congressional staff hires

Representative Ayanna Pressley (D-MA), announced key staff hires. Sworn in on January 3rd, Pressley represents Massachusetts’ 7th Congressional District which includes parts of Boston, Cambridge, Somerville, Chelsea, Everett, Randolph and Milton.

“I’m incredibly proud of the team we’re building” said Representative Pressley. “We were sent here to serve the residents of the 7th Congressional District, to take on inequities and disparities back home and to chart a bold path forward. As someone who started my career in government as a caseworker in my Congressman’s district office and spent 16 years as a staffer in the Massachusetts delegation, I know how critical it is to invest in a team of public servants that share your values and your vision.”

Sarah Groh, Chief of Staff. A longtime resident of the 7th, and Pressley’s former Campaign Manager, Groh will serve as Chief of Staff. She brings a decade of experience in Massachusetts and national advocacy work. Past positions include advocacy work at Roxbury’s Horizons for Homeless Children and serving as the Director of Advocacy at America Forward. Groh has a Bachelors Degree from Lesley University and a Masters Degree from Harvard University.

Aissa Canchola, Legislative Director. Most recently Canchola served as a Director at the Penn Hill Group where she worked with advocacy organizations including teachers’ unions and non-profits on a portfolio of education and workforce issues. Previously, Canchola worked for the U.S. Senate including as a committee staff member for the Health, Education, Labor and Pensions Committee.

Kalina Frances, Communications Director. Frances



Congresswoman Pressley with Congressional Staff, from left, Luz Villar, Erina Colombo, Kalina Frances, Ronald Claude, Eric White, Errin Douglas, Lona Watts, Congresswoman Pressley, Dennis Barrett, Colin Remal, Sarah Groh, Aissa Canchola, Lynese Wallace.

previously worked in the public affairs office at the Department of Treasury during the Obama Administration and has held committee staff positions at the House of Representatives including Press Secretary of the Financial Services Committee and has also worked as a Senior Account Supervisor at Edelman.

Eric White, District Director. A lifelong Boston resident, White served in the now Congresswoman’s City Council office for the past 5 years, most recently as her Chief of Staff. White is a graduate of the University of Massachusetts.

Lynese Wallace, Policy Advisor. Wallace previously served as Research Director during the Congresswoman’s tenure as a City Councilor At Large. She holds a Bachelors Degree and Masters’ of Public Health from Boston University.

Lona Watts, Director of Scheduling. Watts has spent 7 years on Capitol Hill and has previously worked for Representatives DeLauro, Miller, McDermott, and Polis.

Erina Colombo, Civic Engagement Manager. Previously, Colombo worked on Pressley’s Congressional Campaign as her Deputy Finance Director and her Deputy Political Director. She is a former City Year corps member and also worked for City Year Boston.

Ronald Claude, Field

Representative. Claude is a Boston College graduate and previously worked as a Research Assistant at Boston College and as Policy Director in Pressley’s City Council Office.

Colin Remal, Constituent Services Manager. A former Organizer for President Obama’s 2012 re-election campaign, Remal most recently served as Pressley’s Director of Constituent Outreach in her City Council Office.

Dennis Barrett, Legislative Correspondent. Most recently Barrett worked for Congressman Raja Krishnamoorthi. His family lives in the 7th Congressional District where his parents serve as Pastors at Jubilee Church in Mattapan. Barrett also worked as a Field Organizer on Martha Coakley’s 2014 Gubernatorial campaign and is a proud graduate of the Posse Program.

Errin Douglas, Staff Assistant. A recent graduate of Salem State University and a longtime resident of Dorchester, Douglas joins Pressley’s team after working as Campaign Coordinator for Representative Liz Miranda’s campaign.

Luz Villar, Executive Assistant. Villar previously served as Pressley’s Scheduler and Community Liaison in her City Council office. She is a Year Up alumna and a graduate of Cambridge College.

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