



## **Public Safety & Transportation Committee Agenda**

**City of Newton**

**In City Council**

### **SPECIAL MEETING**

**Monday, August 12, 2019**

**7:15 PM**

**Room 211**

#### **Item Scheduled for Discussion:**

*The Public Safety and Transportation and Finance Committees will meet jointly to discuss the following item:*

#### **Referred to Public Safety & Transportation and Finance Committees**

**#254-19      Appropriate \$800,000 for a new Fire Engine 2**

HER HONOR THE MAYOR requesting authorization to appropriate eight hundred thousand dollars (\$800,000) from bonded indebtedness for the purpose of funding the purchase of a new Fire Engine 2 for the Fire Department and authorization to apply any premium received upon the sale of the bonds or notes, less the cost of preparing, issuing, and marketing them, and any accrued interest received upon the delivery of the bonds or notes to the costs of the project and to reduce the amount authorized to be borrowed for the project by like amount.

All other items before the Committee will be held without discussion.

**Respectfully submitted,**

**Allan Ciccone, Jr. Chair**

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Councilors:

I respectfully submit a docket item to your Honorable Council requesting authorization to appropriate and expend \$800,000 and authorize a general obligation borrowing of an equal amount for the purchase a new Fire Engine 2 for the Newton Fire Department.

Further, I request that your Honorable Council authorize any premium received upon the sale of the bonds or notes, less the cost of preparing, issuing and marketing them, and any accrued interest received upon the delivery of the bonds or notes be applied to the costs of the project being financed by the bonds or notes and to reduce the amount authorized to be borrowed for the project by like amount.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

Ruthanne Fuller  
Mayor

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Gino Lucchetti  
Chief

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Ruthanne Fuller  
Mayor

July 1, 2019

Maureen Lemieux  
CFO  
City of Newton  
1000 Commonwealth Ave  
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Maureen,  
I respectfully request to docket funding of \$800,000.00 dollars to purchase a new Fire Engine 2 for the Newton Fire Department.

The new Engine 2 would replace our current Engine 2 which is approximately 12 years old. NFPA standards requires all in line apparatus to be replaced every 10 years. Older Engine 2 will become a spare in our fleet.

Thank you for your consideration to this matter.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. Lucchetti", is written over a horizontal line.

Gino Lucchetti  
Chief of Department