

CITY OF WORCESTER

TRAFFIC AND PARKING COMMITTEE

Wednesday, March 18, 2026
Esther Howland (South) Chamber
Convened: 5:31 P.M.
Adjourned: 7:27 P.M.

MAYOR

Joseph M. Petty

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Chairperson Jose A Rivera

Vice Chairperson Luis A Ojeda

Councilor Robert A Bilotta



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Present Were:

Chairperson Councilor Jose A. Rivera

Councilor Luis A. Ojeda

Councilor Robert A. Bilotta, who participated in the meeting remotely

Also:

Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility Stephen Rolle

Assistant Director of Transportation and Mobility Todd

Kirrane

WPD Sergeant James T. Foley

Principal Staff Assistant An Pham, clerk

1. Virtual Attendee Call-In Information

- a. Pursuant to Chapter 20 of the Acts of 2021 and in order to ensure active, public engagement, the City of Worcester currently allows for both in-person and remote participation at all City Council and Standing Committee meetings. To partake in the meeting, you may attend the meeting in-person within the meeting location, follow the below link to join via Zoom or dial the direct line as indicated. If you join a Zoom meeting by dialing in with a phone number, you can raise your hand by dialing *9.

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2. Approval of the Minutes

- a. Order - That the City Council Standing Committee of Traffic and Parking hereby approves the minutes of the Traffic and Parking Committee meeting of February 25, 2026.

**Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and moved for a roll call vote to adopt the item.
Order adopted on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays**

3. Handicap Parking Petitions

- a. Brendalee Clander-Soto request installation of a handicap parking space in front of 152 Beacon St.

9k CC January 13, 2026

In Committee February 25, 2026 - Held

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to hold to amend the item.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved to amend the item to read as follows, "Brendalee Clander-Soto request installation of a handicap parking space in front of 151 Beacon St."

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Hold as Amended on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- b. Teresa Zayas request installation of a handicap parking space in front of 9 North Ashland St.

9o CC January 13, 2026

In Committee February 25, 2026 - Held

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation approve.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- c. Report of the Committee on Traffic and Parking Upon the Petition of Samantha Leroy request removal of handicap parking signage in front of 65 Eastern Ave. (Amended February 25, 2026)

12b CC January 20, 2026

In Committee February 25, 2026 - Held

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- d. Sherri Way request removal of the handicap parking space in front of 20 Kosta St.
7a CC February 3, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to hold to amend the item.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. Aaron Pratt, Worcester resident, spoke neither in favor nor opposed to the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who discussed the intent of the petition with Speaker #1.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved to amend the item to read as follows, "Sherri Way request removal of the handicap parking space in front of 19 Kosta St."

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Hold as Amended on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- e. Rahela Hussaini request installation of a handicap parking space in front of 118 Eastern Ave.
7d CC February 10, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to hold, as more information is needed from the petitioner.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Hold on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- f. Matthew Sullivan request removal of two (2) handicap parking spaces on Leon St. at its intersection with Plantation St.
7e CC February 10, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve removal of one space adjacent to 22 Plantation St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- g.** Eva Clark request installation of a handicap parking space in the vicinity of 195 Lincoln St.

7g CC February 10, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to hold, as more information is needed from the petitioner.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Hold on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- h.** Alexander Cordero request removal of the handicap parking space at 34 Beacon St.

10j CC February 24, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve removal of one handicap parking space across from 34 Beacon St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. No name given, Worcester resident, spoke in opposition to the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who discussed the recommendation to remove one out of two handicap parking spaces at the location with Speaker #1.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- i. Lisette Arce-Batista request installation of a handicap parking space in front of 77 Merrifield St.
10l CC February 24, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to file, as there is an existing ordained designated curbside handicap parking space at the requested location.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera brought forth the following Chairman's Order: Request City Manager request Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility install handicap parking space signage at the existing ordained designated handicap parking space in front of 77 Merrifield St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 2 Yeas and 0 Nays (Ojeda absent)

Chairman's Orders

Request City Manager request Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility install handicap parking space signage at the existing ordained designated handicap parking space in front of 77 Merrifield St.

- j. Ismene Michaud request handicap parking space in front of 53 Raymond St. be relocated to across the street in front of 54 Raymond St.
10m CC February 24, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to file, as the handicap parking signage has not been installed yet and there is a winter parking ban on the 54 Raymond St. side.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. No name given, Worcester resident, spoke in opposition to the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- k. Frank Kuffuor request installation of a handicap parking space in front of 188 Austin St.
10p CC February 24, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to hold, as more information is needed from the petitioner.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Hold on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- l. Linda Prendiville request installation of a handicap parking space across from 4 Gage St.
10s CC February 24, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

4. Crosswalk and Lighted Crosswalk System Petitions

- a. Keith Linhares request installation of additional crosswalks on Highland St. in the vicinity of Doherty Memorial High School, located at 299 Highland St.

9i CC January 13, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve for improved pedestrian accommodations as part of the upcoming Highland St. reconstruction project.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

- 1. Nathalie Gibson, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item**

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who discussed the timeline concerning installation of the crosswalk with Speaker #1.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera brought forth the following Chairman's Order: Request City Manager request Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility review the crosswalks on Highland St. in the vicinity of Doherty High School (299 Highland St.) to improve pedestrian safety, as part of the upcoming Highland St. reconstruction project.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

Chairman's Orders

Request City Manager request Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility review the crosswalks on Highland St. in the vicinity of Doherty High School (299 Highland St.) to improve pedestrian safety, as part of the upcoming Highland St. reconstruction project.

- b. Councilor Robert A. Bilotta request installation of a crosswalk and rapid flashing beacons on Shrewsbury St. at its intersection with Casco St.

7b CC February 10, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized Councilor Bilotta, who discussed improving pedestrian safety along the Shrewsbury St. corridor.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve for construction of a new pedestrian crosswalk across Shrewsbury St. in the vicinity of Casco St., including ADA/PROWAG compliant ramps, MUTCD compliant pavement markings, pedestrian refuge island and RRFB, pending funding.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

5. No Parking Petitions

- a. Christine Rodriguez et al. request removal of "No Parking Anytime" signage on Glennie St.

10g CC August 19, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to file, as the street is 35 ft. wide and cannot support parking on both sides given the streets usage; the No Parking Anytime zone along the northern/western curbline was to ensure adequate travel lane widths for two-way traffic and parking lane.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. Gerard Dio, Worcester resident, spoke in opposition to the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- b. Lilian Sorto Cruz and Pedro Cruz request installation of "No Parking Anytime" signage from 7:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday in front of 3 Thayer St.

9w CC September 9, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- c. Anival Correa request installation of "No Parking Anytime" signage in front of 21 Lodi St.

10j CC September 9, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who discussed the parking situation on Lodi St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. Anival Correa, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who discussed different methods to address parking issues at the requested location with Speaker #1.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Ojeda, who discussed holding the item to explore ways to address the parking issues at the requested location with Speaker #1.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera brought forth the following Chairman's Order: Request City Manager request Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility provide additional parking and traffic enforcement on Lodi St. during Polar Park game days.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Ojeda, who discussed posting signage to prevent the driveway from being blocked with the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera brought forth the following Chairman's Order: Request City Manager request Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility install the statutory 5 feet No Parking zone signage on either side of the driveway at 21 Lodi St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Bilotta, who discussed installing a resident permit parking zone on Lodi St. with the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to recommend the item be held.

Recommend Hold on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

Chairman's Orders

Request City Manager request Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility provide additional parking and traffic enforcement on Lodi St. during Polar Park game days.

Request City Manager request Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility install the statutory 5 feet No Parking zone signage on either side of the driveway at 21 Lodi St.

- d. Sherry Monfils request installation of "No Parking Within 5 Feet of Driveway" signage at 8 Blossom St.
9h CC November 25, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve the statutory ordinance prohibiting parking within 5' of a curb cut be signed at 8 Blossom St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. Sherry Monfils, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- e. Councilor Tony Economou on behalf of the residents of Burncoat St. request increased enforcement of the "No Parking Anytime" restriction on Burncoat St. between Clark St. and Fairhaven Rd.
9q CC January 13, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve increased emphasis of No Parking Anytime restriction on Burncoat St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. Cynthia Allegrezza, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- f. Councilor Robert A. Bilotta request installation of “No Parking Anytime” signage on the DeMarco Ter. side of 179 Shrewsbury St.

7d CC February 3, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Bilotta, who discussed safety issues relative to parking at the requested location.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

6. One and Two-Way Street Reconfiguration Petitions

- a. Councilor Luis A. Ojeda request Beaver St. from Birch St. to Park Ave. be made a two-way street. Further, request the traffic light control signal at the intersection of Beaver St. and Park Ave. be reconfigured to reflect said two-way traffic.

10o CC February 24, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized Councilor Ojeda, who discussed the timeline to implement long-term and short-term changes at the requested location and traffic challenges relative to the traffic from the driveway of the car wash business at the requested location with the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. Nathalie Gibson, Worcester resident, spoke neither in favor nor opposed to the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Ojeda, who discussed traffic challenges relative to the car wash business at the location with Speaker #1.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved to amend the item to read as follows, “Councilor Luis A. Ojeda request Beaver St. from Park Ave. to 575 Park Ave. driveway be made a two-way street. Further, request installation of stop sign and right turn only sign on Beaver St. at Park Ave.”

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to recommend the item be held.

Recommend Hold as Amended on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

7. Speed and Traffic Enforcement Petitions

- a. Councilor Tony Economou on behalf of Dennis Cohen request increased speed enforcement on Lynnwood Ln. headed towards Salisbury St. during the hours of 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

9n CC January 13, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the WPD Sergeant, who spoke concerning the item.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera brought forth the following Chairman's Order: Request City Manager request Police Chief provide increased speed enforcement on Lynnwood Ln. headed towards Salisbury St. during the hours of 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to recommend the item be filed.

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

Chairman's Orders

Request City Manager request Police Chief provide increased speed enforcement on Lynnwood Ln. headed towards Salisbury St. during the hours of 3 p.m. to 6 p.m.

8. Stop Sign Petitions

- a. Deborah Fins request installation of a stop sign at the intersection of Neponset St. and West Boylston Dr.

9u CC September 9, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to file, as the volume and crash history of the requested location do not meet required warrants for a stop sign on Neponset St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- b. Councilor Candy Mero-Carlson request installation of a stop sign at the corner of Sherbrook Ave. and Lakeview St.
10j CC November 18, 2025

In Committee February 25, 2026 - Held

irperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to file, as the requested location does not meet MUTCD warrants for installation of All Way Stop Control (AWSC).

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Bilotta, who spoke concerning the item.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- c. Councilor Jenny Pacillo request installation of a four-way stop sign at the intersection of Westbrook Rd. and Kinnicutt Rd.
10d CC August 19, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and moved to take the item up with Item #8d collectively.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve stop signs on Kinnicutt Rd. to establish AWSC at its intersection with Westbrook St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

1. Mary Sacksteder, Worcester resident, spoke neither in favor nor opposed to the item
2. Jean Gallagher, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item
3. Paul Gallagher, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item
4. Mary Sullivan, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item
5. Janet Purney-Balabanis, Worcester resident, spoke in opposition to the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Ojeda, who discussed the visibility and sight distance relative to traffic at the requested location and pedestrian traffic volume in the neighborhood with Speaker #1 and Speaker #3.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Ojeda, who discussed additional traffic calming measures that can be utilized for the neighborhood with the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- d. Councilor Tony Economou on behalf of the residents of Saxon Rd. request installation of four-way stop signage at the intersection of Westbrook Rd. and Kinnicutt Rd.

9u CC January 13, 2026

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays (See Item #8c)

- e. Councilor Tony Economou on behalf of the residents of Saxon Rd. request installation of stop signage at the intersection of Greenbriar Ln. and Saxon Rd.

9s CC January 13, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility and the Assistant Director of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve a stop sign facing Saxon Rd. and yield control sign facing Westbrook Rd.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

- 1. Mary Sacksteder, Worcester resident, spoke in opposition to the item**
- 2. Mary Sullivan, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item**

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- f. Councilor Tony Economou on behalf of the residents of Saxon Rd. request installation of stop signage at the intersection of Saxon Rd. and Westbrook Rd.

9t CC January 13, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve stop sign facing Saxon Rd.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the following speaker:

- 1. Mary Sacksteder, Worcester resident, spoke neither in favor nor opposed to the item**
- 2. Mary Sullivan, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item**

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Assistant Director of Transportation and Mobility, who discussed the proposed location for the stop sign.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

9. Traffic Control Signal Petition

- a. Councilor Kathleen M. Toomey request installation of a left turn arrow at the intersection of Dalton St. and Grafton St.

10e CC August 19, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to hold for completion of traffic analysis.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Hold on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

10. Traffic Sign Petitions

- a. Dennis O'Brien request installation of one way signage on Oak St. in the vicinity of parking lot of The Worcester Club, located at 1 Oak St., to ensure patrons exiting the facility turn in the correct direction.

8n CC July 15, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve installation one way/no right turn signage opposite the driveway for 1 Oak St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Ojeda, who discussed missing signage on Cedar St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- b. Ismael Reyes request installation of additional one way street signage on Beacon St. at its intersection with Ripley St.

8s CC July 15, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to install additional one way and do not enter signage at the intersection of Beacon St. and Ripley St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Councilor Ojeda, who discussed challenges concerning traffic visibility in the area.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- c. Patricia Tricomi request installation of signage at the entrance and exit of Thorndyke Road School driveway to inform drivers that the street is a one-way street, such as "No Left Turn - One Way" and "Right Turn Only - One Way" signage.

10y CC August 19, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to file, as DTM has worked with the School Department for installation of the requested signage.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

- d. Candace Smith request installation of warning signage indicating the sharp turn on Southbridge St. at its intersection with Quinsigamond Ave., as well as signage warning motorists that Francis J. McGrath Blvd. continues straight.

10h CC November 18, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the following speaker:

- 1. Candace Smith, Worcester resident, spoke neither in favor nor opposed to the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to approve installation of directional signage on Southbridge St. at Francis J McGrath Blvd. to veer left to stay on Southbridge St.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Approval on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

11. Miscellaneous

- a. Petition of Brandon MacPhie request installation of traffic barriers/barricades in front of 1025 Millbury St.

8hh CC July 15, 2025

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the following speaker:

- 1. Brandon MacPhie, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item
- 2. Tom Warren, Worcester resident, spoke in favor of the item

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who discussed the different methods that can be utilized to address traffic challenges at the requested location and provided the recommendation to hold, as further research is needed.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera recognized Speaker #2, who discussed the needs to install a crosswalk for school bus drop-offs and the feasibility of installing a crosswalk at the intersection of Millbury St. and Lochwan Ave. with the Assistant Director of Transportation and Mobility.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend Hold on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays

12. Communications of the City Manager

- a. Transmitting an informational communication relative to the plans to repair the Federal Plaza Garage, located at 570 Main St., including information concerning fixing the staircase on the Main St. side of the building, as well as upgrades to the elevators.

12m CM February 10, 2026

Chairperson Councilor Rivera read the item and recognized the Commissioner of Transportation and Mobility, who provided the recommendation to file.

Chairperson Councilor Rivera moved for a roll call vote to accept the recommendation.

Recommend File on a roll call vote of 3 Yeas and 0 Nays