

Committee on City Services and the Northampton City Council

Committee Members:

Councilor Dennis P. Bidwell
Councilor Maureen T. Carney
Councilor Marianne L. LaBarge
Councilor Ryan R. O'Donnell

MEETING AGENDA

Date: October 3, 2016

Time: 4:00 p.m.

**Location: City Council Chambers
212 Main St., Northampton, Massachusetts**

- 1. Meeting Called to Order and Roll Call**
- 2. Public Comment**
- 3. Department Presentation: Lilly Library**
- 4. Minutes of Previous Meetings**

A. Minutes of August 29, 2016

Documents:

[Minutes-CityServices-August292016.pdf](#)

5. Items Referred to Committee

- A. 16.154 Appointments to Committees - Referred to Committee on September 1, 2016**

**16.154 Appointments to Committees - Refer to
Committee on City Services**

Conservation Commission:

Councilor O'Donnell

Lisa Fusco, 130 Cross Path Road, Northampton, term September 2016 -
June 2019

Housing Partnership

Councilor Bidwell

Richard Abuza, 245 Chestnut St., Florence, term July 2016 - June 2019
(Reappointment)
Alison Brauner, 19 Market St., Apt. B, Northampton, term September 2016
- June 2019

Human Rights Commission:

Councilor Carney

Karen Bellavance-Grace, 19 Church St., Northampton, term September
2016 - June 2019
Davina Miller, 33 Summer St., Northampton, term September 2016 - June
2019

Public Shade Tree Commission:

Councilor LaBarge

Todd Ford, 78 Fern St., Florence, term July 2016 - June 2019
(Reappointment)
Marilyn Castriotta, 79 West St., Northampton, term July 2016 - June 2019
(Reappointment)

Documents:

[16.154_AppointmentsToCommittees.pdf](#)

**B. 16.167 - Refer Appointments to Committee on City Services - Referred to
Committee on September 15, 2016**

Arts Council:

- Joseph Pesce, 685 Ryan Road, Florence – term October 2016 – June 2019
(Councilor LaBarge)

Board of Assessors

- Denny Nolan, 319 Elm Street, Northampton – term October 2016 – June
2019 (Councilor Bidwell)

- Margo Welch, 143 Main Street, Northampton – term July 2016 – June 2019
(reappointment) (Councilor O'Donnell)

Planning Board:

- Euripedes De Oliveira , Associate Member, 9 Washington Place,
Northampton – term October 2016 – June 2019 (Councilor Carney)

Documents:

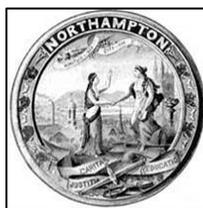
6. New Business

7. Adjourn

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Time: 4:00 p.m.

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1. Meeting Called to Order and Roll Call: At 4:00 p.m. Councilor Carney called the meeting to order. Present were: Councilor Carney, LaBarge, O'Donnell and Bidwell. No other City Councilors were present.
2. Public Comment: None
3. Department Presentation: Building Commissioner's Office

Building Commissioner Louis Hasbrouck was present representing the department. Commissioner Hasbrouck explained that the department permit revenues are approx. \$600,000 per year while the department expenses are about \$400,000 which doesn't include employee benefits or rent. The department issues about 4,000 permits per year; the number of permits issued has been going up every year. This includes plumbing, electrical, gas, building, sheet metal and zoning permits. About 1,500 of those are for actual building permits. The est. cost of construction = \$60,000,000 per year. Not all of this goes on the tax base because it is not all new construction. However, this is a good indicator of activity. It is significant for a city the size of Northampton. About 200 periodic inspections are done per year (liquor establishments, schools, hospitals, etc.). The department responds to about 125 complaints per year. Not every complaint is logged because some things can be resolved very quickly. The ones that are logged take a while or effort to resolve and usually require three or four different actions. For example, there was a complaint about an issue on South Street that involved over 200 e-mails. Additionally, by the time Roger's Hall is done, which initiated as a building complaint, over forty hours of work would have been put in to address that

particular complaint. The damage estimate is about \$5 million. The fire also contributed a significant amount of damage to Hubbard Hall. The buildings are an important as historic places in Northampton; it is important that proper procedures are followed to remedy the complaints.

One recent complaint that was not logged was an incident regarding an establishment on Pearl Street. The issue stemmed from the air conditioning not functioning during a recent concert event. Commissioner Hasbrouck explained that the Building Code does not address how hot it is inside a building. People were able to leave at will and the number of occupants was not at capacity. In this particular case, there is nothing that the Building Commissioner's Office can address.

There was a complaint about someone who put a fence across a right-of-way. This really is not a Building Code issue; the department cannot go back to the deed to address complaints. Again this is a case where the Office will have minimal, if any impact.

Other complaints that are not logged are when the electrical inspector or plumbing/gas inspector gets called by the Fire Department. A permit will get attached to the complaint but there is no way to track the information in the Building Commissioner's Office.

Northampton's construction activity has increased significantly in the last year and there has been a steady increase in building since 2011. To address the additional demand, inspector hours have increased to 40 per week. The inspectors can work extra hours as needed.

Councilor O'Donnell asked if there would be a point when the demand could not be met; Commissioner Hasbrouck explained that if this happens, some routine tasks may get pushed to the back burner. Use of comp time might be used as an option; bringing in inspectors from other municipalities is also an option. Intermittent workers are not ideal because of the nature of the work. Commissioner Hasbrouck reports that Northampton inspectors also inspect Williamsburg (about a few hundred inspections per year).

In Northampton, in-fill development has recently been allowed and this has stimulated growth within the community. Hospital Hill growth has been steady for an extended period of time.

Commissioner Hasbrouck notes that assisted living facilities have increased significantly since 2013; there have been 200 units that have been built. These have been done at Linda Manor, Rockridge, and at Christopher Heights. The Commissioner expects to see permit application for another 40 units on Hawley Street. There have also been inquiries about Northampton Nursing Home switching to assisted living.

New single family home construction been at a significantly higher level since the early 2000's. This has been bumped up by the in-fill development opportunity. Councilor LaBarge asked about tiny houses. Commissioner Hasbrouck indicates that any dwelling must meet the building code requirements which covers manufactured housing or houses built on-site. RV's, camping trailers, mobile homes and small houses on trailers don't meet code requirements. The way the zoning is set up, one could build a number of small houses on a single parcel, but the housing will be on permanent base with hook-ups for water, sewer, electricity and they also must meet certain sanitary criteria. People can't build based on their own taste; the codes are set up so that the dwelling can be readily occupied after the builder is long gone. A decent living space can be accomplished in 850 square feet; however a single bedroom small house doesn't accommodate young families. Dwellings ideally would have two bedrooms.

Councilor O'Donnell wondered if it were state law that prevented other communities to allow dwellings on trailers. Commissioner Hasbrouck explained that there are statutes that allow mobile home parks; however, very few communities allow new mobile home parks. The mobile homes are manufactured to specific requirements. A dwelling unit must be on a permanent foundation, but the foundation does not have to "poured". It needs to have potable water that won't freeze, and must have proper sewage. A small house is challenged to meet the energy requirements. There are prescriptive requirements in the building code that must be followed.

Councilor O'Donnell asked how much retro-fitting is done in Northampton. Commissioner Hasbrouck noted that a lot of the re-fits have been done already. This is due primarily to the various MassSave projects which have been pushed hard over the last ten years. There is still a steady stream of those kind of permits. There was a program called Solarize Northampton that was successful. There are more permits being obtained now then there were when the program first started. There are still rebates available so there are more installations now then there were at the height of the Solarize Northampton program. Councilor LaBarge raised a question about trustworthy contractors. Commissioner Hasbrouck commented that 20 percent are very good; 20 percent are not; the rest fall somewhere in the middle. Councilor LaBarge commented that some vendors come from out of state and don't have a license. Commissioner Hasbrouck explained that a permit would not be issued without a license. There are some companies, however, who use the license of an electrician that was not part of the project. The department checks licenses and credentials to minimize the risk of fraud.

There have been circumstances where the homeowner has taken out a permit even though they were not "equipped" to understand what was required. When this happens, the department will counsel the public that as a homeowner, they do have a right to take out a permit. There is, however, a provision in the building code that specifies the department can only issue permits to a "competent" person.

There may have been times with the homeowner pursued the permit because the contractor couldn't or wouldn't take out a permit in their own name. When and if this does happen, it allows the contractor to dodge some responsibility regarding workmanship. There is compensation available to a homeowner if the contractor takes out a permit and does a bad job. This compensation is not available if the homeowner takes the permit out themselves. These funds are available through a state fund that licensed contractors need to pay into. The Commissioner has in the past revoked a permit because the person who took out the permit put a contractor's name on it; the contractor claimed that they were not aware of the permit, even though the Commissioner's Office had all of the contractor's information. This was the case in a recently publicized account involving illegal dumping of concrete. The contractor of record stated that he was never consulted about being the contractor of record and had nothing to do with the project. Contractors have also been fired; when this happens, a permit will be closed out--the job will be inspected; when a new contractor is hired, the Commissioner's Office will let the contractor know where their responsibility starts. If a contractor leaves a job, the new contractor's responsibility goes all the way back to the beginning of the project to meet the code requirements.

Councilor Bidwell asked about residential condo owners. Commissioner Hasbrouck noted that number 32 Masonic Street is one of the situations that got brought up. He went back to his records and found there were 100 e-mails that have gone back and forth to address code issues. One issue cropped up when Viva Fresh Pasta put a dining area out back. The situation was dealt with immediately. They were asked to put up concrete barriers. A lot of the complaints had to do with the windows of the building. Windows in the building need to be replaced. The Central Business Architecture Committee set a standard for the windows but the windows that were approved are expensive. A number of windows have been screwed shut because they were prone to falling out. While they are now safe, the windows don't open anymore. Open windows are not a code requirement. There is also an outside fire escape on the building that needs to be redone. Any issues that are brought forward are pursued. A lot of the controversy may be about the effects a business activity might have on residential home owners. There were a lot of complaints about a downtown business where patrons were playing basketball late into the evening. The zoning ordinance about noise may cover playing basketball; however, there are a number of opinions about the noise level that playing basketball creates. Councilor Carney asked if the code were specific about the number of decibels allowed. Commissioner Hasbrouck stated that it was, however, a bouncing basketball may not rise to the level of that would exceed downtown noise level allowances. Another issue is the removal/replacement of dumpsters. There is a statute that allows for this activity during early morning hours when there are fewer cars in the way. A lot of landlord-tenant issues start with the Board of Health and the minimum standards for sanitation. If there are building, electrical, plumbing or gas code concerns, then the Board of Health will involve the Building Commissioner's Office.

Councilor Bidwell also asked about sandwich boards. Commissioner Hasbrouck stated all of the sandwich boards out there have been paid for and are in the right locations. Councilor O'Donnell asked if the Building Commissioner's Office regulated sandwich boards. Commissioner Hasbrouck indicated "yes"; signs are in the zoning laws. Sandwich boards are necessary for second floor businesses or businesses not located on Main Street. However, there is an alternative, which are blade signs. Surprisingly, there has not been a lot of interest in this alternative; even though these types of signs require a one-time permit fee vs. sandwich boards which require annual permits.

Councilor LaBarge likes the idea of removing the duty of sign enforcement from the Building Department and having the duty performed by Parking Attendants. Commissioner Hasbrouck indicated that it would require changes in the code book, however, he noted that the task of ensuring compliance is not difficult.

Commissioner Hasbrouck talked about unoccupied houses and tag sales. His office has had to deal with both issues. Regarding unoccupied houses, there is a really specific set of criteria regarding what can be done with an unoccupied house and when action can be taken. The Building Department can order that the building be made safe by securing it against unauthorized entry. When a complaint is made, the Building Commissioner has the right to enter the building, however, he would not enter a house if he is told not to do so. One particular house had squatters; the police were notified and the house was made secure. In one particular case, identified by Councilor LaBarge, the Health Department had difficulty finding contact number for the home owner. No one knew how to get in touch with the property owner. The Health Department would like to have a contact number visible when a house is unoccupied. Commissioner Hasbrouck noted that if someone can't be found, the Building Official can take actions as needed. The money can come out of the department's budget, and then the City can work to recoup the funds. The City is looking to install new permit tracking software; it might be possible to put contact info into that database.

Regarding tag sales, the Building Commissioner's Office has taken action to prevent on-going tag sales. The department is complaint-driven. There was a concern raised about an commercial "tag sale" on Burts Pit Road. That issue was resolved. There was also one on Bridge Road; In this case the Building Commissioner's Office did issue a fine but for the most part this is not an issue. The one in Leeds is done in a commercial zone, so there is not much that can be done about that one. The procedure generally is allowed by right for personal household goods from time to time. Councilor LaBarge commented that in the case of Burts Pit Road, the residents were upset because the tag sale was every Friday, Saturday and Sunday. There was also a trailer truck that brought more items and there were concerns about the increased traffic level.

The committee members thanked Commissioner Hasbrouck for coming and expressed their appreciation for the hard work and dedication demonstrated by the department.

4. Approve minutes of August 18, 2016: Councilor Bidwell moved to approve minutes; Councilor LaBarge seconded the motion. The motion was approved on a voice vote of 4 Yes, 0 No.

5. Items Referred to Committee

- A. 16.136 Appointment of Jeff Jones, Northampton Housing Representative to the Community Preservation Committee - Referred to Committee on August 18, 2016

Councilor Carney called and spoke with Jeff; he serves as the labor representative on the Northampton Housing Committee; he is excited to serve as the NHC representative on the CPC. He feels that it is important to have a housing rep to speak to the issue of how funding is distributed by the CPC. He has the time to work on the committee. Councilor LaBarge moved to send the appointment forward to the full City Council with a positive recommendation; Councilor O'Donnell seconded the motion. The motion was approved on a voice vote of 4 Yes, 0 No.

6. New Business

- A. Discussion regarding absent property owners - what can be done?

Councilor LaBarge has great concerns about homes that are left unattended by owners who move to another city, leave no contact information, and don't provide for property maintenance. She notes properties with high grass and a tremendous amount of debris left behind. Neighbors have great concerns. The Health Department has stepped in, but Councilor LaBarge wonders if more can be done. She asked that the committee have Merridith O'Leary come in to speak to the issue. Councilor LaBarge motioned to have Merridith O'Leary come to the October 3, 2016 meeting; Councilor Bidwell seconded the motion. The motion was approved on a voice vote of 4 Yes, 0 No.

- B. Discussion about committee's process for appointments:

Councilor LaBarge feels that when applications are sent in, the Mayor's Office should have the responsibility to look up that information, including looking on social media.

Councilor Carney noted that she had the impression from what she read in the newspaper that the Mayor's Office was looking to close that loop.

Councilor Bidwell wonders if this is necessary; where does the investigation end?. In this case some of the opinions expressed by the applicant made it to the light of day and the candidate withdrew on her own. Folks are entitled to their opinion and to express them in various ways. He doesn't believe that anyone should proactively investigate social media.

The committee doesn't feel it necessary to amend its own process in any way.

7. Adjourn: At 5:25 p.m. Councilor LaBarge moved to adjourn the meeting; Councilor Bidwell seconded the motion. The motion was approved on a voice vote of 4 Yes, 0 No.

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MAYOR DAVID J. NARKEWICZ

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mayor@northamptonma.gov

DATE: August 30, 2016

TO: City Council

FROM: Mayor David J. Narkewicz

SUBJECT: Appointments to Boards, Committees, and Commissions

Please find the attached appointments and re-appointments to City Boards, Committees, and Commissions:

Conservation Commission:

- Lisa Fusco, 130 Cross Path Road, Northampton – term September 2016 - June 2019

Housing Partnership:

- Richard Abuza, 245 Chestnut Street, Florence – term July 2016 – June 2019 (reappointment)
- Alison Brauner, 19 Market Street Apt. B, Northampton – term September 2016 – June 2019

Human Rights Commission:

- Karen Bellavance-Grace, 19 Church Street, Northampton – term September 2016 – June 2019
- Davina Miller, 33 Summer Street, Northampton – term September 2016 – June 2019

Public Shade Tree Commission:

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- Marilyn Castriotta, 79 West Street, Northampton – term July 2016 – June 2019 (reappointment)

Cc: City Clerk, Wendy Mazza



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Sat, May 14, 2016 at 9:37 AM

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City of Northampton Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees, and Commissions

Please return the completed form to: Mayor@northamptonma.gov or David J. Narkewicz, Mayor 210 Main Street, Northampton, MA 01060

First Name	Lisa
Last Name	Fusco
Title, if applicable	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Address1	130 Cross Path Road
Address2	<i>Field not completed.</i>
City	Northampton
State	MA
Zip	01060
Home Phone	413-218-7823
Work Phone	Same
Cell Phone	Same
Occupation & Place of Employment	Semi-retired
Email	lifusco@comcast.net
Sex	Female
Years Lived in Northampton	12
Age	50 - 59
Racial / Ethnic Background	Caucasian
Boards and Committees	Conservation Commission, Planning Board
Please list "other" board or	<i>Field not completed.</i>

committee of interest

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment? Environmental Police Officer, 20 years, retired in 2008. BA in Mass Communications MS in Criminal Justice

Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee? Yes

Please list other city committees you have served on Conservation Commission 4 1/2 years

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Signature Lisa L. Fusco

Date 5/14/2016

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Name: Richard Abuza
 Address: 245 Chestnut St Florence
 Email: abuza@comcast.net
 Home Phone: 586-4499 Work: 586 8681 Cell: 537 5309
 Occupation: Property mgr Years lived in Northampton: 42

Please indicate the Committee(s) you have interest serving on: *(Appointment subject to vacancies)*

Agricultural Commission	License Commission
Almoners, Board of	Municipal Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees
Arts Council	Parks and Recreation Commission
Assessors, Board of	Planning Board
Central Business Architecture Committee	Public Shade Tree Commission
Community Preservation Committee	Public Works Commission
Conservation Commission	Redevelopment Authority
Council on Aging	Registrars, Board of
Disability Commission	Transportation & Parking Commission
Energy & Sustainability Commission	Trust Fund Committee
Health, Board of	Youth Commission
Historical Commission	Zoning Board of Appeals
<u>Housing Partnership</u>	
Human Rights Commission	

What skills and experience will you bring to this Committee assignment:

(attach additional sheet or resume if necessary)

long time current member of Housing Partnership, local property manager
local business owner

Are you currently serving or have you served on any City committee: No Yes*

*(*if yes please state what committee)* Housing Partnership, Redevelopment Authority

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SIGNATURE

DATE

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OPTIONAL INFORMATION

*This information will be used for diversity purposes only.
Complete it only if you wish to do so.*

Age:

Under 29 ___ 30-39 ___ 40-49 ___ 50-59 ___ 60-69 70 plus ___

Sex: M F ___ Racial/Ethnic Background White



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Cell Phone	7813451175
Occupation & Place of Employment	Assistant Director- Cathedral in the Night/Episcopal Diocese of Western MA
Email	alisonbrauner@gmail.com
Sex	Female
Years Lived in Northampton	1
Age	Under 29
Racial / Ethnic Background	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Boards and Committees	Housing Partnership
Please list "other" board or	<i>Field not completed.</i>

committee of interest

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment?

I work primarily with people experiencing homelessness or who are living in public housing. My hope is to bring the personal stories and experiences of people to the Housing Partnership Committee in order to expand our understanding of the needs related to housing in Northampton.

Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee?

No

Please list other city committees you have served on

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Signature

Alison

Date

8/29/2016

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State	MA
Zip	01060
Home Phone	413-923-8010
Work Phone	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Cell Phone	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Occupation & Place of Employment	Unitarian Universalist Association, New England Region
Email	wren.bg@gmail.com
Sex	Female
Years Lived in Northampton	27
Age	50 - 59
Racial / Ethnic Background	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Boards and Committees	Community Preservation Committee, Human Rights Commission

Please list "other" board or committee of interest *Field not completed.*

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment? I bring the experience of working in municipal government and other non-profit organizations, which require an understanding of organizational systems and how change happens within them. I have been involved in social justice and civil rights work locally since arriving in the Pioneer Valley. I bring a deep love and respect for the City of Northampton and the home it has provided for me and for my children, and a deep desire to give back to the community in a way that may ensure that the gifts and promise of Northampton remain for generations to come.

Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee? No

Please list other city committees you have served on *Field not completed.*

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Signature Karen Bellavance-Grace

Date 8/23/2016

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State	MA
Zip	01060
Home Phone	1413 586 1077
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Cell Phone	1413 896 4868
Occupation & Place of Employment	Self employed clinical social worker. 57 Gothic St., Northampton, MA 01060
Email	davinamiller@gmail.com
Sex	Female
Years Lived in Northampton	31
Age	60 - 69
Racial / Ethnic Background	Caucasian
Boards and Committees	Human Rights Commission
Please list "other" board or	Energy and Sustainability Commission

committee of interest

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment? Many years of experience as a psychotherapist. 12 years on the Northampton School Committee. I like to think I am fairly sensible.

Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee? Yes

Please list other city committees you have served on School Committee

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Signature Davina Miller

Date 8/23/2016

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City of Northampton

Mayor of Northampton Mass. <mayor@northamptonma.gov>

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Wed, Aug 17, 2016 at 4:21 PM

To: mayor@northamptonma.gov

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City of Northampton Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees, and Commissions

Please return the completed form to: Mayor@northamptonma.gov or David J. Narkewicz, Mayor 210 Main Street, Northampton, MA 01060

First Name	Todd
Last Name	Ford
Title, if applicable	Field not completed.
Address 1	78 Fem St.
Address 2	Field not completed.
City	Florence
State	Massachusetts
Zip	01062
Home Phone	4132075612
Work Phone	4132075612
Cell Phone	4132075612
Occupation & Place of Employment	Hampshire Council of Governments
Email	todddford@gmail.com
Sex	Male
Years Lived in Northampton	5
Age	Field not completed.
Racial / Ethnic Background	Field not completed.
Boards and Committees	Public Shade Tree Commission
Please list "other" board or	Field not completed.

committee of interest

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment? See previous application

Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee? Yes

Please list other city committees you have served on Public shade tree commission and bike and pedestrian sub committee

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Signature Todd ford

Date 8/17/2016

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Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees and Commissions

Name: Marilyn Castrionta
 Address: 79 West Street, Northampton, MA 01060
 Email: mcastrionta1@antioch.edu
 Home Phone: _____ Work: _____ Cell: 617-576-0810
 Occupation: Program Manager Years lived in Northampton: 1 year, 8 months
Center for Climate Change and Community Resilience

Please indicate the Committee(s) you have interest serving on: (Appointment subject to vacancies)

Agricultural Commission	License Commission
Almoners, Board of	Municipal Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees
Arts Council	Parks and Recreation Commission
Assessors, Board of	Planning Board
Central Business Architecture Committee	<u>Public Shade Tree Commission</u>
Community Preservation Committee	Public Works Commission
Conservation Commission	Redevelopment Authority
Council on Aging	Registrars, Board of
Disability Commission	Transportation & Parking Commission
Energy & Sustainability Commission	Trust Fund Committee
Health, Board of	Youth Commission
Historical Commission	Zoning Board of Appeals
Housing Partnership	
Human Rights Commission	

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What skills and experience will you bring to this Committee assignment:

- (attach additional sheet or resume if necessary)
- Conservation biology (master of science)
 - Land conservation stewardship
 - program management, event management, public outreach and education.

Are you currently serving or have you served on any City committee: Public Shade Tree Commission No Yes*

(*If yes please state what committee)

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SIGNATURE Marilyn Castrionta DATE 8/17/16

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OPTIONAL INFORMATION

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Age:

Under 29 ___ 30-39 ___ 40-49 ___ 50-59 60-69 ___ 70 plus ___

Sex: M ___ F Racial/Ethnic Background Caucasian



MAYOR DAVID J. NARKEWICZ

City of Northampton

Office of the Mayor

210 Main Street Room 12

Northampton, MA 01060-3199

(413) 587-1249 Fax: (413) 587-1275

mayor@northamptonma.gov

DATE: September 13, 2016

TO: City Council

FROM: Mayor David J. Narkewicz

SUBJECT: Appointments to Boards, Committees, and Commissions

Please find the attached appointments and re-appointments to City Boards, Committees, and Commissions:

Arts Council:

- Joseph Pesce, 685 Ryan Road, Florence – term October 2016 – June 2019

Board of Assessors:

- Denny Nolan, 319 Elm Street, Northampton – term October 2016 – June 2019
- Margo Welch, 143 Main Street, Northampton – term July 2016 – June 2019 (reappointment)

Planning Board:

- Euripedes De Oliveira , Associate Member, 9 Washington Place, Northampton – term October 2016 – June 2019

Cc: City Clerk, Wendy Mazza



**City of Northampton
Application for Appointment to
Boards, Committees and Commissions**

Name: JOSEPH PESCE
 Address: 685 RYAN RD. FLORENCE, MA.
 Email: pescejoseph@gmail.com
 Home Phone: Work: Cell: 617-866-0580
 Occupation: Sculptor Years lived in Northampton: 5

Please indicate the Committee(s) you have interest serving on: *(Appointment subject to vacancies)*

Agricultural Commission	License Commission
Almoners, Board of	Municipal Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees
Arts Council	Parks and Recreation Commission
Assessors, Board of	Planning Board
Central Business Architecture Committee	Public Shade Tree Commission
Community Preservation Committee	Public Works Commission
Conservation Commission	Redevelopment Authority
Council on Aging	Registrars, Board of
Disability Commission	Transportation & Parking Commission
Energy & Sustainability Commission	Trust Fund Committee
Health, Board of	Youth Commission
Historical Commission	Zoning Board of Appeals
Housing Partnership	
Human Rights Commission	

What skills and experience will you bring to this Committee assignment:
(attach additional sheet or resume if necessary)

Are you currently serving or have you served on any City committee: No Yes*
*(*If yes please state what committee)*

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SIGNATURE Joseph Pesce DATE July 20, 2016

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Sex: M ___ F ___ Racial/Ethnic Background _____

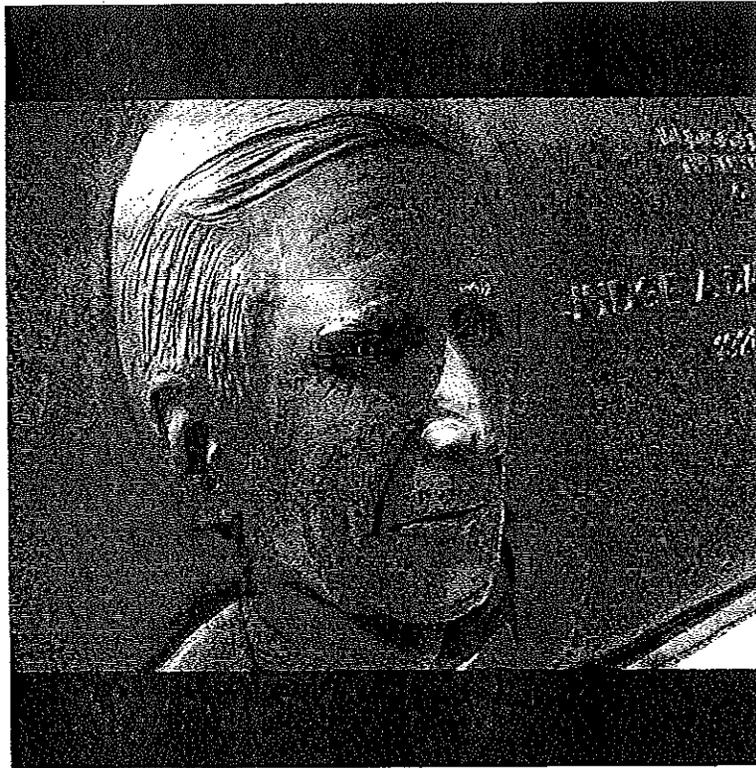
Joseph Pesce

685 Ryan Rd
Florence, MA. 01062

Studio Address:
Pygmalion Elements & Sculpture
150 Pleasant Street
Easthampton, MA. 01027

617-866-0580
email = pygmaliones@gmail.com
web = sculpture-props.com

EIN#45-377-2127



Public Art

- **Judge A. David Mazzone Memorial** – Deer Island, Boston, MA.

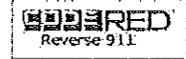
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Spirit and Minions – installation made for First Night Boston



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BOARD OF ASSESSORS

City of Northampton Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees, and Commissions

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First Name*	Last Name*	Title, if applicable
DENNY	NOLAN	

Address1*

319 Elm St. NORTHAMPTON, MA. 01060

Address2

City*	State*	Zip*

Home Phone	Work Phone	Cell Phone
→	→ →	413-626-2357

Occupation & Place of Employment

Realtor Denny Nolan R.E.

Email

<dnolan3170@yahoo.com>

Sex

This information is optional and will be used for diversity purposes only. Complete it only if you wish to do so.

- Male
- Female

Years Lived in Northampton

73

Age

This information is optional and will be used for diversity purposes only. Complete it only if you wish to do so.

- Under 29
- 30 - 39
- 40 - 49
- 50 - 59
- 60 - 69
- 70 plus

Racial / Ethnic Background

WHITE guy

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Boards and Committees

Please indicate the boards and committees you have an interest serving on.

- Agricultural Commission
- Almoners, Board of
- Arts Council
- Assessors, Board of
- Central Business Architecture Committee
- Community Preservation Committee
- Conservation Commission
- Council on Aging
- Disability Commission
- Energy & Sustainability Commission
- Health, Board of
- Historical Commission
- Housing Partnership
- Human Rights Commission
- License Commission
- Municipal Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board of Trustees
- Parks and Recreation Commission
- Planning Board
- Public Shade Tree Commission
- Public Works Commission
- Redevelopment Authority
- Registrars, Board of
- Transportation & Parking Commission
- Trust Fund Committee
- Youth Commission
- Zoning Board of Appeals

Please list "other" board or committee of interest

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment?*

Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee?*

No

Yes

Please list other city committees you have served on

Chairman of Smith School School Board / Elm St Historic Dist
(founder)

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Signature*

Denny Nolan

Date*

mm/dd/yyyy
8-24-2016

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<Dnolan3170@yahoo.com>

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City of Northampton

Pamela Powers <ppowers@northamptonma.gov>

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Mayor of Northampton Mass. <mayor@northamptonma.gov>
To: Pamela Powers <ppowers@northamptonma.gov>

Tue, Sep 13, 2016 at 12:11 PM

Pam,

The Mayor has added Margo Welch to his memo. Here is here application and the updated memo.

Best,

Bridget

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Date: Tue, Sep 13, 2016 at 11:45 AM

Subject: Online Form Submittal: Application for Appointment to Boards, Committees and Commissions

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First Name	MARGO E.
Last Name	WELCH
Title, if applicable	Field not completed.
Address1	143 Main Street
Address2	Field not completed.
City	Northampton
State	MA
Zip	01060-3140
Home Phone	4132031032
Work Phone	4135863558

Cell Phone	4137752989
Occupation & Place of Employment	Attorney; self employed attorney under business name of Welch Law Offices located in Northampton
Email	margo.welch@verizon.net
Sex	Female
Years Lived in Northampton	born in Northampton, 46 yrs
Age	<i>Field not completed.</i>
Racial / Ethnic Background	caucasian
Boards and Committees	Assessors, Board of
Please list "other" board or committee of interest	<i>Field not completed.</i>
What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment?	Presently serving on Board of Assessors but term has run and would like Board appointment to be renewed and continue my service
Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee?	Yes
Please list other city committees you have served on	Have also service on Council on Aging

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Signature	Margo E. Welch
Date	9/13/2016

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Lyn N. Simmons, Chief of Staff
Cyndi Murphy, Executive Assistant
Bridget Rodrigue, Mayoral Assistant
Office of Mayor David J. Narkewicz
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Planning Board

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Wed, Apr 27, 2016 at 1:33 AM

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First Name	Euripedes
Last Name	De Oliveira
Title, if applicable	Mr.
Address1	9 Washington Place
Address2	Field not completed.
City	Northampton
State	MA
Zip	01060
Home Phone	310-403-3898
Work Phone	310-403-3898
Cell Phone	310-403-3898
Occupation & Place of Employment	Urban Studies, Regional Planning, and International Development, Lecturer at California State University Northridge, and at the University of Massachusetts Amherst . PhD candidate in Regional Planning at University of Massachusetts Amherst.
Email	euriboj@msn.com
Sex	Male
Years Lived in Northampton	7

Age	50 - 59
Racial / Ethnic Background	Latino with Portugese ancestry
Boards and Committees	Planning Board
Please list "other" board or committee of interest	<i>Field not completed.</i>

What skills and experience will you bring to this committee assignment?

I have always been intrigued with the many aspects of urban life, and its complex array of cultures and behaviors, that I have experienced when living in rural towns or in the world-class city of Sao Paulo, Brazil, and Los Angeles, USA. I am a homeowner in Northampton and have a deep professional and personal interest in the city and its future, and would like to be considered for a member position in the Planning Board. My academic and professional interests are in the fields of urban studies, regional planning, and international development. I am a lecturer in these fields at both California State University Northridge, and University of Massachusetts Amherst. I am a Regional Planning PhD candidate at LARP/UMass, my dissertation concerns local planning and climate change. I lived in Santa Monica/CA, before moving to Northampton in 2009. Back then, as a resident I joined the Sustainable City Task Force, wherein we advised City Council and help to raise awareness in the community at large about sustainability and the city's Sustainable City Plan (SCP). We developed strategies to work with city stakeholders in the revision of the city's 10-years old SCP. I believe that one of my chief strengths is to reach out and engage with stakeholders and to work effectively with diverse audiences of people to accomplish my work. As you will note from my resume I speak three languages (English, Portuguese, and Spanish) and have a proven track record of communicating planning or technical concepts in layman's terms.

EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND
 PhD Candidate 2015; University of Massachusetts Amherst (UMass); Planning and Climate Change Teaching Credential 2005, California State University Northridge (CSUN); High School Social Studies M.L.A. 2003 University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA); Latin American Studies M.U.P. 2002 University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA); Regional and International Development B.A. 2000 California State University Northridge (CSUN); Urban Studies and Planning

AWARD/GRANT GPEAN/ACSP grant for presentation at IV World Planning Schools Congress, Brazil (2016) University of Massachusetts Amherst's College Soc. Behavioral Sciences Online Fellowship (2015) Recipient of the 4-year grant under the DOE/FIPSE U.S. Brazil Consortia Program (2009-2015) University of Massachusetts Amherst's LARP grant for presentation at 54th ACSP Conference (2014) CSU Northridge's President Honor of Principal Investigator Achievements (2012, 2013, 2014) California State University (CSU) Chancellor's Doctoral Incentive Program (2009-2012) University

Massachusetts Amherst Graduate School's Externship Incentive Program (2009-2011) LANGUAGE SPOKEN Portuguese – native, English – fluent, and Spanish - proficient EMPLOYMENT HISTORY 2015 to present – Lecturer, Landscape Architecture and Regional Planning Department (UMass) Design and lecture summer online class: SUSTCOMM 205 Dynamics of Human Habitation. 2009 - 2015 – Principal Investigator, Brazil Higher Education Consortia (DOE/FIPSE) Conceptualization, curriculum development, coordination, and proposal writing leading to the 5-year grant award from Fund to Improve Post-Secondary Education FIPSE/U.S. Brazil Higher Ed. Consortia. 2007 - 2010 – International Special Program Director, College of Social & Behavioral Sciences (CSUN) Develop programmatic initiatives between CSUN and Brazilian academia, and state/local governments. 2005 – Program Development, Department of Urban Studies and Planning (URBS/CSUN) Design and coordination of student field-study to Curitiba, Brasília, Goiânia, and Rio de Janeiro (Brazil) 2002 to present – Lecturer, Department of Urban Studies and Planning (CSUN) Design, lead and lecture upper division online and live classes: URBS 350, URBS 310, and URBS 499. 2001-2002 Community Development Specialist, Association of Salvadorans of Los Angeles (ASOSAL) Provide in loco assistance to Salvadoran reconstruction projects in response to 2001-2002 earthquakes. 1998-1999 Project Manager Assistant, Community Development Commission of the County of Los Angeles" (LACDC), Economic Redevelopment Division (ER) Responsible for various specialized tasks including monitoring qualification and selection process for RFB and RFQ. 1994-2001 Independent Consultant, Southern California (USA), Provide consulting and report preparation services for commercial and industrial real estate appraisal. PUBLICATIONS De Oliveira, Euripedes (2014) "Framing Climate Change through a Layperson's Perspective: A Latin American Experience in the Brazilian Savanna – Cerrado" (Paper 1), in UPE 11 Conducir las Transformaciones urbanas; un debate sobre direcciones, orientaciones, estrategias y politicas que modelan la ciudad future; Abate, Carlos A. et al (Eds), Universidad Nacional de la Plata, La Plata, Argentina, E-Book, ISBN 978-950-34-1133-9, http://www.upe11.org/digital_book, vo. 1, 230-240. Cain, De Oliveira, Gagnon, Gill, Hill, et al (2009) "Town of Ludlow Master Plan: Part I - Envisioning 2030", LARP, University of Massachusetts Amherst, scholarworks@library.umass.edu, pp 246. Cain, De Oliveira, Gagnon, Gill, Hill, et al (2009) "Town of Ludlow Master Plan: Part II - Envisioning 2030", LARP, University of Massachusetts Amherst, scholarworks@library.umass.edu, pp 83. De Oliveira, Euripedes (2007) "Development Policies: Gender and the Santo André Experience, SP, Brazil", in Encruzilhada, University of California, UCLA, 33-39. CONFERENCES (papers presented) 2014 "Framing Climate Change through a Layperson's

Perspective: A Latin American Experience in the Brazilian Savanna – Cerrado" (Trilogy Paper 2), 54th ACSP, Philadelphia, PE, USA. 2014 "Framing Climate Change through a Layperson's Perspective: A Latin American Experience in the Brazilian Savanna – Cerrado" (Trilogy Paper 1), 11th Symposium of International Urban Planning and Environmental Association (UPE 11), La Plata, BA, Argentina. 2005 "Development Policies: Gender and the Santo André Experience, SP, Brazil", XXVIII Symposium on Portuguese Traditions: Europe, America, Africa, and Asia, UCLA, CA, USA. KEYNOTE SPEAKING 2013 Keynote speaker, "International Consortia Roles and the Global Citizenship Perspective", Federal University of Goiás UFG/IESA, GO, Brazil. 2008 Guest speaker, "Global Engagement and the International Education Exchange: A Case Study of California State University Northridge and the Goiás State, Brazil", XIII Conference of Southern California Brazilianists, UCLA, CA, USA. 2007 Guest speaker, "Brazil Gateway for Latin America: Building Partnerships", Five Colleges Network, UMass Amherst, MA, USA. 2006 Guest speaker, "Higher Education and Social Responsibility", XXIV National Forum for Education of Architecture and Urbanism (ENSEA), Catholic University of Goiás, Goiânia, Brazil. 2004 Guest speaker, "Gender Implications of Development Policies: The Case Study of the 'Integrated Program for Social Inclusion (PIIS)', Santo Andre, Brazil", IX Conference of Southern California Brazilianists, California State Fullerton, CA, USA. 2001 Keynote speaker, "The 30-year Planning of Curitiba, Brazil", Universidad Albert Einstein, Departments of Architecture and Social Sciences, San Salvador, El Salvador. COMMUNITY SERVICES 2015 – Focus group member for the Sustainable Design Assessment Team (SDAT), Northampton. 2008 - 2009 Researcher Associate at the LA and Latino/a Studies Program, Smith College, MA 2008 - Research Council for the "Geography Bulletin of Goiás/Boletim Goiano de Geografia" (IESA). 2007 – Presentation "CSUN's internationalization" at the annual Faculty Retreat. 2006 – 2007 Logistic support to Brazilian Consulate and CSUN to advance academic affairs with Brazil. 2004- 2005 Committee member of the Sustainable City Task Force (SCTF), City of Santa Monica, CA. 2000-2003 Executive Committee Member "Symposium of Portuguese Traditions", UCLA, CA MEMBERSHIP AND AFFILIATIONS: Association of Collegiate of Schools of Planning (ACSP); NAFSA (Association of International Educators); ACSP/GPEIG (Global Planning Educators Interest Group); Committee of the Symposium of Portuguese Traditions, UCLA; BRASA – Brazilian Studies Association; Southern California Brazilianists Association. RESEARCH INTEREST Planning for North American cities; climate change adaptation; participatory planning and civic engagement; Latin America's gender roles, social movements, and poverty; cross comparative studies of urban planning,

development strategies and collaborative networks in the Americas.

Are you currently serving or have you served on any city committee? No

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Signature Euripedes De Oliveira

Date 4/28/2016

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