



## Committee on Legislative Matters and the Northampton City Council

Members:

*Councilor William H. Dwight , Chair*

*Councilor Maureen T. Carney*

*Councilor Alisa F. Klein*

*Councilor David A. Murphy*

### MEETING AGENDA

**Date: April 8, 2019**

**Time: 5 p.m.**

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

1. Meeting Called to Order and Roll Call
2. Public Comment
3. Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting
  - A. Minutes of February 11, 2019 Joint Planning Board/Legislative Matters Committee Meeting

Documents:

[02-11-19\\_Joint Committee\\_on\\_Legislative\\_Matters-PB Mtg.pdf](#)

4. Items Referred to Committee
  - A. **18.231 An Ordinance Relative to Large-Scale Ground-Mounted Solar Arrays - Continuation of Public Hearing from 2/11/2019**

**History:**

    - Referred to Legislative Matters Committee and Planning Board - 1/17/2019
    - Joint Public Hearing, LM and PB - 2/11/2019 (PB hearing continued to 3/28/2019; LM continued to 4/8/2019)
    - Alternate version proposed by Public Shade Tree Committee
    - PB opted for its own amendments; positively recommended ordinance as amended - 3/28/2019

- Public Shade Tree Committee endorsement withdrawn

Documents:

[18.231 An Ordinance Relative to Large-Scale Ground-Mounted Solar Arrays PostPBAction.pdf](#)

**B. 18.234 An Order to Accept M.G.L. 64G, 3D(a) to Impose Community Impact Fee on Short-Term Rentals - Pending possible referral by City Council, 4/4/2019**

**History:**

- Neutral recommendation, Finance Committee - 2/7/2019
- Referred to City Council Committee on Community Resources - 2/7/2019
- Public forum held by Community Resources - 3/18/2019
- Positive recommendation, Community Resources - 3/18/2019
- Passed 1st reading - 3/21/2019
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Documents:

[18.234 An Order to Accept M.G.L. 64G, 3D\(a\) to Impose Community Impact Fee on Short-Term Rentals.pdf](#)

**C. 19.011 An Ordinance Relative to Bicycle Share Services - referred to LM and TPC, 3/7/2019**

**History:**

- Referred to Legislative Matters Committee and Transportation and Parking Commission (TPC) - 3/7/2019
- Positive recommendation, TPC - 3/19/2019
- Reviewed by Bicycle and Pedestrian Subcommittee of TPC
- Amended to add definition of 'Electric Assist Scooter,' etc.

Documents:

[19.011 An Ordinance Relative to Bicycle Share Services-POST BIKEPED.pdf](#)  
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**5. New Business**

**6. Adjourn**

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