

COMMITTEE ON LANDS & BUILDINGS

August 6, 2024 at 6:30 PM

Chairman Levasseur called the meeting to order.

The Clerk called the roll.

Present: Aldermen Levasseur, Vincent, Thomas, Long, Goonan

1. Communication from Stan Garrity, Chair of the Heritage Commission, requesting that a portion of Grove Street be renamed Samantha Plantin Way.

Matthew Normand, City Clerk, noted we have handed out an additional communication from the Department of Public Works recommending that the name be changed to Lane instead of Way.

*On motion of **Alderman Long**, duly seconded by **Alderman Vincent**, it was voted to approve the request as amended to Samantha Plantin Lane.*

2. Communication from Atty. Corriveau of Craig, Deachman & Associates requesting a proposed amendment to an easement deed for 800 Harvey Road.

*On motion of **Alderman Long**, duly seconded by **Alderman Vincent**, it was voted to approve the request.*

TABLED ITEMS

3. Proposal from Harry Umen for a mural on a bridge pillar beneath the Bridge Street Bridge near 500 Commercial Street.
(Note: Tabled on 7/2 pending approval from the Heritage Commission, which is attached.)

*On motion of **Alderman Vincent**, duly seconded by **Alderman Long**, it was voted to remove this item from the table.*

***Alderman Vincent** moved to approve the proposal. **Alderman Long** duly seconded the motion. Chairman Levasseur called for a vote. The motion carried with Chairman Levasseur being duly recorded in opposition.*

4. Communication from Mark Gomez, Chief of Parks, Recreation & Cemetery, requesting the following:
 - Remove all the wooden posts and signs in the Gill/JFK area;
 - Install a large sign on the exterior of Gill Stadium, of a style in harmony with this historic facility, to include the names of all contributors and a way-finding map to the trees they sponsored; and
 - Make available to family members the existing name plate, should they so desire it.*(Note: Tabled on 2/20/24 pending further information from the department.)*

This item remained on the table.

*There being no further business, on motion of **Alderman Vincent**, duly seconded by **Alderman Thomas**, it was voted to adjourn.*

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Matthew Normand". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Clerk of Committee