



Watertown City Council

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ELECTED OFFICIALS:

Mark S. Sideris,
Council President

Vincent J. Piccirilli, Jr.,
Vice President &
District C Councilor

John M. Airasian
Councilor At Large

Caroline Bays
Councilor At Large

John G. Gannon,
Councilor At Large

Anthony Palomba,
Councilor At Large

Nicole Gardner,
District A Councilor

Lisa J. Feltner,
District B Councilor

Emily Izzo,
District D Councilor

CITY COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2022 AT 6:15 PM

RICHARD E. MASTRANGELO COUNCIL CHAMBER

MINUTES

ACCESS INFORMATION:

- A. The meeting will be televised through WCATV (Watertown Cable Access Television): <http://vodwcatv.org/CablecastPublicSite/?channel=3>
- B. The Public may join the virtual meeting online: <https://watertown-ma.zoom.us/j/92991331344>
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- D. Public may comment through email: vpiccirilli@watertown-ma.gov

1. ROLL CALL

Council President Sideris called to order a regular meeting of the Town Council at 6:15 p.m. in the Richard E. Mastrangelo Chamber, Administration Building. Those present were Councilors John M. Airasian, Caroline Bays, Nicole Gardner, Lisa J. Feltner, Emily Izzo, Vice President Vincent J. Piccirilli, Jr., and Council President Mark S. Sideris. Councilor Anthony Palomba arrived at 6:40 p.m. and Councilor John G. Gannon arrived at 6:57 p.m. Also present were Thomas Tracy, Acting City Manager, Mark Reich, Town Attorney, and Marilyn W. Pronovost, Council Clerk.

2. EXECUTIVE SESSION - 6:00 P.M.

- A. Pursuant to G.L. c. 30A, sec. 21(A)(2), To Conduct Strategy Sessions in Preparation for Negotiations with Nonunion Personnel or to Conduct Collective Bargaining Sessions or Contract Negotiations with Nonunion Personnel – Interim City Manager

Councilor Piccirilli moved to enter into Executive Session; Councilor Feltner seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a roll call vote.

3. RETURN TO SESSION – 7:00 P.M.

4. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

5. PUBLIC FORUM

Jackie Van Leeuwen – Whites Avenue – Councilor Piccirilli read Ms. Van Leeuwen's statement in which she stated that she is dedicated to the concept of oversight responsibilities. As such, she suggested that the job posting include in the position's responsibilities, the language "to assist the Council in its oversight responsibilities". She also asked who would be responsible for developing the evaluation tool and the process for the evaluations. She asked that the work be referred to the Committee on Personnel and City Organization.

6. EXAMINATION OF RECORDS OF PREVIOUS MEETINGS

A. Minutes of the April 26, 2022 City Council Meeting

Councilor Piccirilli moved to adopt the minutes of April 26, 2022 as written; Councilor Feltner seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

7. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Council President Sideris stated on Monday May 9, 2022, there was a community forum with the finalist candidates for the position of City Manager. Approximately 80 people attended. The Council as a group would be interviewing each candidate on Thursday May 12, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. which would also be available on Zoom. He welcomed all to attend.

8. PRESENTATIONS OF PETITIONS, PROCLAMATIONS, AND SIMILAR PAPERS AND MATTERS

A. Confirmation of the Proclamation Honoring Fire Chief Robert J. Quinn on His Retirement

Council President Sideris thanked Fire Chief Quinn for all of his years of service. Councilor Piccirilli moved to confirm the proclamation honoring Fire Chief Robert J. Quinn on his retirement; Councilor Gannon seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

B. Confirmation of Proclamation Honoring Renee Gaudette on Her Departure as the Executive Director of the Watertown Boys and Girls Club

Councilor Bays read the proclamation. Councilor Piccirilli moved to accept the proclamation honoring Renee Gaudette on her departure as the Executive Director of the Watertown Boys and Girls Club; Councilor Bays seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

9. PUBLIC HEARINGS

- A. Public Hearing and Vote on a Petition for a Grant of Location from National Grid in Belmont and Lexington Streets for the Installation and the Maintenance of Approximately 78 Linear Feet of 12” Plastic Low Pressure Gas Main to Provide Gas Service to 348-370 Lexington Street Condominiums. Upon Completion of the Department of Public Works Review, Said Work Is Subject to the Recommendations and Conditions Being Submitted for Consideration by the City Council Should the Grant of Location be Approved for This Application

Mary Maloney, representing National Grid, explained the specifics for the grant of location. Council President Sideris opened the public hearing; there being no speakers the public hearing was closed.

Councilor Piccirilli moved to approve a grant of location from National Grid in Belmont and Lexington Streets for the installation and the maintenance of approximately 78 linear feet of 12” plastic low pressure gas main to provide gas service to 348-370 Lexington Street Condominiums. Upon completion of the Department of Public Works review, said work is subject to the recommendations and conditions being submitted for consideration by the City Council Should the grant of location be approved for this application; Councilor Gannon seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

- B. Public Hearing and Vote on a Petition for a Grant of Location from RCN to Install and Maintain in Coolidge Avenue of Approximately Four (4) Linear Feet of One (1) 4-Inch Communication Conduit from Utility Pole #32/11 on Coolidge Avenue to a Handhold and Approximately 200 Linear Feet of Four (4) 4-Inch Communication Conduit to the Building at 99 Coolidge Avenue, and Four (4) Linear Feet of One (1) 4-Inch Communication Conduit From Utility Pole #VZ/10 on Coolidge Avenue to a Handhole and Approximately 85 Linear Feet of Four (4) 4-Inch Conduit to the Building at 99 Coolidge Avenue for a Diverse Service Connection. Upon Completion of the Department of Public Works Review, Said Work Is Subject to the Recommendations and Conditions Being Submitted for Consideration by the City Council Should the Grant of Location Be Approved for This Application.

Bill Conway, representing RCN, stated the request was to provide fiber optics to two pathways to the building at 99 Coolidge Avenue. Council President Sideris opened the public hearing; there being no speakers, the public hearing was closed.

Councilor Piccirilli moved to approve a grant of location from RCN to install and maintain in Coolidge Avenue of approximately four (4) linear feet of one (1) 4-inch communication conduit from utility pole #32/11 on Coolidge

Avenue to a handhold and approximately 200 linear feet of four (4) 4-inch communication conduit to the building at 99 Coolidge Avenue, and four (4) linear feet of one (1) 4-inch communication conduit from utility pole #vz/10 on Coolidge Avenue to a handhole and approximately 85 linear feet of four (4) 4-inch conduit to the building at 99 Coolidge Avenue for a diverse service connection. Upon completion of the Department of Public Works Review, said work is subject to the recommendations and conditions being submitted for consideration by the City Council should the grant of location be approved for this application; Councilor Feltner seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

10. MOTIONS, ORDINANCES, ORDER, AND RESOLUTIONS

- A. First Reading on a Proposed Order Authorizing the Sum of \$500,000 Is Appropriated to Pay Costs of Installing and Replacing a Water Main Located at Partridge Street and Highland Avenue through Ridgelawn Cemetery to Warren Street, Including All Costs Incidental and Related Thereto; That to Meet this Appropriation, the Treasurer, with the Approval of the City Manager, Is Authorized to Borrow Said Amount Under and Pursuant to M.G.L. c.44, §8(5), or Pursuant to Any Other Enabling Authority, and to Issue Bonds or Notes of the City Therefor; that the Treasurer, with the Approval of the City Manager, Is Authorized to Borrow All or a Portion of Such Amount from the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (the “Authority”) Pursuant to the Authority’s Local Water Service Assistance Program and in Connection Therewith to Enter into a Loan Agreement and/or Financial Assistance Agreement with the Authority and Otherwise to Contract with the Authority with Respect to Such Loan and for Any Grants or Aid Available for the Project or for the Financing Thereof; and That the City Manager is Authorized to Accept and Expend Any Grants or Aid Available for the Project or for the Financing thereof, Provided that the Amount of the Authorized Borrowing for the Project Shall Be Reduced by the Amount of Any Such Grants or Aid Received.

Mr. Tracy stated the matter would be taken up at the May 24, 2022 meeting and that this is an interest free MWRA loan payable over 10 years.

- B. First Reading on a Proposed Order Authorizing the sum of \$300,000 is Appropriated to Pay Costs of Replacing Lead Pipes that Connect Service Lines to Water Mains, Including All Costs Incidental and Related Thereto; That to Meet this Appropriation, the Treasurer, With the Approval of the City Manager, Is Authorized to Borrow Said Amount Under and Pursuant to M.G.L. c.44, §7(1), or Pursuant to Any Other Enabling Authority, and to Issue Bonds or Notes of the City Therefor; That the Treasurer, With the Approval of the City Manager, Is Authorized to Borrow All or a Portion of Such Amount from the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority (the “Authority”) Pursuant to the Authority’s Lead Service Line Replacement Program and in Connection Therewith to Enter into a Loan Agreement and/or

Financial Assistance Agreement With the Authority and Otherwise to Contract with the Authority With Respect to Such Loan and for Any Grants or Aid Available for the Project or for the Financing Thereof; and That the City Manager Is Authorized to Accept and Expend Any Grants or Aid Available for the Project or for the Financing Thereof, Provided that the Amount of the Authorized Borrowing for the Project Shall Be Reduced by the Amount of Any Such Grants or Aid Received.

Mr. Tracy stated the matter would be taken up at the May 24, 2022 meeting and that this is an interest free MWRA loan payable over 10 years.

- C. First Reading on a Proposed Order Authorizing the sum of \$750,000 is Appropriated to Pay Costs of Designing, Engineering and Constructing Sewer System Improvements, Including All Costs Incidental and Related Thereto; That to Meet this Appropriation, the Treasurer, With the Approval of the City Manager, Is Authorized to Borrow Said Amount Under and Pursuant to M.G.L. c.44, §7(1), or Pursuant to Any Other Enabling Authority, and to Issue Bonds or Notes of the City Therefor

Mr. Tracy stated the matter would be taken up at the May 24, 2022 meeting and that this is not an interest free MWRA loan. Supplemental MWRA operational funds will be used to maintain the sewer infrastructure.

11. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

- A. Committee on Personnel and City Organization Reports Regarding Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Watertown Government - December 21, 2020 and June 28, 2021 - Caroline Bays, Chair

Councilor Bays read the Committee reports. Councilor Piccirilli moved to accept the Committee on Personnel and City Organization Reports regarding diversity, equity, and inclusion in Watertown government - December 21, 2020 and June 28, 2021; Councilor Gannon seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

- B. Committee on Personnel and City Organization Reports Regarding the Appointment of a City Council Analyst - February 7, 2022 and April 13, 2022 - Caroline Bays, Chair

ACTION ITEMS:

1. That the City Council Accept the Job Posting for the Municipal Policy Analyst Position and Agree to Have it Published
2. That the City Council Approve the Personnel and City Organization Committee Serve as the Screening Committee and Agree to the Process Proposed in the Report of April 13, 2022

Councilor Bays read the Committee report. Councilor Piccirilli moved to accept the Committee on Personnel and City Organization reports regarding

the appointment of a City Council Analyst - February 7, 2022 and April 13, 2022; Councilor Gannon seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

Councilor Bays moved that the City Council accept the job posting for the Municipal Policy Analyst Position and agree to have it published; Councilor Piccirilli seconded the motion.

Councilor Palomba moved that the job posting be amended in the “Responsibilities:” section, “Research” subsection by adding the words “and to assist the City Council in its oversight responsibilities” after the word “Watertown” and before the word “including”; Councilor Bays seconded the motion.

In the discussion, the following matters were raised

- The responsibility is implicit in the listed responsibilities and is one of the matters that could be assigned to an analyst
- It would be fine to add as it is an acknowledgement of the responsibility
- The language should not make the analyst responsible for oversight because it is a function of the Council
- The language states the analyst would “assist” rather than make the Council policy

The motion was adopted on a vote of 5 – 4 on a roll call vote. Councilors Bays, Feltner, Gannon, Gardner, and Palomba voted in the affirmative; Councilors Airasian, Izzo, and Piccirilli and Council President Sideris voted in the negative.

The motion to accept the job posting for the Municipal Policy Analyst Position and agree to have it published as amended was adopted unanimously on voice vote.

Councilor Bays moved that the City Council approve the Personnel and City Organization Committee to serve as the screening committee and agree to the process proposed in the report of April 13, 2022; Councilor Palomba seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

C. Committee on Public Safety Report Regarding the Confirmation Interviews of Two Members to the Traffic Commission - May 9, 2022 - John M. Airasian, Chair

ACTION ITEMS:

1. That the City Council Confirm Kelly Gallagher for Reappointment to the Traffic Commission for a Term to Expire on May 15, 2023
2. That the City Council Confirm Robert Airasian for Appointment to the Traffic Commission for a Term to Expire on May 15, 2024

Councilor Airasian read the Committee Report. Councilor Piccirilli moved to accept the report; Councilor Feltner seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

Councilor Piccirilli moved to reappoint Kelly Gallagher to the Traffic Commission for a term to expire on May 15, 2023; Councilor Gardner seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

Councilor Piccirilli moved to appoint Robert Airasian to the Traffic Commission for a term to expire on May 15, 2024; Councilor Gannon seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

12. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Referral of the Final Draft of the Resilient Watertown Climate and Energy Plan to the City Council Subcommittee on Public Works for Review and Referral to the Full City Council for Adoption.

Steve Magoon stated the final draft of the Resilient Watertown Climate and Energy Plan be referred to the Committee on Climate and Energy as opposed to the Committee on Public Works. Councilor Piccirilli moved to make the referral to the Committee on Climate and Energy; Councilor Gardner seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote.

13. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER

Mr. Tracy stated he had no communications.

14. REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION /REVIEW OF LIST OF PENDING MATTERS

There were no requests for information.

15. ANNOUNCEMENTS

Councilor Palomba announced the Committee on Parks and Recreation would hold a meeting on Wednesday, May 11, 2022 at 7:00 p.m. in the Lower Conference Room to discuss a proposal for a baseball/softball field for individuals with handicaps.

Council President Sideris announced the Budget Hearings would be beginning soon; the first would be on May 31, 2022 and then June 2.

He also announced Bernie Lynch, the City Manager Search consultant, would be providing a list of topics discussed in the preliminary interviews for the City Manager to the Councilors for their review prior to Thursday's meeting.

16. PUBLIC FORUM

There were speakers for the public forum.

17. RECESS OR ADJOURNMENT

Councilor Piccirilli moved to adjourn the meeting; Councilor Feltner seconded the motion. The motion was adopted unanimously on a voice vote. The meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.

I hereby certify that at a regular meeting of the Town Council for which a quorum was present, the above minutes were adopted by a vote of ___ for, ___ against, ___ present on June 14, 2022.

Mark S. Sideris, Council President
s:/MWP

**TOWN COUNCIL MEETING
TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2022, AT 6:15 P.M.
RICHARD E. MASTRANGELO COUNCIL CHAMBER
WITH REMOTE ACCESS OPPORTUNITIES**

LIST OF DOCUMENTS

1. Minutes of the City Council Meeting – April 26, 2022 – Item 6A
2. Proclamation Honoring Fire Chief Quinn on His Retirement – April 30, 2022 – Item 8A
3. Proclamation Honoring Renee Gaudette on Her Departure as the Executive Director of the Watertown Boys and Girls Club – April 29, 2022f – Item 8B
4. Notice of a Public Hearing and a Request for a Grant of Location by National Grid to Install and Maintain Approximately 78 Linear Feet of 12” Plastic Low Pressure Gas Main WO #1402530 – Department of Public Works – January 14, 2022 – Item 9A
5. Notice of a Public Hearing and a Request for a Grant of Location by RCN to Install and Maintain Approximately Four Linear Feet of one 4-Inch Communication Conduit and 4 Linear Feet of one 4-Inch Communication Conduit from Utility Pole #VZ/10 at 99 Coolidge Avenue for a Diverse Service Connection – Department of Public Works – April 6, 2022 – Item 9B
6. Agenda Item – Proposed Loan Order Regarding the Borrowing of Funds from the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority to Pay Costs of a Water Main Replacement Project – Thomas J. Tracy, Acting City Manager to City Council – May 5, 2022 – Item 10A
7. Agenda Item – Proposed Loan Order Regarding the Borrowing of Funds from the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority to Pay Costs of Replacing Lead Pipes that Connect Service Lines to Water Mains – Thomas J. Tracy, Acting City Manager, to City Council – May 5, 2022 – Item 10B
8. Agenda Item – Proposed Loan Order Regarding the Borrowing of Funds to Pay Costs of Sewer System Improvements – Thomas J. Tracy, Acting City Manager, to City Council – May 5, 2022 – Item 10C
9. Committee on Personnel and City Organization Report Regarding the Process for Proceeding with the Referral to address Issues of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Watertown Government – Caroline Bays, Chair, December 21, 2020 – Item 11A
10. Committee on Personnel and City Organization Report Regarding the Issues of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion in Watertown Government – Caroline Bays, Chair – June 28, 2021 – Item 11A

11. Committee on Personnel and City Organization Report Regarding Creation of the Position of City Council Analyst – Caroline Bays, Chair – February 7, 2022 and April 13, 2022 – Item 11B
12. Committee on Public Safety Report Regarding Interviews for Members to the Traffic Commission – John M. Airasian, Chair – May 3, 2022 – Item 11C
13. Climate and Energy Plan, Watertown, MA – Item 12A

*Addendum
to the Minutes of the
May 24, 2022
City Council
Meeting*

CITY COUNCIL ATTENDANCE
MEETING DATE: MAY 10, 2022

	YES	NO	PRESENT
JOHN G. GANNON	ARRIVED AT 6:57 P.M.	_____	_____
NICOLE GARDNER	___X___	_____	_____
EMILY IZZO	___X___	_____	_____
ANTHONY PALOMBA	ARRIVED AT 6:40 P.M.	_____	_____
VINCENT PICCIRILLI	___X___	_____	_____
JOHN M. AIRASIAN	___X___	_____	_____
CAROLINE BAYS	___X___	_____	_____
LISA J. FELTNER	___X___	_____	_____
MARK S. SIDERIS, COUNCIL PRESIDENT	___X___	_____	_____

CITY COUNCIL ROLL CALL VOTE
MEETING DATE: MAY 10, 2022

	YES	NO	PRESENT
NICOLE GARDNER	___X___	_____	_____
EMILY IZZO	___X___	_____	_____
ANTHONY PALOMBA	_____	_____	_____
VINCENT PICCIRILLI	___X___	_____	_____
JOHN M. AIRASIAN	___X___	_____	_____
CAROLINE BAYS	___X___	_____	_____
LISA J. FELTNER	___X___	_____	_____
JOHN G. GANNON	_____	_____	_____
MARK S. SIDERIS, COUNCIL PRESIDENT	___X___	_____	_____

MOTION TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION

COUNCILORS GANNON AND PALOMBA WERE NOT PRESENT FOR THIS VOTE

Letter to Personnel and City Organization Committee to be read/entered into public record for 5/10/22
City Council Meeting re: Policy Analyst Posting description and Evaluations of Analyst

President Sideris, PCO Committee members,

I am a big fan of improving City Council's **oversight responsibilities**. As you know, much of the Charter Review process and surveys focused on ways that oversight and accountability in City government can be improved. I recognize that this is a major culture shift for the current City Council but it also requires additional expertise and time, to step up to this challenge.

It was with this goal in mind that I drafted language proposing a charter change to include the hiring of a Municipal Policy Analyst. This is what I submitted April 2021 (highlights added):

Proposed: Create a full-time **Municipal Policy Analyst** position with expertise in **evaluation**, finance, and law to support the work of Town Councilors.

Outcome Expected: Improving Town Council's overall capacity, especially related to transparency/disclosure/**accountability**, budget, and **evaluation** capabilities.

Why: Town Councilors are responsible for budget decisions, evaluations (with sound metrics) of town services and departments, and providing transparency, disclosure, and accountability to constituents of many aspects of governance. Expertise in the areas of evaluation, law, and finance is critical to address the needs of a growing/ thriving Watertown and to navigate the many arenas Town Councilors are responsible for.

How will this improve governance in Watertown: A Municipal Policy Analyst will, as just a sample, assist with: Annual Reports to stake holders, **Evaluations of Town Manager, Implementation of oversight/ investigation into conduct and performance of city agencies (Section 2-6 of charter)**, improving responsiveness to and involvement of constituents in governance, and improve the ability of TC to impact budget decisions.

Conclusion / Summary: Watertown would greatly benefit from improving the professionalism and expertise available to the Town Council. The TC should be strong enough to set rules and fees, make policy, and investigate/respond to major material problems with greater authority, discretion, and accountability.

Job Posting language should reflect City Council's expectation that **efforts to standardize and professionalize its oversight capacity** can be supported with this position. Other municipalities use tools, data, best practice reports to assist their abilities to evaluate and be able to respond to problem areas in city government.

We, as residents and staff, pay a big price when our elected representatives don't provide oversight. We lose staff, aggrieved residents and staff sue which costs us for not being able to correct problems before taxpayers spend lots on legal fees, and we miss opportunities to improve Watertown. I think this can only be done with the best intentions of City Councilors to consistently look at how new processes and policies will support that oversight/accountability commitment.

I am requesting:

1. An added item in the Job Posting under Responsibilities, 1st sentence: "...for the purpose of developing ordinances or policies for Watertown **and to assist the Council in its oversight responsibilities**, including research...."
2. On another note related to this position, although not to the Job Posting itself: **Who will be responsible for developing the Evaluation tool and process for the 6 month review and subsequent annual reviews for the Analyst?** I respectfully request this be discussed at a PCO Committee meeting (or, please inform me on the protocol for requesting an agenda item). Evaluation metrics are critical to your ability as City Councilors to lead.

Sincerely,
Jacky van Leeuwen, 32 Whites Ave



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PROCLAMATION HONORING FIRE CHIEF ROBERT J. QUINN ON HIS RETIREMENT

WHEREAS: Fire Chief Robert J. Quinn has served the City of Watertown for 35 years beginning as a Firefighter on April 30, 1987; rose through the ranks; was appointed Provisional Chief in 2017; and was sworn in on September 16, 2018; and

WHEREAS: Chief Quinn, has faithfully executed his responsibilities of delivering fire and emergency medical services to the community; managing Department personnel, resources, and policies and procedures; and obtaining \$300,000 in grant funding to support equipment replacement and community programming; and

WHEREAS: Chief Quinn has helped his employees and provided quality services to the community; he expanded the Department's resources; upgraded the Staff Service Officer position to an Assistant Fire Chief; created an Assistant Fire Inspector position; obtained improved equipment – Engine 2, a Ford 150 as a C-2, Medic 1, Ladder 1, and Ladder 2; oversaw Station 3 renovations; and worked tirelessly on the radio system to provide quality coordinated disaster services; and

WHEREAS: Chief Quinn has focused on the health and wellness of his department members, especially cancer, an environmental occupational concern, he had consultants work with firefighters to improve their health and wellness; fostered classes on cancer prevention and skin cancer screenings; purchased equipment to clean the gear to reduce carcinogen exposure; established policies promoting workplace cancer awareness and prevention; and commissioned a plaque listing department members who died from occupational cancer; and

WHEREAS: During his tenure, Chief Quinn faced challenges including the Line of Duty Death of Firefighter Joseph Toscano, the occupational cancer death of Chief Orangio, and the death of retired Chiefs McCaffrey and Gianotti and other retired members, he showed leadership during the COVID-19 pandemic including the creation of policies keeping Department members safe and healthy, maintaining staffing levels to continue providing quality community service, and being the voice to the community providing the status of the pandemic; and

WHEREAS: Chief Quinn mindful of the Fire Department's history with Watertown FF L1347's remembered their departed members installing 5 plaques this spring for those who died in the Line of Duty; and

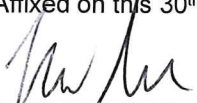
WHEREAS: Robert J. Quinn, once described as a strong and progressive leader committed to developing future leaders and moving the Watertown Fire Department forward, has achieved retirement, the Community and his fellow firefighters wish Chief Quinn a long and happy retirement, and honor his family, his wife Eileen, and his children Rebecca, Bridget, and Robert, for sharing their husband and father who provided such care to and concern for the City of Watertown.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the City Council of Watertown extends its congratulations to

ROBERT J. QUINN ON HIS RETIREMENT AS THE WATERTOWN FIRE CHIEF

IN WITNESS WHEREOF,

I have hereunto set my hand and caused the
Great Seal of the City of Watertown to be
Affixed on this 30th day of April 2022


Mark S. Sideris, Council President





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PROCLAMATION HONORING RENEE GAUDETTE ON HER DEPARTURE AS THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE WATERTOWN BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB

WHEREAS: Renee Gaudette, Executive Director of the Watertown Boys and Girls Club, is leaving after nine years of service that began in 2013; and

WHEREAS: Renee began her association with the Boys and Girls Club as a "Club Kid", and was part of their basketball program, later excelling in basketball at Watertown High School, becoming a member of the Watertown Hall of Fame, and playing at Iona University, a Division One School; and

WHEREAS: Ms. Gaudette came full circle when she took the position of Executive Director, which her father encouraged her to apply for and has excelled in her position increasing membership, programming, and funding and has instituted many programs so that she received the Executive of the Year Award in 2015; and

WHEREAS: Renee oversaw renovations to the Club by creating an Education Lab and in partnership with Bentley College, the Multi-Purpose Room; renovating the Gym floor; and initiating the dehumidification system for the pool; and

WHEREAS: Ms. Gaudette began the Swim Camp, introduced yoga classes, and implemented the Nature Campaign, Cops & Kids, and Back to School backpack and supply giveaway programs; and

WHEREAS: Renee increased funding with the Great Futures Capital Campaign, she was there when the building was renovated with a Teen Center increasing the membership; and

WHEREAS: During the pandemic, Renee provided meals to families that were impacted and virtual programming; opened a remote learning site to assist children needing help and internet access; and opening in the fall of 2022 the drop-in model.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: That the City Council of Watertown extends its warmest wishes to

RENEE GAUDETTE, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE BOYS AND GIRLS CLUB

as she pursues her next opportunity.to

IN WITNESS HEREOF,

I have hereunto set my hand and caused the
Great Seal of the City of Watertown to be
Affixed on this 29th day of April 2022.


Mark S. Sideris, Council President





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RESOLUTION # 35

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BE IT RESOLVED: The Watertown Department of Public Works has reviewed the attached petition by National Grid for consideration of a Grant of Location for the installation and the maintenance of approximately 78 linear feet of 12" plastic low pressure gas main to provide gas service to 348-370 Lexington Street Condominiums. Said Grant of Location shall be subject to the following recommendations and conditions.

Additional Conditions

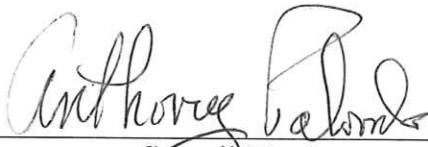
1. During construction, uninterrupted pedestrian access (or temporary pedestrian facilities) shall be provided at all times, or an appropriate alternative path provided.
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Council Member

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Marilyn W. Pronovost, Council Clerk



Mark S. Sideris, Council President



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Gregory M. St. Louis, PE
Superintendent of Public Works

TYPE: Grant of Location
DATE: January 14, 2022
APPLICANT: National Grid (WO# 1402530)
LOCATION: Belmont Street and Lexington Street

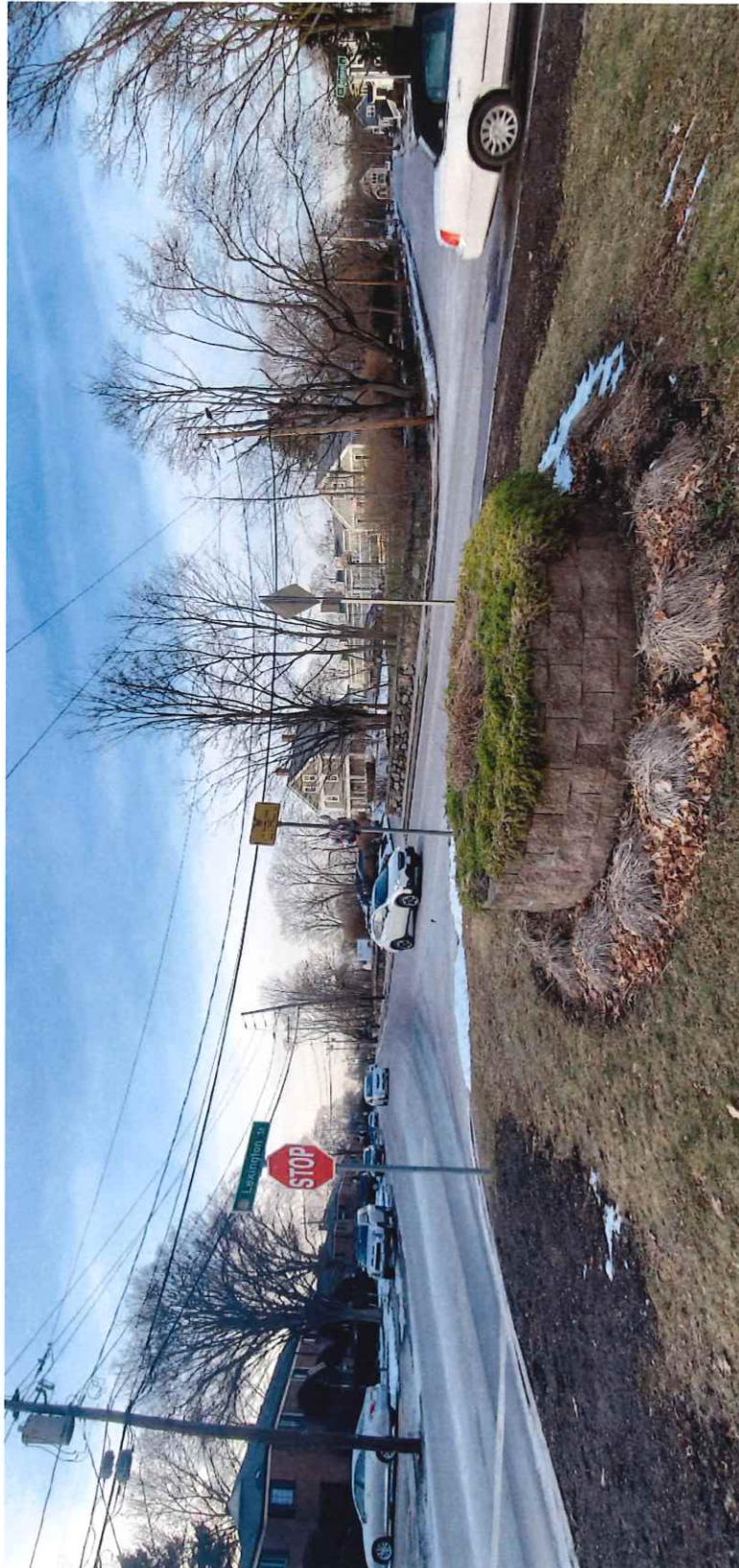
Watertown Department of Public Works has reviewed the attached petition by National Grid for consideration of a Grant of Location for the following installations:

- **Belmont Street – Install and maintain approximately 78 linear feet of 12” Plastic Low Pressure Gas Main.**

This work is necessary to provide gas service to 348-370 Lexington Street Condominiums. Upon completion of our review, we are submitting the following recommendations and conditions for consideration by the City Council should the Grant of Location be approved for this application. A photo of the location of the proposed work is presented attached to this document.

Additional Conditions

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PETITION OF NATIONAL GRID FOR GAS MAIN LOCATIONS

City
City of Watertown / ~~Town~~ Council:

The Nationalgrid hereby respectfully requests your consent to the locations of mains as hereinafter described for the transmission and distribution of gas in and under the following public streets, lanes, highways and places of the **City of Watertown** and of the pipes, valves, governors, manholes and other structures, fixtures and appurtenances designed or intended to protect or operate said mains and accomplish the objects of said Company; and the digging up and opening the ground to lay or place same:

To relay approximately 500feet of 10-inch cast iron main and 200feet of 4-inch cast iron main with 860feet of 12-inch plastic main in Belmont St, from outlet of R081 Duff @ Belmont LP reg to the existing 12-inch cast iron main in Lexington St. Relay 210feet of 10-inch cast iron main and 30feet of 12-inch cast iron main with 240feet of 12-inch plastic main in Lexington St, from Belmont St to existing 12-inch cast iron main in Lexington St. Extend approximately 110feet of new 4-inch plastic onsite main off of Lexington St in order to accommodate the branched services for the condominium complex (348-370 Lexington St).

Date: **November 18, 2021**

By: *Mary Mulrone*
Mary Mulrone
Permit Representative

City of Watertown / City Council:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the locations of the mains of the Nationalgrid for the transmission and distribution of gas in and under the public streets, lanes, highways and places of the **City of Watertown** substantially as described in the petition dated **November 18, 2021** attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof, and of the pipes, valves, governors, manholes and other structures, fixtures and appurtenances designed or intended to protect or operate said mains and/or accomplish the objects of said Company, and the digging up and opening the ground to lay or place same, are hereby consented to and approved.

The said Nationalgrid shall comply with all applicable provisions of law and ordinances of the **City of Watertown** applicable to the enjoyment of said locations and rights.

Date this _____ day of _____, 20____.

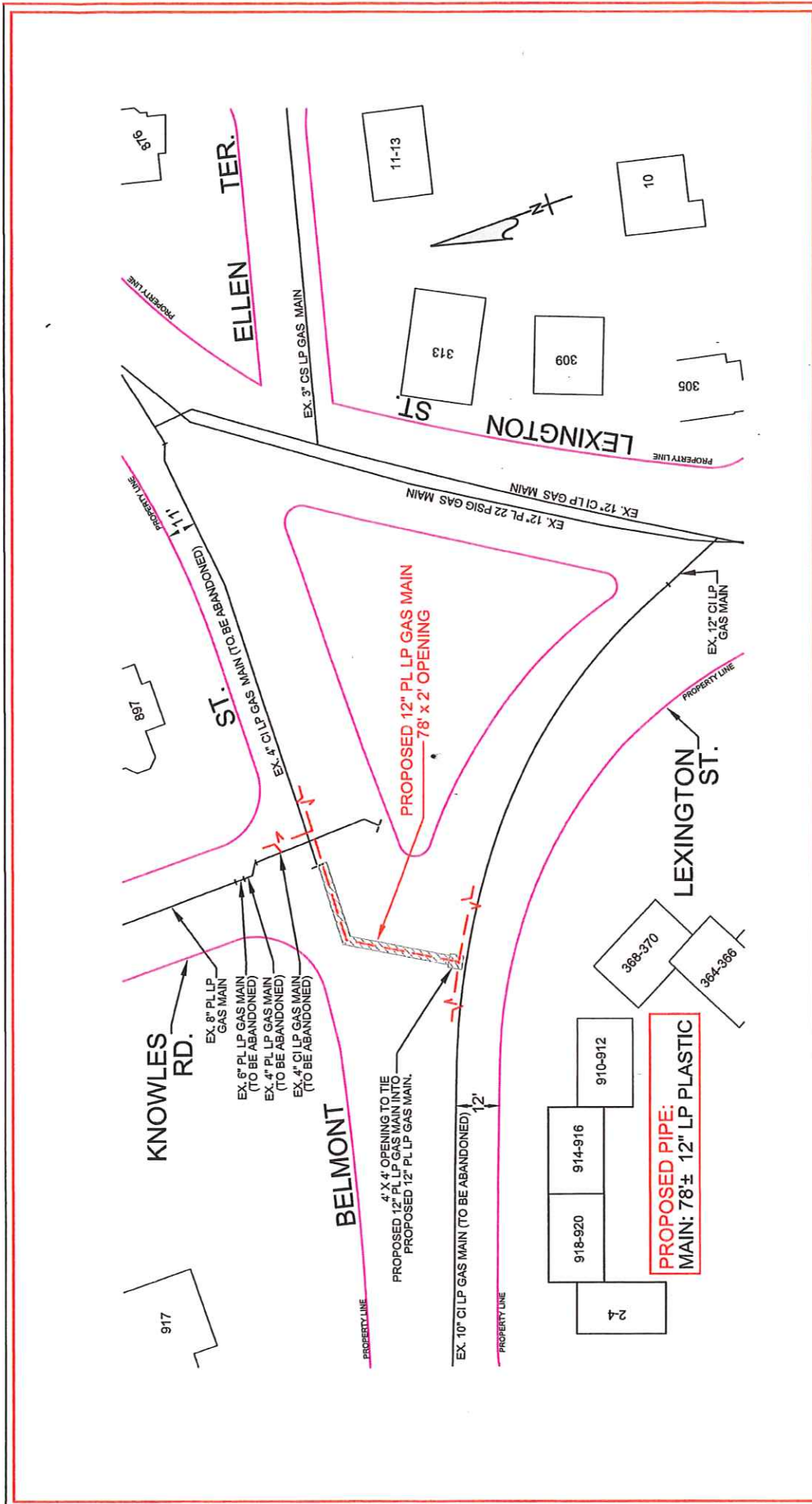
I hereby certify that the foregoing order was duly adopted by the *City Council* of
the ~~Town~~ *City* of *Watertown*, MA on the *10th* day of *May*, 20*22*.

By: *Mark J. Adams*
S/MWP
City Council President
Title

WO #1402530

**RETURN ORIGINAL TO THE PERMIT SECTION
NATIONAL GRID
40 SYLVAN RD, WALTHAM, MA 02451
RETAIN DUPLICATE FOR YOUR RECORDS**

RECEIVED
WATERTOWN D.P.W.
2022 JAN 11 AM 11:26



LEGEND

- PROPOSED GAS
- EXISTING GAS
- PROPERTY LINE
- EDGE OF ROADWAY
- PROPOSED OPENING

NOTE:

THE LOCATION OF SURFACE AND UNDERGROUND OBJECTS SHOWN ARE NOT WARRANTED TO BE CORRECT. CALL 811 BEFORE YOU DIG.

UTILITIES AND STREET LINES COMPILED FROM AVAILABLE DATA SOURCES. NO FIELD VERIFICATION PERFORMED.

REVISIONS

NO.	DESCRIPTION	DATE	DRBY	APPBY

nationalgrid

40 SYLVAN ROAD
WALTHAM, MA 02451

GRANT OF LOCATION

PROPOSED LOCATION OF 12" PLASTIC GAS MAIN

910-962 BELMONT ST.,
WATERTOWN, MA 02472

SCALE: N.T.S.

SHEET 1 OF 1

DRAWING NO. GP-WAT

1402530-21-370

ENGINEER: J.P.T./A.S.

DATE: 12/20/2021

SIZE: 12"

PRESSURE: LP

MATERIAL: PLASTIC

LENGTH: 78'

WORK ORDER NO. 1402530



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Administration Building
149 Main Street
Watertown, MA 02472
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District B Councilor

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District D Councilor

RESOLUTION #36

R – 2022 – 36

BE IT RESOLVED: The Watertown Department of Public Works has reviewed the attached petition by RCN for consideration of a Grant of Location for the installation and the maintenance of approximately

- four (4) linear feet of one (1) 4-inch communication conduit from utility pole #32/11 on Coolidge Avenue to a handhold and approximately 200 linear feet of four (4) 4-inch communication conduit to the building at 99 Coolidge Avenue, and
- four (4) linear feet of one (1) 4-inch communication conduit from utility pole #VZ/10 on Coolidge Avenue to a handhold and approximately 85 linear feet of four (4) 4-inch conduit to the building at 99 Coolidge Avenue for a diverse service connection.

Said Grant of Location shall be subject to the following recommendations and conditions.

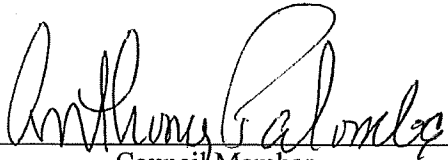
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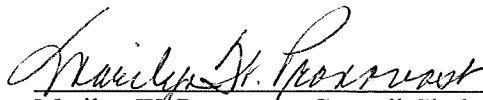
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Council Member

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Marilyn W. Pronovost, Council Clerk


Mark S. Sideris, Council President



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Gregory M. St. Louis, PE
Superintendent of Public Works

TYPE: Grant of Location
DATE: April 6, 2022
APPLICANT: RCN
LOCATION: 99 Coolidge Avenue (57 Coolidge Avenue)

Watertown Department of Public Works has reviewed the attached petition by RCN for consideration of a Grant of Location for the following installation:

- **Coolidge Avenue – Install and maintain approximately four (4) linear feet of one (1) 4-inch communication conduit from utility pole #32/11 on Coolidge Avenue to a handhole and approximately 200 linear feet of four (4) 4-inch communication Conduit to the building at 99 Coolidge Avenue.**
- **Coolidge Avenue – Install and maintain approximately four (4) linear feet of one (1) 4-inch communication conduit from utility pole #VZ/10 on Coolidge Avenue to a hand hole and approximately 85 linear feet of four (4) 4-inch conduit to the building at 99 Coolidge Avenue for a diverse service connection.**

This work is necessary to provide two (2) communications services to 99 Coolidge Avenue. Upon completion of our review, we are submitting the following recommendations and conditions for consideration by the City Council should the Grant of Location be approved for this application. A photo of the location of the proposed work is presented attached to this document.

Conditions

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View of Utility Pole 32/11



View of Utility Pole 32/11, adjacent hydrant and site entrance drive to 99 Coolidge Avenue facing southeast.



View of Utility Pole 32/11 and sidewalk facing east-northeast.

PETITION OF RCN FOR LOCATION FOR CONDUITS AND MANHOLES

City *City*
To the ~~Town~~ Council for the ~~Town~~ of Watertown, Massachusetts:

Respectfully represents **RCN Telecom Services, LLC.**, a company incorporated for the distribution of telecommunications services, that it desires to construct a line for such telecommunications under the public way or ways hereinafter specified.

99 Coolidge Avenue (57 Coolidge Avenue): 1. Starting at Utility Pole #11 on Coolidge Ave, trench and install 4' +/- of (1) 4" communication conduit easterly to proposed 24"x 36"x 36" RCN Handhole. From the newly placed handhole, trench and install 200' +/- of (4) 4" communication conduits southerly to the building under construction at 99 Coolidge Avenue.

2. Diverse Connection - Starting at Utility Pole #10 on Coolidge Ave, trench and install 4' +/- of (1) 4" communication conduit easterly to proposed 24" x 36" x 36" RCN Handhole. From the newly placed handhole, trench and install 85' +/- of (4) 4" communication conduits southerly to the building under construction at 99 Coolidge Avenue.

Wherefore, your petition prays that, after due notice and hearing as provided by law, the ~~Town~~ *City* Council may by Order grant your petitioner permission to construct, and a location for, such a line of conduits and manholes with the necessary wires and cables therein, said conduits and manholes to be located, substantially as shown on the plan made for **RCN**, dated **April 6, 2022** and filed here with, under the following public way or ways of said ~~Town~~ *City* of Watertown.

RCN Telecom Services, LLC

By: *Alex Ortiz*
Alex Ortiz
Construction Manager

Dated this April 4, 2022
City
~~Town~~ of Watertown, Massachusetts

Received and filed _____, 2022

ORDER FOR CONDUIT LOCATION

In the ^{City}~~Town~~ Council for the ^{City}~~Town~~ of Watertown, Massachusetts.

ORDERED:

That permission be and hereby is granted to **RCN Telecom Services, LLC.**, to lay and maintain underground conduits and manholes, with the wires and cables to be placed therein, under the surface of the following public way or ways as requested in petition of said Company dated April 6, 2022.

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Substantially as shown on plan marked – RCN Proposed Conduit Installation at 99 Coolidge Ave. Watertown, MA, filed with said petition.

Also, that permission be and hereby is granted said RCN to lay and maintain underground conduits, manholes, cables, and wires in the above or intersecting public ways for the purpose of making connections with such poles and buildings as it may desire for distributing purposes.

The foregoing permission is subject to the following conditions:

1. The conduits and manholes shall be of such materials and construction and all work done in such manner as to be satisfactory to the ^{City}~~Town~~ Council or to such officers as it may appoint to the supervision of the work, and a plan showing the location of conduits constructed shall be filed with the ^{City}~~Town~~ when the work is completed.

2. Said Company shall indemnify and save the ^{City}~~Town~~ harmless against all damages, costs, and expense whatsoever to which the ^{City}~~Town~~ may be subjected in consequence of the acts or neglect of said Company, its agents, or servants, or in any manner arising from the rights and privileges granted it by the ^{City}~~Town~~.

3. In addition, said Company shall, before a public way is disturbed for the laying of its wire or conduits, execute its bond in a penal sum of One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000) (reference being had to the bond already on file with said Town) conditioned for the faithful performance of its duties under this permit.

4. Said Company shall comply with the requirements of existing by-laws, and such as may hereafter be adopted governing the construction and maintenance of conduits and wires, so far as the same are not inconsistent with the laws of the Commonwealth.

^{City}~~Town~~ I hereby certify that the foregoing order was adopted at a meeting of the ^{City}~~Town~~ Council for the ^{City}~~Town~~ of Watertown, Massachusetts, held on the 10th day of May, 2022.

Mark J. Sideris
5:11WVP Council President

(over)

We hereby certify that on May 10, 2022, at 7:00 o'clock P.M., at Watertown, Massachusetts a public hearing was held on the petition of RCN for permission to lay and maintain underground conduits, manholes and connections, with the wires and cables to be placed therein, described in the order herewith recorded, that we mailed at least seven days before said hearing a written notice the time and place of said hearing to each of the owners of real estate determined by the last preceding assessment for taxation along the ways parts of ways upon which the Company is permitted to construct the lines said Company under said order. And that thereupon said order was duly adopted.

Mark S. Sidyis
City Council President

City
Town Council; Watertown, Massachusetts

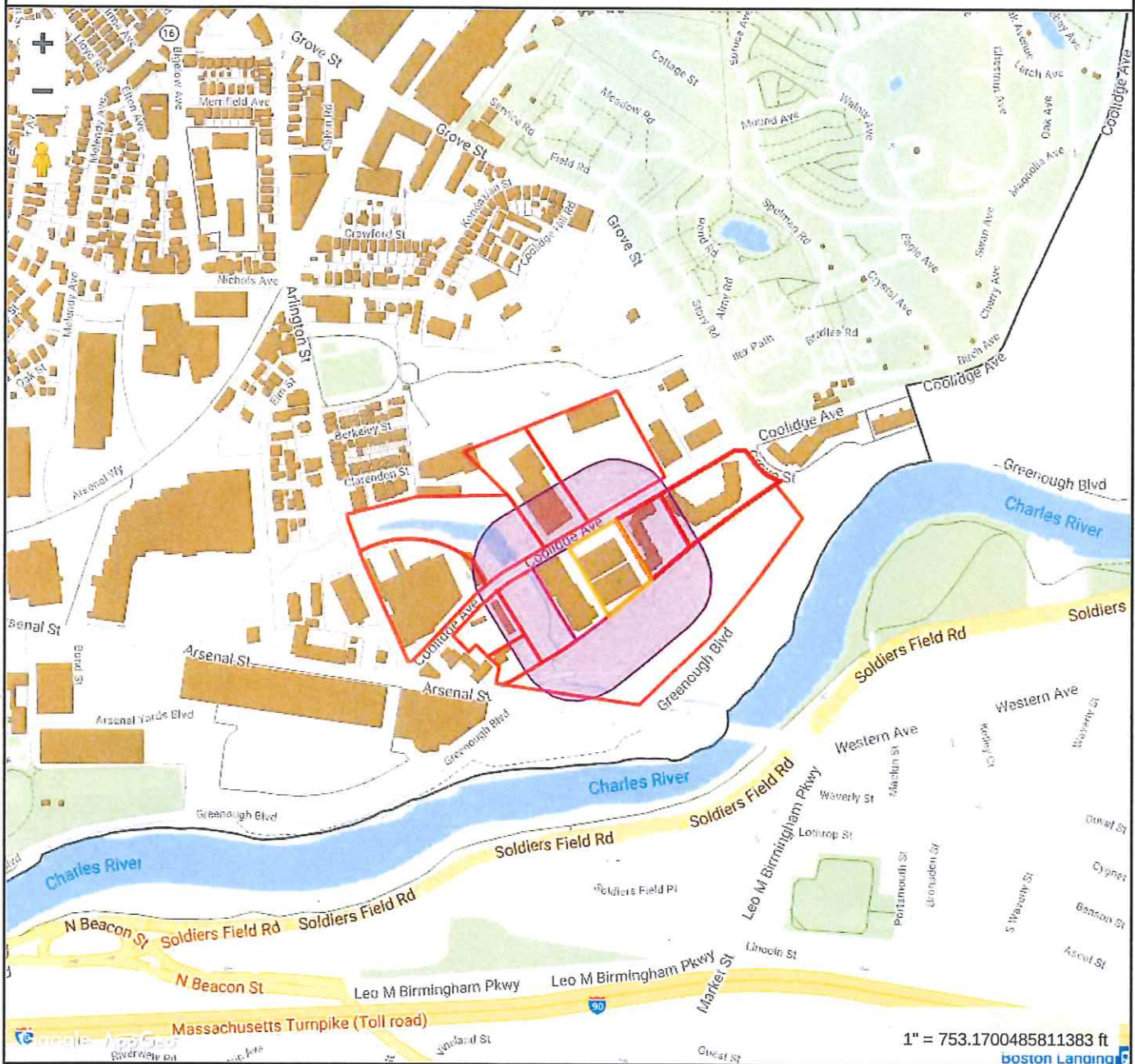
CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a location order, and certificate of hearing with the notice adopted by the City Council for the Town of Watertown, Massachusetts, on the _____ day of _____, 2022, recorded with the records of location orders of said City ~~Town~~, Book _____, Page _____. This certified copy is made under the provision of Chapter 166 of General Laws and any additions thereto or amendments thereof.

Attest:

Council President

99 Coolidge Abutters



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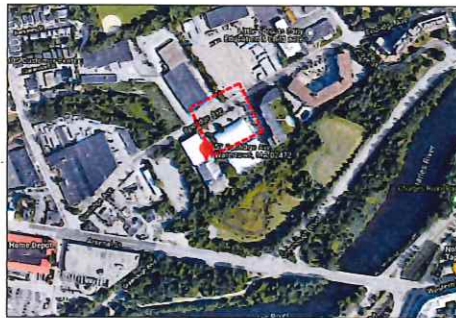
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Geometry updated June 2, 2021
Data updated June 2, 2021

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PROPOSED CONDUIT INSTALLATION
AT
99 COOLIDGE AVE
WATERTOWN, MA



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N.T.S

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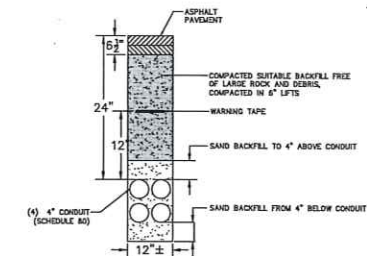
AXIS
ENGINEERING GROUP
201 Boston Post Rd West - Suite 100
Marlborough, MA 01752
(774) 555-2824 www.axisgroup.com

April 6, 2022

GENERAL NOTES

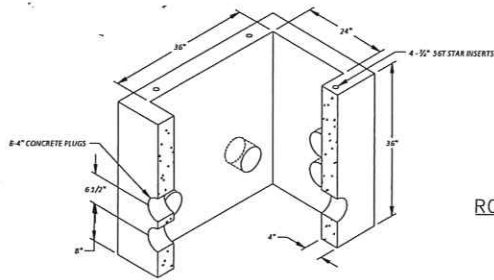
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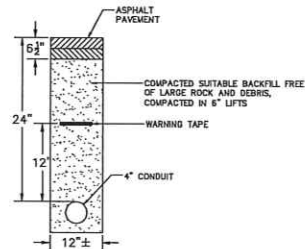


ROADWAY PATCH AND DUCT BANK
INSTALLATION DETAIL
N.T.S.

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TYPICAL 24" X 36" X 36" HANDHOLE
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CALL BEFORE YOU DIG
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72 HOURS NOTICE REQUIRED.
NOTES: 1. SEE SPECIFICATIONS

PROJECT NO. **AXIS**
ENGINEERING GROUP

PROJECT NO. **RCN**

REVISION
1. ADDED HYD / CHANGED CONDUIT 04/06/2022
2. CHANGED (DIVERSE) PROPOSED PATH 04/06/2022

DATE: 04/06/2022
DRAWN: N.T.S.
CHECKED: N.T.S.

GENERAL NOTES AND DETAILS
REVISIONS
REVISION NO. REVISION DESCRIPTION DATE NO. 1/2/22

DATE: 04/06/2022
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**CITY COUNCIL ROLL CALL VOTE
MEETING DATE: MAY 10, 2022**

	YES	NO	PRESENT
EMILY IZZO	_____	___ X ___	_____
ANTHONY PALOMBA	___ X ___	_____	_____
VNICENT J. PICCIRILLI	_____	___ X ___	_____
JOHN M. AIRASIAN	_____	___ X ___	_____
CAROLINE BAYS	___ X ___	_____	_____
LISA J. FELTNER	___ X ___	_____	_____
JOHN G. GANNON	___ X ___	_____	_____
NICOLE GARDNER	___ X ___	_____	_____
MARK S. SIDERIS, COUNCIL PRESIDENT	_____	___ X ___	_____

MOTION TO AMEND THE JOB POSTING FOR THE CITY COUNCIL ANALYST IN THE “RESPONSIBILITIES:” SECTION, “RESEARCH” SUBSECTION BY ADDING THE WORDS “AND TO ASSIST THE CITY COUNCIL IN ITS OVERSIGHT RESPONSIBILITIES” AFTER THE WORD “WATERTOWN” AND BEFORE THE WORD “INCLUDING”



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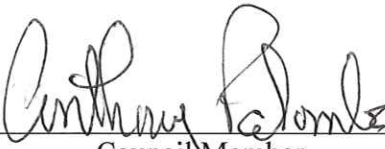
Emily Izzo,
District D Councilor

RESOLUTION #37

2022 - R - 37

RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF ROBERT AIRASIAN TO THE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

BE IT RESOLVED: That pursuant to the provisions of the Watertown Home Rule Charter, the City Council of the City of Watertown hereby confirms the appointment of Robert Airasian to the Traffic Commission for a term to expire on May 15, 2024.


Council Member

I hereby certify that as a regular meeting of the City Council for which a quorum was present, the above Resolution was adopted by a vote of 9 for, 0 against, and 0 present on May 10, 2022


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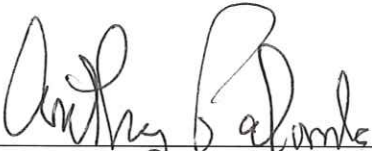
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RESOLUTION # 38

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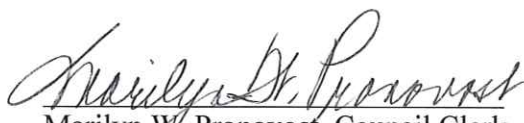
RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF KELLY GALLAGHER TO THE TRAFFIC COMMISSION

BE IT RESOLVED: That pursuant to the provisions of the Watertown Home Rule Charter, the City Council of the City of Watertown hereby confirms the reappointment of Kelly Gallagher to the Traffic Commission for a term to expire on May 15, 2023.



Council Member

I hereby certify that as a regular meeting of the City Council for which a quorum was present, the above Resolution was adopted by a vote of 9 for, 0 against, and 0 present on May 10, 2022



Marilyn W. Pronovost, Council Clerk



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