

Medford City Council Medford, Massachusetts

Resident Services and Public Engagement Committee Listening Sessions Subcommittee, May 15, 2024

Voting Members

Matt Leming, Chair Anna Callahan Justin Tseng

This meeting will take place at 5:15 P.M. in the City Council Chamber, 2nd Floor, Medford City Hall, 85 George P. Hassett Drive, Medford, MA and via Zoom.

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CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL ACTION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

<u>24-073</u> - Offered by Anna Callahan, City Councilor, Justin Tseng, City Councilor, Emily Lazzaro, City Councilor

Resolution to Establish City Council Listening Sessions

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Adjournment



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AGENDA ITEM

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FULL TEXT AND DESCRIPTION

Whereas many studies have shown that local governments primarily hear from a small proportion of their residents in addition to corporate interests, and those residents who do reach out tend to be more affluent than the average resident,

Be it Resolved, that the Committee on Resident Services and Public Engagement reach out to city staff, residents, and community groups to develop and implement a series of listening sessions where councilors listen to residents to extend Council outreach to residents, particularly of various underrepresented or under-served neighborhoods and backgrounds.

RECOMMENDATION

FISCAL IMPACT

ATTACHMENTS

None