

**City of Somerville, Massachusetts
Matters of Business of the Board of Aldermen**

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING

October 5, 2006, 6:30 PM
Aldermanic Chambers

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PRESENT for all or part of the meeting: President Maryann M. Heuston, Vice President Robert C. Trane, Aldermen Bruce M. Desmond, Denise Provost, Dennis M. Sullivan, William A. White Jr., William M. Roche, Thomas F. Taylor, Walter F. Pero, Sean T. O'Donovan, Rebekah L. Gewirtz.

OPENING OF THE MEETING

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| 1. | Call of the Roll. | 181978
Placed on File |
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CITATIONS

None

PUBLIC HEARINGS

None

**ORDERS, ORDINANCES, RESOLUTIONS
AND MOTIONS OF MEMBERS**

None

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

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| 2. | Committee Report Report of the Committee on Finance, October 4. | 181979
Approved |
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COMMUNICATIONS OF THE MAYOR

None

COMMUNICATIONS OF CITY OFFICERS

None

NEW BUSINESS

None

LATE ITEMS

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| 3. | Mayor's
Request | Requesting approval to appropriate and borrow \$2,200,943 for capital costs related to the purchase of department equipment. | 181812
Discharged from
Finance, Approved |
| 4. | Order | By Ald. Desmond, That the City Treasurer perform a cost benefit analysis that compares the leasing vs. the purchasing of six copy machines and report back to this Board. | 181980
Approved |
| 5. | Order | By Ald. Gewirtz, That the Chief of Police and Commissioner of Public Works research the use of energy efficient vehicles and propose at least two of these types the next time new vehicles are ordered, and work with the Environmental Manager to explore trading current vehicles for such vehicles at an earlier date. | 181981
Approved |

Submitted by John J. Long, City Clerk