

Traffic Commission Meeting  
February 24, 2011

**Meeting was held at the Tufts Administration Building, 167 Holland St. 2<sup>nd</sup> floor**

Meeting was called to order @ 6:00pm

Attendance: Stanley Koty, William Roche, George Manzelli, Thomas Graney, James Polito  
Staff: Donna Amenta, Matt Dias, Suzanne Rinfret, Terence Smith  
Other: Juan Rodriguez

**Item #1** - Minutes from January 20, 2011 Traffic Commission Meeting accepted  
Unanimously

**Item # 2** – Request for Handicapped Parking

29 Otis Street

Terry Smith, City Traffic Engineer, placed facts on the table for discussion.

William Roche and members discussed the item and asked questions.

Thomas Graney indicated that the fire hydrant was not an issue.

James Polito asked about driveway obstructions. City Traffic Engineer indicated there would be no driveway obstructions.

Juan Rodriguez, applicant, advocated for the request.

City Traffic Engineer recommended a 90 day trial period.

Motion to **Approve** 90 day trial period made by George Manzelli, 2<sup>nd</sup> Thomas Graney and was unanimous.

**Item # 3**- Request for MBTA to relocate Bus Stop from Webster Avenue at Tremont Street (which is in the middle of the Auto Body Shop) to its original and proper position on Webster Avenue, prior to Norfolk Street. Remove one parking space (2 hour Except by Permit 8:00am to 2:30am,) and replace with Resident Permit Parking 2:30am to 8:00am) on Webster Avenue prior to Norfolk Street.

Traffic and Parking had no objection.

Motion to **Approve** made by James Polito, 2<sup>nd</sup> Stan Koty, and was unanimous.

**Item # 4**- Request to discuss Board Order #190814, “That the Commissioner of Public Works enforces the city’s rules pertaining to people holding parking spaces with household items.” Stan Koty, Public Works Commissioner and Traffic Commission Chairman, spoke on behalf of the Department of Public Works and efforts undertaken to remove household items from public ways.

Motion to place on file **Approve** by William Roche, 2<sup>nd</sup> Thomas Graney, and was unanimous.

**Item # 5** – Request to discuss Board Order #190815, "That the Commissioner of Public Works report to the Board how many parking space holders that were confiscated this winter." Stan Koty spoke on behalf of Public Works; over 700 objects were confiscated and stored at the Public Works Yard.  
Motion to place on file **Approve** by, George Manzelli, 2<sup>nd</sup> William Roche.

Meeting adjourned at 6:26pm