



Medford City Council Committee of the Whole
Medford, Massachusetts

MEETING DATE

January 31, 2024

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AGENDA ITEM

19-554 - Resolution to Add Noise Barriers Along Rt. 93 on the North Side

FULL TEXT AND DESCRIPTION

Offered by Councillor Scarpelli

Be it Resolved that the City Administration look into adding noise barriers along Rt. 93 on the north side to mirror what is on the south side of Rt. 93.

Addressing the Council:

Alex Lyte, 91 Fountain Street
Eudora Lyte, 91 Fountain Street
Dave Sensabaugh, 40 Fountain Street
Andrew Castagnetti, 23 Cushing Street
Eric Weir, 33 Fountain Street
Bob Hanscot, 18 Fountain Street

- a) Councillor Knight offered a B-Paper Amendment requesting that the State Delegation report back to the Council whether the Transportation Bond Bill or Municipal Bond Bill contains funding for the City of Medford for the construction of Interstate-93 noise barriers.
- b) Councillor Marks offered an amendment seeking follow-up on the Council's request to have MassDOT clean up that area of Fountain along Interstate-93.
- c) Councillor Scarpelli offered an amendment asking the DPW to reach out to the Middlesex Sheriff's Office or ROCA to assist with the cleanup.

Councillor Knight moved for approval of the B-Paper (Councillor Scarpelli second)— passed.

Councillor Scarpelli moved to refer the paper to the Transportation Subcommittee for a meeting with representatives from MassDOT, and asked that the Medford legislative delegation be invited to the meeting. He further moved for approval as amended (Vice President Lungo-Koehn second)—passed.

RECOMMENDATION

FISCAL IMPACT

ATTACHMENTS

None