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MEMORANDUM

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TO: Eileen M. Donoghue, City Manager

FROM: Diane N. Tradd, Assistant City Manager/DPD Director

DATE: June 25, 2019

SUBJECT: MOTION OF 1/22/19 MAYOR SAMARAS
REQUEST CITY MANAGER HAVE PROPER DEPARTMENT LOOK INTO THE INSTALLATION OF A
BUS SHELTER AT THE LRTA STOP ON BROADWAY STREET NEAR THE LOWELL SENIOR CENTER

A bus shelter on Broadway was evaluated by the Department of Public Works (DPW). DPW determined that the sidewalk in this area does not provide the width to allow for a bus shelter and additionally would block handicap accessibility.

In addition to the sidewalk areas, the Department of Planning and Development (DPD) has proposed several alternate locations on private property. DPD is currently working with those property owners to incorporate a bus shelter that could accommodate the Senior Center and residents. We are hoping to have a decision on these potential locations within the next month.

Alternatively, the current Lease for the Senior Center and associated parking expires over the next couple of years. At that point, the City will be able to install a bus shelter within the Senior Center property.

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cc: Patti Lucken, Asset Manager