

## At 3rd Meeting For Revised Edison Proposal, Residents Continue To Express Concern And Opposition

*Project dubbed a "Tourist Attraction"*



The third in the series of 'Article 80 Public Review' meetings, required by the Boston Planning and Development Authority (BPDA), was held last week and focused on the land use and design of the Edison Plant proposal. But, it was the issues of impact - transportation, gentrification, environmental health concerns and the lack of follow through on commitments made by the developer, that took center stage. South Boston' elected officials were well represented in the meeting. Congressman Stephen Lynch, City Councilor Ed Flynn, Democrat State Representative nominee David Biele, each took the floor to share their concerns about the project. Flynn and Biele continued to state their opposition, while Lynch said he was "not persuaded" by the revised proposal being presented that it would benefit the South Boston community. Prior to the public meeting, the

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# EDITORIAL

## It's Time To Ease The Burden of The Death Tax

Massachusetts residents are well aware of how high taxes can burden working/middle class families. There is a tax for just about everything in the Bay State. And while taxes are pretty much an accepted part of life here, an increasing number of people are asking why their hard-earned assets still must be taxed even after death.

Massachusetts is one of only 16 states left in America that still has an Estate Tax - also known to most as the 'Death Tax'. In Massachusetts, as most are painfully aware, if you have assets worth more than a million dollars, such as a home, bank accounts, stocks, bonds, stamp collections, what have you, after your

death, the state steps in and takes a large chunk of it in yes - taxes. Of course, these assets and the money you purchased them with, as well as the cash or liquid assets you have left behind, have in most cases been taxed already. So, as it stands now, they tax it twice. There are countless cases where the surviving family members have to sell off that home, small business and even farm just to pay the Estate Tax. Is this fair?

In South Boston, with the rising property values, if you own a house or a condo, there is a very good chance that the property is worth more than a million dollars. And even if your assets total just one dollar above that magic million-dollar mark, the state gets to tax you on the entire amount. These are assets

that people have, for the most part, worked all their lives for and hoped to leave to their family members. But as it stands now, much of it will be taken away by the government.

Of the other 15 remaining states that still have this burdensome tax, Massachusetts has the highest burden. It's time the state legislature to ease the pain. Ideally, eliminating this tax altogether would be the best way to go. But the odds of that happening in this state are slim to none. The next best option would be to raise the amount of 'exclusion', perhaps to \$5 million as many of the other remaining Estate Tax states have done. This would be a tremendous help to middle class families and small business owners. It's time the State Legislature and the Governor get behind such an effort.

*"I'm not always going to say things the perfect way, the right way, but I'm going to say what I feel" – Kanye West*

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## *The Meltdowns over Kanye Continue*

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“Wow! Just let a black guy stray from the progressive plantation and dare to have a different opinion and he goes from hero to enemy in a matter of minutes”. This was a quote from a caller on a nationally syndicated radio talk show in reference to recent statements by Kanye West.

What a difference a year makes. It wasn't long ago that Kanye West was the darling of Hollywood, the news media, liberal politicians and some of the more vocal members of the civil rights groups. Among the words to describe him back then were brilliant, dynamic, talented, musical genius, great humanitarian, successful entrepreneur and so many more. He was praised from every corner of the entertainment world and was often the much sought-after guest of honor at elite gatherings and many times headlined glitzy award shows. He was one of their biggest heroes. Of course, that was when his leftist fan club just assumed that he thought the same way as did they and held the same political opinions that are required to be a 'good progressive'. But he doesn't, and his former worshipers went into shock, when he began to express his personal views and, just like that, the love turned to the vilest hatred imaginable. But the video footage of him hugging the President last week at the White House was the last straw and sent the haters ballistic.

Because Kanye West has made it clear that he is a big fan of President Trump and that he insists on being an independent thinker, the same people who once showered him with praise and used the fawn-

ing terms listed above to describe him have now chosen other words. They now call him stupid, puppet, stooge, Uncle Tom, mentally unstable, retarded, childlike, token Negro, traitor and others so nasty that we can't print them here. He has become the brunt of jokes and insults on late night TV hate fests like the Colbert Show, Jimmy Kimmel and SNL. He is now despised by those who once loved him, simply because he doesn't speak, act and think like he is 'supposed to' or as demanded by the people who claim to be so tolerant.

The so-called open-minded leftists in this country are so mad at Kanye West that some are almost foaming at the mouth. CNN's Don Lemon was so furious he could barely speak the other day, when he was giving one of his unhinged rants attacking West. Relatively few people actually saw Lemon's rants, because CNN's rating are now so low the station has to look up to see bottom. Yet, all the gnashing of teeth, exploding heads and hateful attacks are not fazing Kanye at all. His response is that he will continue to voice his own opinions and be a free thinker. He has stated that he will not be held captive on that liberal plantation where everyone, especially African Americans, are expected to do what they are told. He will not stop wearing his red MAGA hat, as his detractors have demanded. He will not disavow his friendship with the President. His defiance is refreshing.

To his detractors, West has become public enemy number one. They may even harbor more hatred and ill will towards him than they

do for President Trump, if that's possible. Some on social media wish him dead. Their goal is not just to disown him or ridicule him. The goal is to totally destroy him. We just witnessed these tactics with their attacks on Justice Brett Kavanaugh and what they did to him and his family. But they hate Kanye even more, because he was always thought to be one of their own. But the fact that he has 'strayed' and actually has the nerve to think for

himself is just too much. He must be punished and it's a full-on campaign of destruction against the guy. The fact that he won't back down in the face of this mean-spirited onslaught, and in fact has doubled down on expressing his beliefs, is a beautiful thing to watch. Watching Kanye West standing up for what he believes has certainly won my respect and the respect of millions of free-thinking Americans all across the nation. God Bless him.

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## Window Into The State House

Window Into The State House provides our readers a synopsis of important issues of interest, past and current, that are being proposed, debated or acted upon by the Massachusetts Legislature. Many issues that are not related to local city government services are acted upon and have a direct impact on daily life. They are tax policy, transportation infrastructure, judicial appointments, social services and health, as well as higher education. We will excerpt reports from the gavel-to-gavel coverage of House and Senate sessions by news sources focused on this important aspect of our lives. These sources include a look ahead at the coming week in state government and summaries and analyses of the past week, re-caps of a range of state government activity, as well as links to other news.

### State standoff over Airbnb regulations leaves locals in regulatory limbo

Because Gov. Charlie Baker and lawmakers haven't yet come to agreement over how to regulate and tax Airbnb and other short-term rental services, some cities, such as Cambridge and Boston, have been left hanging in terms of their own current or proposed ordinances – and what they can and can't enforce.

### Elizabeth Warren's 'shadow war room' preparations for 2020

Speaking of Elizabeth Warren, the Washington Post's Matt Viser, formerly of the Boston Globe, reports that Warren has quietly built a "shadow war room" in order to help Democrats get elected in November – and for the "further positioning of herself for an all-but-certain 2020 presidential bid."

As for her expected run in two years, there's some bad polling news for Warren: Former Vice President Joe Biden is way ahead in the most recent survey of voters about potential Democratic candidates, reports CNN.

Warren is running only fourth among Democrats in the CNN preference poll. We find that hard to believe, but that's what the story says.

In other Warren-related campaign news (of the 2018 variety), Shannon Young at MassLive reports how Warren is turning White House Chief of Staff John Kelly's "impolite arrogant woman" insult to her political advantage. The Herald's Alexi Cohan reports how Warren the other day in Roxbury was revving up the Democratic base for the midterms.

### Congestion pricing for Uber and other ride-sharing firms in Boston?

Speaking of newfangled digital-era services, Jascha Franklin-Hodge, the former chief information officer for the city of Boston and now a visiting fellow at the Harvard Kennedy School, has an intriguing idea at CommonWealth magazine: Congestion pricing for Uber, Lyft and other ride-sharing firms whose cars are clogging city roadways.

In fact, we'd go a step further: Maybe it's time to consider congestion pricing in Boston in general, rather than imposing congestion pricing regionally only on the Mass Pike and Tobin, an idea that's unfair to Pike/Tobin drivers already paying tolls and an idea that doesn't address the worst traffic congestion on non-toll roadways like I-93 and Route 128.

### Poll: Even nurses are split on Question 1

This doesn't bode well for backers of Question 1, or, at the least, it doesn't exactly strengthen their argument in favor of mandatory nurse staffing levels at hospitals. From Martha Bebinger at WBUR: "A WBUR poll

of 500 registered nurses shows 48 percent plan to vote for the ballot question that would establish nurse-to-patient ratios in state law, and 45 percent say they'll vote against the measure. Seven percent are undecided. 'Nurses are split on the question,' says pollster Steve Koczela, president of the MassINC Polling Group, which conducted the survey for WBUR."

SHNS's Michael Norton (pay wall) has more on the poll, while the Globe's Priyanka Dayal McCluskey had a pre-poll story on the same topic a few days ago. Btw: U.S. Sen. Ed Markey has come out in favor of Question 1, reports WBUR.

### T to replace North Station drawbridges, hopefully eliminating commuter-rail bottlenecks

This is interesting: At the cost of \$100 million, the MBTA is planning to replace the two drawbridges (which look like they're one) that usher trains in and out of North Station. If all goes well, the new wider bridges will have more tracks that will improve traffic flow and increase the number of platforms available for passenger service, reports the Globe's Adam Vaccaro.

In related matters, Transit Matters, in an opinion piece at CommonWealth magazine, is blasting a DOT north-south rail link study that the advocacy groups says ignores the infrastructure and service benefits of a tunnel connecting North and South stations.

### 'Romney is trying to distance himself from himself'

The Never Trump movement of 2016? What Never Trump movement? Former Massachusetts Gov. Mitt Romney, now running for U.S. Senate in Utah, is at it again, playing dumb about how he was once one of Donald Trump's top Republican critics in 2016. Amber Phillips at the Washington Post says Romney is now effectively "trying to distance himself from himself" and providing a hint about what role he'll play in the Senate come

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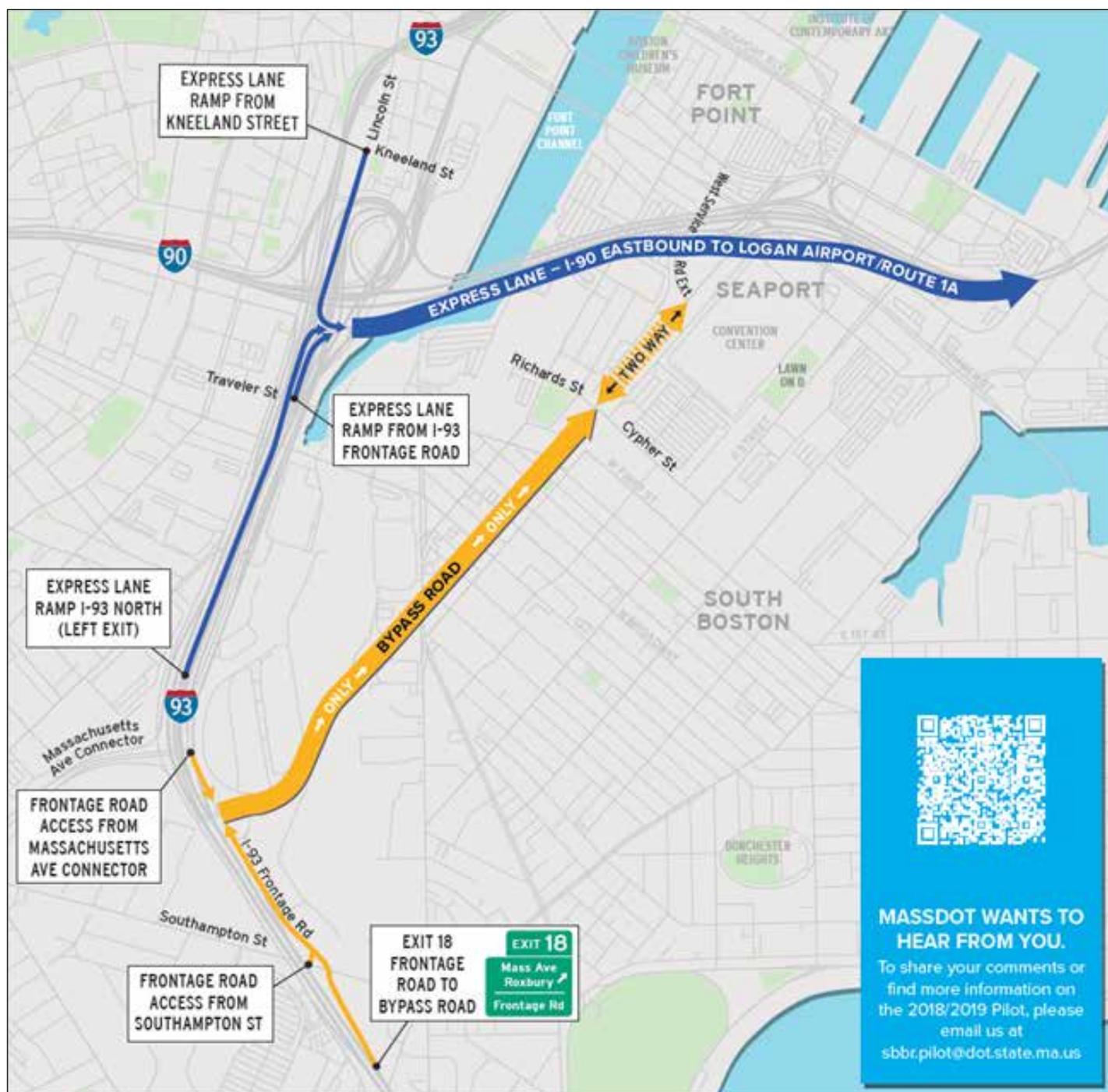
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# MassDOT Bypass Road And HOV Lane Pilot Program Underway

The Massachusetts Department of Transportation announced that beginning Monday, October 15, 2018, all traffic will be able to use sections of the South Boston Bypass Road and a portion of the I-93 High Occupancy Vehicle (HOV lane) in South Boston at all times for a 12-month period. This pilot program will provide another route option for drivers traveling inbound to the South Boston area from I-93 northbound and members of the public are advised that the South Boston Bypass Road can be accessed via Exit 18 on I-93. This pilot program is being launched following approval by the Massachusetts Environment Policy Act (MEPA) office which issued an Advisory Opinion at the request of MassDOT.

The full traffic pattern changes that will be implemented 24/7 through this pilot program include allowing unrestricted eastbound travel on the South Boston Bypass Road between I-93 Frontage Road and Cypher Street/Richards Street and allowing unrestricted travel in both directions of the South Boston Bypass Road between Cypher Street/Richards Street and West Service Road. Additionally, access to the I-93 HOV lane from the following areas leading to Logan International Airport will also be unrestricted: the I-93 northbound mainline, I-93 northbound Frontage Road, and Kneeland Street/Lincoln Street.



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January, i.e. he won't be the principled pillar of GOP opposition to the president.

**Lawmakers join those pressuring SSA to rethink Woods Hole terminal**

The Steamship Authority is facing growing pressure to head back to the drawing board with its plans for a new \$60 million

passenger terminal in Woods Hole, with two Cape lawmakers joining residents in pushing back against a design that has been called inappropriate for the village-like feel of where it will be built, Ethan Genter reports at the Cape Cod Times.

**Neighbors in Seekonk say movie-theater-to-fish-farm push doesn't smell right**

More on the local food in-

dustry: As communities across the country come up with novel ways to repurpose traditional commercial real estate—see also empty malls and Sears' bankruptcy filing—neighbors in Seekonk are gearing up to fight a plan to use part of a former movie megaplex as a fish and shrimp farm, Joseph Siegel reports in the Sun Chronicle.

**'Ice pigging': Scituate's latest**

**attempt to solve its 'brown water' problem**

Don't know what 'ice pigging' is? Neither did we until we read Mary Whitfill's piece at Wicked Local on the latest proposed solution to Scituate's disgusting (see accompanying photo) "brown water" problem. It involves "pushing a solution of ice, water and a freezing-point depressant into pipes to remove accumulated material."



## Councilor Wu Calls for a Hearing on Corporate Tax Breaks

**B**oston at-large City Councilor At-Large Michelle Wu called for a hearing on corporate tax breaks given by the City of Boston and how to ensure taxpayers have full transparency in holding the City and corporations accountable for benefit.

Last year, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts received the lowest score from the Pew Center for its evaluation of tax breaks, while other reporting

concluded that more than a third of companies using the state's Economic Development Incentive Program were not living up to their job creation promises. The City of Boston also had room to improve in transparency receiving a score of zero for its Tax Increment Financing breaks in the latest Good Jobs First report on cities and subsidies.

The City offers tax breaks to corporations through its Tax

Increment Financing, Special Tax Assessments, and Chapter 121A and B benefits for certain new developments. "Boston residents must have full transparency when corporations receive breaks from obligations to pay taxes that fund needed city services," said Councilor Wu. "We must do better in providing access to this information on the number and quality of jobs promised, and carefully account for the results delivered."

## GE Plans To Bounce Back

**G**eneral Electric's stock rose slightly on Tuesday, Oct. 9, as the appointment of new Chief Executive Officer Larry Culp and the write-down of \$23 billion of GE Power goodwill is likely to be the last of a series of transformation announcements and sets the stage for a new chapter in its turnaround, according to William Blair.

It struggled on Monday, October 15, as many stocks began to rebound from last week's steep drop as a result of Federal Reserve Bank uncertainty. But on Tuesday, October 16, General Electric shares rose on the strength of a Iraq Power-Generation Deal, that had GE beating out rival Siemens for a contract to supply 11 gigawatts of power-generation equipment to Iraq, a deal worth about \$15 billion, according to a report in the Financial Times.

The Boston-based industrial announced last week that Culp was

replacing John Flannery at the helm of the beleaguered industrial conglomerate, which sent the stock soaring. Under Flannery, GE sold billions of dollars in assets, cut the dividend in half and reshaped the portfolio to focus on aviation, power and renewables. Troubles in the company's power unit, however, plagued Flannery throughout his 13 months as CEO. Still, Culp remains "committed to strengthening the balance sheet," including deleveraging, in order to "unlock the value of GE."

In an Oct. 9 research note, Nicholas Heymann estimates that the company's Sum Of The Parts (SOTP) valuation, without assuming value for GE Power, could be 7% to 23% above the current share price, which equates to approximately \$14.60 to \$16.78 per share. If GE Power were assumed to be worth its \$48 billion book value, GE's SOTP valuation



might be closer to \$20.10 to \$22.30 a share, Heymann said. Shares of GE rose 0.8% to \$13.72 at 11:30 a.m. New York time.

With Culp at the helm, the company now moves into phase two of its turnaround, which focuses on risk reduction, specifically debt reduction, resolution of pending litigation and government oversight investigations and significant, material reductions in pension and retiree benefit underfunding as well as underfunding for long-term healthcare reinsurance at GE Capital. Heymann expects GE to move to phase three, which is the return to growth, in 2019 and beyond.

On October 1, in a surprise move, GE announced that CEO John Flannery was out after a little more than a year on the job. Early this year, Culp was named to GE's board of directors. He was sought after because he has experience with corporate turnarounds, has strong ties to Harvard College earning an MBA and is a senior lecturer there, as well as several high-profile companies.

In taking on the role, Mr. Culp had stated, "GE remains a fundamentally strong company with great businesses and tremendous talent. It is a privilege to be asked to lead this iconic company. We will be working very hard in the coming weeks to drive superior execution, and we will move with urgency. We remain committed to strengthening the balance sheet including deleveraging. Tom and I will work with our board colleagues on opportunities for continued board renewal. We have a lot of work ahead of us to unlock the value of GE. I am excited to get to work."

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Impact Advisory Group, with local appointees Rich Evans, Bob Allison and Eileen Smith, among others in attendance, met to review the previous meeting's materials and content that was focused on transportation. Redgate officials, Ralph Cox and Greg Bialecki, along with transportation consultant Tom Tinlin, reviewed their Draft Project Impact Report (DPIR) that proposes, among other elements, a private shuttle bus service, which has met with serious opposition from labor unions and local officials as being a privatization scheme that encroaches

on the MBTA. The International Longshoremen's Union has also opposed the project for its impact on the Port, as well as the hard fought for \$75mm Thomas J. Butler Freight Corridor that was recently funded and built to alleviate commercial and truck traffic from First Street, generated by the commerce of the Port.

Not surprisingly, the meeting wasn't as well attended as the two meetings held in the previous weeks. Nonetheless, several residents pressed the developers for answers on the status of their earlier commitments to the residents. Both Donna Brown, the Executive

Director of the South Boston Neighborhood Development Corporation, and IAG member, Rich Evans, made the cost of living and "not settling for the minimum in community benefits" a centerpiece of their remarks. Mike Ferris encouraged the developer to focus on improving the community and not just their profits, because he intends to stay in South Boston and wants his neighbors and their children to be able to, as well. John Provenzano, a former Edison Plant worker and union official, strongly urged consideration for more community benefits, especially relating to parking and transportation.

The meeting got testy as City Point resident John O'Toole called out Redgate partner Ralph Cox and asked him to explain his 'doubletalk,' regarding the conversation he said he had with Stephen Lynch's office regarding Redgate's commitment to have an "independent environmental and transportation study" conducted. It was something that Redgate indicated it would do during a previous meeting. Mr. O'Toole further labelled the development as basically, 'a tourist attraction'.

There is another public meeting scheduled for October 24 at 7pm with the IAG meeting prior to it, starting at 6pm.

# SAVE THE HARBOR/ SAVE THE BAY PRESIDENT TO RETIRE



Longtime Save the Harbor/Save the Bay President and Chief Executive Officer, Patty Foley, announced that she will be stepping down from her role at the end of 2018. Foley has led the organization since 2000.

Save the Harbor/Save the Bay is best known for its stewardship of Boston Harbor, leading the successful transformation from a national disgrace to a source of recreational and economic opportunity and civic pride for all Bostonians and the region's residents, with the cleanest urban beaches in the nation.

During her tenure as President, Patty Foley has taken the organization to a new level of success and effectiveness. Over the past 18 years, Foley has increased membership from 500 to more than 5,000, grown the organization's budget from \$150,000 to over \$1 million per year and dramatically expanded Save the Harbor's free youth environmental education programs that have connected nearly 250,000 underserved youth and teens to Boston Harbor since their inception in 2002.

"Patty Foley is one of Boston's great treasures. Her unique leadership skills and political instincts have ensured that we protect and preserve one of our most valuable urban natural resources and put them to work as assets for the region's residents and communities," said Joseph Newman, Director of Government Affairs Massachusetts at National Grid, who will continue to serve as Save the Harbor Board Chair. "The Board and I look forward to celebrating Patty's legacy of accomplishments over the coming months and continuing the work we are already doing to plan for the next chapter of the Boston Harbor Success Story."

Since 1986, Save the Harbor has worked with residents, scientists, government at all levels, and the region's civic, corporate and community leaders to strengthen the region's waterfront neighborhoods and beachfront communities

and improve the quality of life for the nearly 2 million people who live within a short ride or drive to Boston Harbor.

The success of Save the Harbor Save the Bay's environmental advocacy efforts spring from the organization's clear vision: to restore and protect, connect and share Boston Harbor, the waterfront, the region's public beaches and the harbor islands with Bostonians from every neighborhood and the region's residents alike, especially underserved kids and families.

Boston Mayor Martin J. Walsh, a committed supporter of Save the Harbor, Save the Bay stated, "I thank Patty Foley for her decades of work to improve and protect our harbor, while making it more accessible for our residents to enjoy," said Mayor Martin J. Walsh. "I wish Patty the best, and look forward to continuing the City of Boston's strong partnership with Save the Harbor/Save the Bay as we build on our vision to create a waterfront and harbor open for all."

"Patty has taught all of us that good policy requires good politics, and that the best way to "Save the Harbor" is to "Share the Harbor" with everyone," said Bruce Berman, Foley's husband, who will continue on as STH's Director of Strategy & Communications. "Under her leadership, we have given Boston Harbor back to the people, creating a new generation of stewards who understand the importance of these spectacular urban natural resources to all of us and our community."

Save the Harbor's free Youth Environmental Education Programs are the cornerstones of the organization's work to connect the region's young people and their families to Boston Harbor, our region's public beaches and the Boston Harbor Islands. During Foley's time at Save the Harbor, their free programs have connected nearly 250,000 youth, teens and their families to the resources they organization has worked tirelessly to restore and protect.

Foley is particularly proud of the work she has done to strengthen the City of Boston and improve the quality of life for residents of every neighborhood, for which she was honored as City Champion at the 2017 Henry L. Shattuck Awards.

"I love Boston and our spectacular harbor," said Foley. "I have truly enjoyed this opportunity to work with so many terrific people, including policy makers, civic and community leaders, and the region's businesses and foundations to achieve our shared mission and goals. You can be certain that I will continue to do all I can to ensure that Save the Harbor is well prepared to continue to be an important civic asset for the residents of every neighborhood in the City of Boston and the region's residents as well."

Longtime supporter, friend and former colleague, President and CEO of the Boston Foundation, Paul Grogan said, "The Boston Foundation is proud to have been there at the beginning when Save the Harbor started its work in 1986, and I have known Patty Foley personally since 1991, when we first worked together at LISC. Patty has a

unique understanding of the importance of the Harbor to the urban landscape, and she leaves Save the Harbor well positioned to continue as a leading voice for public investment in clean water and as an advocate for healthy, active communities."

Save the Harbor/Save the Bay has retained Chuck Gordon of The New Kensington Group, Joannie Jaxtmer of Joanne Jaxtmer Consulting and Robin Jones of JStrategies, who work together as CJR Strategic Transition Partners to advise them on the transition and conduct the search for the new President and CEO. The organization will honor Patty Foley for her service to the organization, the City and the region's residents at a reception in late March of 2019.

Save the Harbor Save the Bay is a non-profit public interest Boston Harbor advocacy organization. We are made up of thousands of citizens, as well as scientists, and civic, corporate, cultural and community leaders whose shared mission is to restore and protect Boston Harbor, Massachusetts Bay, and the marine environment and share them with the public for everyone to enjoy.

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# The Wine Guy

## Leave the Noise, Pick Up a Glass

As I'm writing this, I have the news on. Clearly, a mistake, but also a reminder that when everyone is yelling over everyone else, one thing you can do is shut it off, tune it out and focus on something better. Here are some "alternative focus" items that give a whole new meaning to the term, "hydration therapy".

The Prisoner, 2017, Napa Valley Red, (\$49.95), is a limited-release red blend that's out now. Ever since Dave Phinney's first release of

The Prisoner, it's been a cult classic, snapped up in every vintage by hordes of admirers. Winemaker Jennifer Beloz and her team continue the success of The Prisoner by following the same formulas that Phinney perfected; working with a family of growers to source a diverse variety of grapes from premier vineyards throughout California and this is what gives The Prisoner its interesting and distinct quality and character. For example, this 2017 was sourced from all of these



vineyards: Rodgers, Somerston Estate, Tiedemann Ranch, Solari Family Vineyard, Korte Ranch, York Creek, Tofanelli Family Vineyard, Rancho Chimiles, Black Sears, Hudson, Antica of California and Sage Canyon Ranch. It's a blend of Zinfandel, Cabernet Sauvignon, Petite Syrah, Syrah and Charbono, aged in a combination of French and American oak barrels, 30% new. It shows bold aromas of black cherry and plum heightened by hints of oak and vanilla. A soft and velvety palate of anise, dark cocoa powder, black cherry and roasted pecans lead into a dense finish with thick, almost chewy tannins.

Mollydooker, 2016, The Boxer, Shiraz, South Australia, (\$25.95) is just sublime. A wonder from down under, Mollydooker wines were launched with the 2004 vintage and were an instant cult classic, producing broodingly rich, decadent offerings that are snapped up as quickly as they are put on the shelf. This 2016 hasn't been scored yet, but the pedigree is undeniable. Grapes for this year's The Boxer come from prime vineyard blocks including the Mollydooker home vineyard in McLaren Vale with some additional fruit from Langhorne Creek and Currency Creek all in South Australia. The slightly cooler climate grapes from Langhorne and Currency Creek add a floral lift and elegance. All of the grapes are sustainably grown. Parcels were vinified separately, barrel fermented and aged in 100% American oak, 42% new. This powerful wine is vibrant, complex and jam packed with a kaleidoscope of flavors. Chocolate, plum and licorice just to name a few; all beautifully wrapped in bright berry fruit on the mid-palate.

Subtle oak elements and flawless tannins intertwine with the fruit ever so gracefully. This Shiraz finishes with a persistent length and is an absolute joy to drink. Don't miss it, because like The Prisoner, it's limited!

Au Contraire 2013 Pinot Noir, Sonoma Coast, (\$19.95) is a great value alternative to some of the better-known but considerably more expensive Sonoma Pinot Noirs. It's a blend of Sonoma Coast vineyards from Sebastopol, CA. to the new Fort-Ross Seaview AVA overlooking the Pacific. Fruit was rigorously hand sorted and fully destemmed with no crushing. Moderate cold soaks (4-5 days), warm fermentations (85-90 F) with mostly native yeasts. Total skin contact ranged from 11-18 days with all fermentations carefully basket-pressed and put into barrel on their lees where it aged for 12 months in French oak barrels (35% new). Wine Enthusiast Magazine gave this a score of 90 points saying, "A soft, pillowy wine with a velvety texture, this crowd-pleaser exudes coastal characteristics of forest floor, dark cherry and rhubarb, providing body with substance and a long, lingering finish."

Ch. Saint-Roch Kerbuccio, 2015, (\$29.95), is another in a long line of success stories from the totally-revitalized Languedoc-Roussillon region in the Southwest of France. For generations, this region produces unremarkable red and white wines that you'd typically receive if you ordered "Vin du Maison" at any cafe. Not anymore! Today, this region is bursting with delicious, full-bodied wines from vineyards owned by many of France's best growers and vineyard owners. Sporting a deep, inky color, the 2015 Maury Sec Kerbuccio is fabulous stuff, as well as a smoking value. Blackberry jam, roasted herbs, black licorice, tapenade and saddle leather give way to a rich, concentrated, seamless red that has moderate acidity, sweet tannin and a great finish. The blend is 80% Grenache and 20% Carignan, aged in 50% new demi-murids; it's heavenly juice that tastes like it cost three times its price. Drink it now through 2017-2021.

Stop arguing about the news (unless it's sports!), have a glass of one of these and chill. You'll thank yourself!

Talk to The Wine Guy at [jdris8888@gmail.com](mailto:jdris8888@gmail.com)

**SNEAK A PEEK**  
at Gate of Heaven School

On Sunday, October 21 from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 noon  
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Karin at [cannata.sbgh@gmail.com](mailto:cannata.sbgh@gmail.com) or  
617.268.3344 for details.

# Recent South Boston Real Estate Sales

Property/Type	Price	Sale Date	Rooms	Baths	Sq Ft
815 East Broadway Three Family	\$1,926,000	6/21/18	11	3	3455
4 Pacific Street Single Family	\$1,250,000	6/20/18	8	2.5	2560
35 Tuckerman St UNIT B Condo	\$1,114,617	6/22/18	5	2.5	2271
225 Dorchester St UNIT 15 Condo	\$975,000	6/19/18	6	2.5	1534
36 A Street UNIT 5E Condo	\$850,000	6/18/18	4	1.5	1418
497 East Broadway UNIT 2 Condo	\$825,000	6/22/18	5	2	1915
532 East Broadway UNIT 2 Condo	\$820,000	6/22/18	4	2	1037
774 East Third St UNIT 1 Condo	\$805,000	6/19/18	5	1.5	1367
346 Congress St UNIT 316 Condo	\$769,000	6/18/18	3	1	784
22 Gates St UNIT 3 Condo	\$760,000	6/18/18	5	2	1306
152 O St UNIT 3 Condo	\$725,000	6/22/18	4	2	1026
208-210 West Seventh St UNIT 21 Condo	\$635,000	6/20/18	4	1.5	833
19 Middle St UNIT 1 Condo	\$500,000	6/21/18	5	1	830

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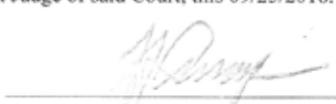
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**Virginia Clark**

V.  
Edgar A. Ramone Campbell

To the above named Defendant: Edgar A. Ramone Campbell  
A Complaint has been presented to this Court by the Plaintiff, Virginia Clark seeking a Complaint For Custody-Support-Parenting Time filed on 06/28/2018.

You are required to serve upon Virginia Clark or Attorney for Plaintiff whose address is, 36 Irma St #2, Dorchester, MA 02124 - your answer on or before the 15th day of November, 2018.

If you fail to do so, the court will proceed to the hearing and adjudication of this action. You are also required to file a copy of your answer in the office of the Register of this Court at Boston Witness, Brian J. Dunn, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this 09/25/2018.

 Register.

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 **Public Meeting**

## 45 L Street

**Thursday, October 25**  
6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

**646 E Broadway**  
South Boston Branch Public Library  
South Boston, MA 02127

**Project Proponent:**  
45 L Street. LLC

**Project Description:**  
Developer 45 L Street, LLC is requesting a Notice of Project Change from condominiums to rental. The project containing 30 residential units was originally approved by the Boston Redevelopment Authority in October 2014.

mail to: **John Campbell**  
Boston Planning & Development Agency  
One City Hall Square, 9th Floor  
Boston, MA 02201  
phone: 617.918.4282  
email: john.campbell@boston.gov

**Close of Comment Period:**  
11/2/2018

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Teresa Polhemus, Executive Director/Secretary

 **Public Meeting**

## 776 Summer Street

**Wednesday, October 24**  
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

**650 East 4th Street**  
Tynan School  
South Boston, MA 02127

**Project Proponent:**  
HRP 776 Summer Street LLC

**Project Description:**  
HRP 776 Summer Street LLC proposes to redevelop an approximately 15.2-acre site located at 776 Summer Street in the South Boston neighborhood. The proposal entails approximately 1.93 million square feet of occupiable space, including: approximately 1,344 residential units, approximately 368,070 square feet of office uses, approximately 85,630 square feet of retail uses, 344 hotel rooms, and up 1,397 parking spaces. The proposal will also preserve several historic buildings on the site and provide 5.5 acres of new outdoor public spaces, including approximately 2.5 acres of open space on the waterfront.

The focus of this meeting will be climate change resilience and environmental issues.

mail to: **Tim Czerwienski**  
Boston Planning & Development Agency  
One City Hall Square, 9th Floor  
Boston, MA 02201  
phone: 617.918.5303  
email: tim.czerwienski@boston.gov

**Close of Comment Period:**  
10/30/2018

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## SHERIFF TOMPKINS IN D.C. FOR WHITE HOUSE INFO SESSION

### *Seeking more resources in battle against addiction, mental illness*

**S**uffolk County Sheriff Steven W. Tompkins released the following statement today as he travels to Washington, D.C. to meet with White House staff:

“I received an invitation from the White House Office of Intergovernmental Affairs to come down to D.C. for the purpose of discussing issues

of concern to Massachusetts leadership. While my visit should in no way be considered an endorsement of any aspect of the current administration, as an elected official, I see it as my responsibility to engage in a conversation that could yield important information to the constituents that I serve.”

I am also planning to sound a clarion

call for increased resources here in Massachusetts to help us as we continue working to slow the opioid crisis, mitigate our growing mental health needs, and create more meaningful criminal justice reform, not only here in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, but across our nation.”

## Governor Baker Receives the Jack Brett Award

**S**pecial Olympics celebrated their 50th Anniversary recently at the John F. Kennedy Library. Governor Charlie Baker received the Jack Brett Award. It is given to a person who has supported and improved the lives of individuals with intellectual disabilities. The award is named in honor of John Jack Brett whose legacy continues to inspire friends and families to advocate for communities of acceptance and inclusion for all.

#### PHOTO

Mary Beth McMahon, President and CEO of Special Olympics Massachusetts. Massachusetts Governor Charlie Baker, Melissa Reilly a Special Olympics Athlete, and Jim Brett, member of the Advisory Board of Special Olympics and President & CEO of the New England Council.



## BWSC NATIONAL RECOGNITION FOR EXCELLENCE



**B**oston Water and Sewer Commission (BWSC) has earned top honors from the Association of Metropolitan Water Agencies (AMWA) for management excellence. The Sustainable Water Utility Management Award recognizes the work of water utility management leaders able to achieve a balance of innovative and successful efforts in areas of eco-

nomie, social and environmental endeavors.

Specifically, BWSC has committed resources to improving operations, maintaining fiscal responsibility and increasing public awareness to improve water quality and protect the environment. BWSC is a committed environmental steward, aiming to utilize its infrastructure to its maximum efficiency. It is continually dedi-

cating resources to improve operations and customer service and to reduce pollution in Boston's harbor, beaches and rivers.

BWSC has also led the water industry in developing and implementing green infrastructure and low impact development (GI/LID) methods in numerous construction projects, including a \$1.5 million GI collaboration with the Boston Public Schools.



## Marie Laundry Honored As Community Hero

As commissioner of the Gate of Heaven CYO Basketball program for girls, Marie Laundry remains an icon in Southie, as generations of South Boston natives still recognize “coach” for her lessons of teamwork and respect.

Nominated for Community Hero by the board of ABCD’s South Bos-

ton Action Center, Marie’s work has benefited the South Boston community by influencing the mental and emotional development of young girls for generations through sports.

From soccer to softball to basketball, Marie has coordinated youth sports for more than 30 years. She organized high school basketball

at the defunct Mount Saint Joseph Academy under the Sisters of Saint Joseph and taught instructional basketball for children ages 12 and under at Gatey. The grandmother of five continues her work with Catholic Youth Organization Basketball and volunteers at the Walsh Community Center.

## Leslie Odom Jr. of Broadway’s Hamilton Headlines ABCD’s Gala

*Will induct NBA Coach Doc Rivers into the ABCD Hall of Fame*

Action for Boston Community Development will once again dedicate an evening of reverence, reflection and festivity to honor several outstanding unsung heroes - volunteers who uplift their communities by helping children, adults, elders and families overcome the oppression and struggles of poverty.

The annual gala will feature guest speaker and award-winning performer Leslie Odom Jr. on Friday, October 26th, at Boston Marriott Copley Place, 110 Huntington Ave, Boston. The evening kicks off with a Social Hour at 6 p.m., and the Dinner Program at 7 p.m.

Together we have strength. Together we can strive for more. Together we can better overcome any obstacle and achieve

success. No matter our individual challenges or difference, as friends and neighbors, we are In It Together!

This year, ABCD honors NBA Coach Doc Rivers as the co-founder of ABCD Hoop Dreams - our signature basketball tournament fundraiser for ABCD youth services & educational initiatives, including WorkSMART and SummerWorks. Since its inception in 2011,

The event will be hosted by WCVB-TV Chronicle’s Shayna Seymour and will include a special invocation by Rev. Liz

Walker, Pastor, Roxbury Presbyterian Church.

With a mission to help those in need transition from poverty to stability to success - through advocacy and collaboration with local leaders, politicians, businesses, and of course the humble heroes among us - ABCD provides a ladder upward to overcome seemingly insurmountable barriers.

The Gala will pay special tribute to peace activist, Chaplain Clementina “Tina” M. Chéry, founder of the Louis D. Brown Peace Institute, and to ABCD’s longtime partner and

friend, Sam Nagler, Esq. Support for the evening is possible thanks to the ABCD Friends Committee, led by event chair Amy Latimer, President of TD Garden, a key sponsor of ABCD Hoop Dreams, which has helped raise over \$500,000 for youth programs, including ABCD SummerWorks.

The high point of the event, ABCD will recognize 20 outstanding community heroes for their selfless contributions of time, energy and compassion! *Among them is Marie Laundry, nominated by ABCD South Boston Action Center.*

# James M. 'Jim' Kelly Blood Drive October 27th

SBT Staff Report

In South Boston, traditions are important and usually forever. And so too is the annual Jim Kelly Memorial Blood Drive which will mark its 8th year on Saturday, October 27th, at the South Boston Catholic Academy building on East Broadway.

South Boston Today spoke with Jim's daughter Sandra about the upcoming event. She was excited and pleased at the same time that her father's memory, which will live on, is also honored by such a wonderful humanitarian effort. Sandra, along with her brothers Jamie and Tommy are very proud at how this Blood Drive has developed. Since the first Drive, the effort has collected hundreds of pints of blood and American Red Cross officials say that this had the potential to save more than 500 lives.

The Blood Drive will take place as it always has down stairs in the school building and will run from 9:30am till 2:30 in the afternoon. You can even call the American Red Cross in advance to make an appointment for a specific time that day, which will help avoid any possible waiting. To make an appointment, you can call the American Red cross at 1-800-733-2767. There is also a website where you can get any information about giving blood on this day or any other: [www.redcrossblood.org](http://www.redcrossblood.org) and type in the sponsor code jkelly.

For those of you who are able to donate

blood, your act of kindness will go a long way in helping to save lives and it will be done in Jim's name. But even if you are not able to donate blood, please feel free and most welcome to drop by and say 'Hi' to the Kelly family, who will be happy to see Jim's old friends and those who so fondly remember this great man.

Jim Kelly spent his life working tirelessly on behalf of his friends, neighbors and constituents in his beloved community. He was always ready, willing and able to help out those who needed him. To Jimmy it wasn't a job, it was a commitment and a labor of love straight from the heart and soul. There is no doubt that from his place in Heaven, he is proud that he is remembered each year in October with such a wonderful event. As he helped so many people while he was here among us, people are still being helped in his memory. What could be better than that?

Jim Kelly will always be remembered for the fearless neighborhood champion and hero that he was. He worked tirelessly on behalf of all of his constituents in his capacity as an elected official while he was the district Boston City Councilor and City Council President and as a concerned neighbor always there to assist those in need. A blood drive in his memory is an outstanding and fitting tribute to the memory of this wonderful man.

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## Blood Drive

South Boston Catholic Academy - Gym  
866 East Broadway  
South Boston, MA 02127

Saturday, October 27, 2018  
9:30 AM to 2:30 PM

Please call 1-800-RED CROSS (1-800-733-2767) or visit [RedCrossBlood.org](http://RedCrossBlood.org) and enter: JKelly to schedule an appointment.

Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting [RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass](http://RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass) to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.

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# South Boston Catholic Academy K2 News

The Kindergarten students at South Boston Catholic Academy have been learning all about apples at school and were able to visit a working fruit orchard. They went apple picking at Honey Pot Hill Orchards in Stow, Massachusetts, on the first field trip of the school year. The children

picked delicious Macintosh apples, enjoyed yummy apple cider donuts, and tasted sweet apple cider. Everyone loved visiting cute farm animals, a hayride, and a picnic lunch with friends. It was a fun and wonderful day for going apple picking!

There are still limited spots available for the

2018-2019 school year. Please check our website at [www.sbcatholicacademy.org](http://www.sbcatholicacademy.org). You can also find us on Facebook, Instagram and Twitter, or contact Mrs. Jamie Brown, Assistant Principal, at [j.brown@sbccatholicacademy.org](mailto:j.brown@sbccatholicacademy.org) or phone 617-268-2326 for more info. or to schedule a tour of the school.



## Confirmation Classes This School Year

**Confirmation I – Grade 7**  
Will be Confirmed Fall 2020

**Confirmation II – Grade 8**  
Will be Confirmed Fall 2019

The class dates are on the following Sundays as follows:

- October 14, 2018 - Grade 8 Class
- October 21, 2018 - Grade 7 Class
- October 28, 2018 - Grade 8 Class
- November 4, 2018 - Grade 7 Class
- November 18, 2018 - Grade 8 Class
- November 25, 2018 - Grade 7 Class
- December 2, 2018 - Grade 8 Class
- December 9, 2018 - Grade 7 Class

Confirmation Classes begin at 4:30PM on Sunday afternoon and run from 4:30PM to 7PM. Everyone please meet downstairs in Cushing Hall, St. Brigid Lower Church, on East Broadway.

## OPEN HOUSE



South Boston Catholic Academy

PreK–Grade 6

Open House

Tuesday, November 6, 2018  
9:00–11:00 AM



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# BCYF Tynan Happenings

## CELTICS SHAMROCK FOUNDATION TIP OFF GALA

**O**n Thursday, October 11th, four BCYF-Tynan Community Center youth were fortunate enough to participate with the Boston Celtics players, at their Annual Celtics Tip off Gala at the Westin Hotel. Brayden Buckley, Gigi Rouf, Meghan Harrison, and James Buzell were able to meet the Celtics players and were show cased on stage with them. A couple of the youth were overcome with emotion, as they stood proudly side by side with their heroes. It was an exciting night for the youngsters, who were fortunate to be part of this special event. It will be an experience they will never forget. **GO CELTICS!!!**

### Friday Night Hoops

The BCYF Tynan played host to our friends from the BCYF Blackstone community center from the South End. The teens played hard and had lots of fun and when the buzzer went off the teens sat around and got to know each other over pizza thanks to the Tynan council. The kids had lots in common, as they talked video games, sports and attended some of the same high schools. This is how friendships began and now the bcyf tynan kids want to go over to the Blackstone and check out their center. Special thanks to Al Smith, Youth Worker for setting this night up.

### YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The Flag Football League for boys and girls 7-11 will begin clinics and forming teams this Tuesday, October 23rd @ 3:30 pm. There are still slots

available for any boy or girl interested. League games will officially begin on Tuesday, November 6th. Contact Greg for any questions or further information.

### ADULT COED VOLLEYBALL

Our 2018-19 season will kick off on Thursday, November 1st. We will have practice and meeting times set up on Thursday October 18th and 25th. League fees will be due by November 15th. No cash will be accepted. We can take Money Orders or Checks. If anyone is interested in playing on a team contact Kathy asap. There are some slots opened on a few teams.

### BCYF-TYNAN GIRLS FITNESS

Girls Fitness classes will begin Monday, October 29th 6-7 pm, for ages 11 & over. Classes will be held on Monday nights for 8 weeks. You may register Monday – Friday 3-8 pm until October 24th. Please come by and register with Katie O’Connell, Youth Worker.

### Red Sox Game

The BCYF Tynan Community Center teens, along with youth worker, Katie O’Connell, and Athletic Director, Greg Lally, had the privilege of attending the Boston Red Sox vs. Baltimore Orioles game on Wednesday, September 26th. A great time was had by all, especially considering it was a beautiful 75-degree night. We also ran into a familiar face, our old Athletic Director, Officer Robbie Walton. The teens loved seeing him at America’s Most Beloved Ballpark. **GO SOX!!!!**



## FALL ART CLASSES

**QUINCY ART ASSOCIATION** now offering art classes for both Adults & Children. Classes include Beginner’s Drawing, Watercolor, Ink Wash Painting, Oil and Pastel Painting, Clay, Workshops and more! Instructors are popular and well-versed in their expert fields.

Admission is open NOW! Art Classes offered at a lower rate for members. Start dates vary and run Oct 8– Dec 17. Visit our Website for class registration and membership information. **Come join the excitement and learn something new!** Quincy Art Association, [quincyartma@yahoo.com](mailto:quincyartma@yahoo.com) 617.770.2482 **Website:** [www.quincyartma.com](http://www.quincyartma.com)



*This week, Danny gave "Pic's Picks" for Week 7 in the NFL:*

It's time to keep it rolling. I was a perfect 5-0 with my picks in Week 6. I'm now 19-11 on the season. So why stop picking winners now? Four teams have a bye in Week 7: Green Bay, Oakland, Seattle, and Pittsburgh. Good, I didn't want to pick them anyways! As part of the PodcastOne Sportsnet Challenge, I'm only allowed to pick from the Sunday games, and there are 12 total games on the Sunday slate this week,

This includes a 9:30 a.m. ET kickoff from London as the Tennessee Titans take on the Los Angeles Chargers. And, ya, we'll stay away from that one. So, only 11 games for me to choose from. Here are my picks for Week 7:

**PHILADELPHIA EAGLES over Carolina Panthers**

-The 3-3 Eagles are coming off a win over the New York Giants on Thursday Night Football. A win over the Giants isn't saying much, but the extra time to prepare for a beatable 3-2 Carolina Panthers team, in Philadelphia, is certainly worth taking into consideration when picking this game. There's just something about the Panthers that I hate in this one on the road. Carolina is coming off a 23-17 loss to Washington in

Week 6. Now Cam Newton goes up against an Eagles' defense that ranks fifth in the NFL, allowing just 19.5 points per game. Eagles quarterback Carson Wentz has thrown seven touchdowns and no interceptions in his last three games, and again, home field and extra time to prepare will be the key. Give me the Eagles to take care of business at home, Sunday at 1 p.m.

**JACKSONVILLE JAGUARS over Houston Texans**

-The 3-3 Jaguars are a 5-point favorite at home as they host the 3-3 Texans Sunday at 1. There's a three-way tie for first place in the AFC South, with the Tennessee Titans also at 3-3. Jacksonville can only control what it can control, and this is a must-win, as the jaguars have lost two straight games, both on the road, in Kansas City and in Dallas. Meanwhile, Houston has won three straight, but not on eof those three wins convinced me that they're for real. I think the Jaguars will find a way to turn things around in their own building against a beatable Texans team. Give me Jacksonville to win this game at home.

**NEW ORLEANS SAINTS over Baltimore Ravens**

-The 4-1 Saints are a 2.5-point underdog on the road in Baltimore Sunday at 4:05. New Orleans is coming off the bye, but has won four straight since losing to the Tampa Bay Buccaneers in Week 1. Baltimore's defense ranks No. 1 in the NFL, allowing just 12.8 points per game. But the 4-2 Ravens have yet to face a QB/RB duo like Drew Brees and Alvin Kamara this year. Brees has yet to beat the Ravens in his career, but I expect that to change on Sunday. Baltimore is coming off a 21-0 win over Tennessee. Will the Ravens shut out the Saints? No way. The only question is, can the Saints' defense stop the Ravens' offense. I think they can keep it close enough for the Saints to escape Baltimore with their fifth win of the season. I'm feeling good about New Orleans.

**KANSAS CITY CHIEFS over Cincinnati Bengals**

-This game got flexed into the NBC Sunday Night Football game of the week, putting the 5-1 Chiefs on Sunday Night Football for the second straight week. Kansas City is coming off a loss to the Patriots at Gillette Stadium. It was the Chiefs' first loss of the year. And now, they return home

to host a 4-2 Bengals team that's coming off a loss to the Steelers. Cincinnati has certainly impressed this year, but I could see Patrick Mahomes carving up the Bengals' pass defense that ranks 28th in the NFL, allowing 292 pass yards per game. The Chiefs lost to the Pats, but it was arguably the most impressive loss I've ever seen. KC is for real. Mahomes is a legit stud. They'll beat Cincy at home.

**LOCK OF THE WEEK: LOS ANGELES RAMS over San Francisco 49ers**

-The 6-0 Rams are the only undefeated team remaining in the NFL. They're a 10-point favorite on the road in San Francisco Sunday at 4:25. The 49ers are 1-5 and have lost four straight, including Monday night's loss in Green Bay. San Francisco is struggling after losing Jimmy Garoppolo for the season. And the 49ers defense is one of the worst in the league, allowing 30 points per game. The Rams should be able to put up their usual 30 points on Sunday, and take advantage of San Francisco trying to function on a short week. That's not usually the recipe for success against the best team in the NFL, especially if you're one of the worst teams in the NFL. It's a lock. The Rams will win this one in San Fran. *Listen to the entire conversation at PodcastOne. Also available on iTunes, Spotify, and danny-picard.com. Subscribe to Danny's YouTube channel at youtube.com/dannypicard.*

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## SOUTH BOSTON YOUTH SOCCER

Well, we are now into the second half of the season. Everything seems to be running smoothly. Weather was not so good this weekend, especially Saturday morning

### REMINDERS:

#### PARENTS:

Soccer is not cancelled due to rain. The only time it will be cancelled is when there is thunder and lightning. All children must wear shin guards in order to play. Please no big bows in the hair and no hats.

Plases keep away from the nets when the children are playing and also keep off the field during their game. We know you want to help your child if they are in goal but most kids get distracted. No smoking near the field. Please go outside the park if you want a cigarette.

#### COACHES:

If you have the first game of the day, please be at the field early to

help set up the field. If you have the last game of the day, please put all the equipment away. Please fill out your score sheets correctly and turn them into the clubhouse (there is a box on the counter) or to Dianne Horne at 373 West 2nd Street by Sunday evening.

Now on to a recap of the games:

#### UNDER 4 DIVISION:

##### LIGHTNING / FLYERS

The East Boston Savings Bank Lightnings were victorious again this weekend with four goals kicked in my Samson Slater. All the team played a fantastic game.

##### LOVEY'S LEAGUE

##### SULLIVANS

Lovey's League played a great game. Terrific Thomas Murphy and Boom Boom Brandon Hartnett were the goal scorers. The team turned in a superb performance.

At the time of print no score sheets were available for the teams



sponsored by The Matt Coyne Club, Sullivan's at Castle Island, J. F. O'Brien & Sons, Congressman Stephen Lynch, Councilor Michael Flaherty, Councilor Ed Flynn, Massport, Boston Home Inspectors and The South Boston Today.

#### UNDER 6 DIVISION:

##### LIGHTNING BOLTS

##### JIM CAHILL CLUB

The Massport Lightning Bolts played a great game. Jaxon McCarty was the goal scorer for his team. All the players did an amazing job.

At the time of print, no score sheets were available for the teams sponsored by Metro Energy,

Boston Firefighters Credit Union, Billy Flaherty Gang, Abacus Builders, Jim Cahill Club, Ironworkers Local 7, Stapleton Florist, Yankee Bus Line and South Boston Dental Associates.

#### UNDER 8 DIVISION:

At the time of print no score sheets were available for the teams sponsored by John Hancock Insurance, Massport, Michael Perkins Post, Joe Pace & Sons, Eileen Hennessey Club and the Collins Club.

#### UNDER 12 DIVISION:

At the time of print no score sheets were available for the teams sponsored by Yankee Bus Line, J & S Solutions, Massport and Metro Energy.

# Trick or Treat on Broadway

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Wednesday, October 31<sup>st</sup>

4:00 – 6:00 pm

## Trick-or-Treat on Broadway

The South Boston Chamber of Commerce member businesses, and the South Boston Neighborhood Development Corporation invite the neighborhood children in costumes to “*Trick or Treat along East and West Broadway*” on Wednesday, October 31, 2018 from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. Participating establishments from D Street to L Street will be clearly marked with an orange and black poster inviting the children to stop in for a treat.

Due to the narrow sidewalks along East Broadway between I Street and L Street, and for the safety and enjoyment of all participants, we are asking that all Trick-or-Treaters walk in the same direction in order to avoid congestion that would cause anyone to step

into the street to pass. If you are starting in the area at I Street, please walk along the southern side of the street (odd numbered stores) and continue to L Street, using the cross walk, cross over to the northern side of the street (even numbered stores) and continue back toward I Street.

If you are starting in the area at L Street, please walk along the northern side of the street (even numbered stores) and continue toward I Street, using the cross walk, cross over to the southern side of the street (odd numbered stores) and continue back toward L Street.

Broadway businesses wishing to participate – that have not already received a poster, should contact the South Boston NDC office at 617-268-9610.