



RESOLUTION

ESTABLISHING A NASHUA RAIL TRANSIT COMMITTEE

CITY OF NASHUA

In the Year Two Thousand and Seventeen

RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Nashua that

WHEREAS, the City has been working cooperatively with the State to bring passenger rail to New Hampshire;

WHEREAS, recent polling shows that more than 70% of residents in New Hampshire support extending commuter rail into New Hampshire; and

WHEREAS, the Governor recently made public comments encouraging the exploration of an incremental Nashua first approach;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Alderman of the City of Nashua that a Nashua Rail Transit Committee be established consisting of nine (9) members as follows: Two (2) members of the Board of Aldermen who shall be appointed by the president of the board of aldermen. One (1) member from the Nashua Regional Planning Commission who shall be appointed by the Executive Director of the Commission. One (1) member from the Greater Nashua Chamber of Commerce who shall be appointed by the Chamber's President/CEO. Two (2) residents of the City of Nashua who shall be appointed by the Mayor. One (1) member shall be the Mayor or his or her designee. The remaining two members shall be the city's representatives' on the state rail authority.

The committee is charged with making recommendations and development of a strategy to the mayor and the board of aldermen for bringing passenger rail to Nashua.

The appointed members shall serve at the pleasure of the appointing authority and promulgate said recommendations and strategy documents no later than 120 days after the passing of this resolution. Upon completion of its duties, the committee shall disband. The committee shall elect a chairperson by majority vote and adopt by-laws as necessary to regulate its affairs.

LEGISLATIVE YEAR 2017

RESOLUTION:

R-17-123

PURPOSE:

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SPONSOR(S):

Mayor Jim Donchess

**COMMITTEE
ASSIGNMENT:**

FISCAL NOTE:

None.

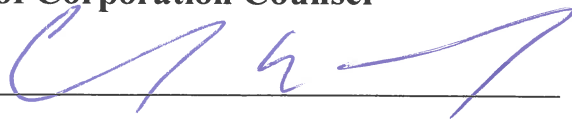
ANALYSIS

This resolution establishes a Nashua Rail Transit Committee as described.

Approved as to form:

Office of Corporation Counsel

By:



August 3, 2017