

Old Colony Planning Council  
Agenda

Agenda for Meeting No. 530  
September 28, 2016

Old Colony Planning Council  
70 School Street, Brockton, MA 02301

*The listings of matters are those reasonably anticipated by the Chair, which may be discussed at the meeting. Not all items listed may in fact be discussed and other items not listed may be brought up for discussion to the extent permitted by law.*

1. Call to Order, 7:00 PM
2. Roll Call of Members
3. Minutes of August 31, 2016 Meeting
4. Financial Report for July & August 2016
5. Staff Report
6. Regional Clearinghouse Reviews

Mr. Frank P. Staffier, President  
Mr. Fred Gilmetti, Secretary  
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Ms. Christine Joy, Treasurer  
Mr. Pat Ciaramella



Industrial Revenue Bonds

None

Environmental Notifications

See Attachment

7. Old Business

- A. Update on 2016 District Local Technical Assistance (DLTA) Program. Pat Ciaramella, Executive Director.

8. New Business

- A. **Presentation – South Coast Rail Project Overview.** The South Coast Rail project will restore commuter rail service between Boston and the Massachusetts South Coast. Since service to this region ended in 1959, Taunton, Fall River and New Bedford are the only major cities within 50 miles of Boston lacking transit access to the City and other communities. South Coast Rail will reconnect this long-underserved region to jobs while spurring economic vitality and attracting new business and investments. MassDOT will update the Council on the status of all elements of the South Coast Rail project, and to discuss the next steps. *Jean C. Fox, Project Manager, South Coast Rail Project, MassDOT*
- B. Update on the **East Bridgewater Center Retail Market Analysis.** The analysis identifies a set of strategies to enhance the East Bridgewater Center business district, the most significant concentration of commercial activity in East Bridgewater. Eric Arbeene, Community Planner
- C. Legislative Highlights (An Act relative to job creation and workforce development (H. 4570), and An Act providing for financing of certain improvements to municipal roads and bridges (H. 4424)). Pat Ciaramella, Executive Director

9. Community Concerns

10. Other Business

11. Visitors Comments/Questions

12. Adjournment

*FUTURE MEETINGS: October 26, 2016, November 30, 2016, and January 25, 2017*

*(Executive Committee Meeting would be convened in the absence of a Council quorum)*