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Doyle's Pub may be reincarnated in the coming years, but not before going through some planning issues.

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## New year, old ways as SNA confronts Doyle's development

**Richard Heath**  
Staff Reporter

At its first meeting of the New Year on Jan 11, The Stonybrook Neighborhood Association (SNA) heard the third presentation by Watermark of its development for the Doyle's property at Washington and Williams Streets into 23 housing units, a grocer and restaurant in three buildings.

Despite criticism from the mayors' office and the Jamaica Plain Zoning Committee (JPZC) that SNA draws out its review process for too

long, SNA showed no indication that its subcommittee procedure would change.

Long-time steering committee member Jon McCurdy made this clear.

"This is a call to engage," he said. "The Doyle's subcommittee is a pushback on the [JP] zoning committee and the city."

Jessie Southwick of Rossmore Road joined McCurdy.

"We are the backstop against development," he said. "[Watermark] doesn't want to meet with the subcommittee."

Lindsey Santana of the mayor's office was on the zoom

call with 50 others to hear Lee Goodman of Watermark say how proud he was of his company's venture.

"We're very excited about Doyle's," he said as he introduced JP architect Elaine Scales.

"We have a tight team. All from Jamaica Plain. We want to keep [Doyle's] going for sentimental reasons as well as neighborhood reasons.

"We want to keep the mission of Doyle's running," he said, "with Brassica Kitchen and Café. They're for real.

**Doyle's**

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Martin Luther King Day will be celebrated virtually this year, but historically has been celebrated all over the city and Hyde Park, like at the Channing School shown above.

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## Hyde Park celebrates MLK's legacy and impacts

**Mary Ellen Gambon**  
Staff Reporter

The West Fairmount Hill Community Group (WFHCG) held a virtual discussion on Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.'s legacy and its impact on the nation as it struggles with social justice and the insurrection on the U.S. Capitol on Mon. Jan. 18.

Nearly 20 people participated in the 90-minute conversation, co-moderated by WFHCG co-chair Marcia Kimm Jackson and civil rights attorney and community leader Gretchen Van Ness.

As she opened the forum, Kimm Jackson called it "a journey to community connection and understanding and sharing." All of those objectives appeared to have been realized at the end,

as participants planned post-COVID-19 to engage in efforts to bring people together, such as neighborhood block parties.

Another idea that sprung from the discussion was the creation of a Hyde Park storytellers project. Proposed by Marco Curnen, an educator in the Cambridge Public Schools, members would gather multi-generational memories of Hyde Park.

The weight of King's legacy resonated with Van Ness as she spoke about the struggles in today's society.

"It feels like Martin Luther King Jr.'s words and his life's work are more relevant than ever," she said. One theme of the discussion was "how Hyde Park

**Fairmount**

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## 14 Mt. Hood expands, B'nai B'rith extends

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

The Boston Zoning Board of Appeals met on Jan. 12 and discussed several projects in West Roxbury and Brighton.

In Brighton, the Board voted to allow 14 Mt. Hood Rd. to increase its unit count from three to six. The variances for the proposal include basement units are forbidden, insufficient additional lot area per unit, excessive floor-to-area ratio (FAR), insufficient open space per unit, number of

habitable stories exceeded and no proposed parking.

Attorney representing B'nai B'rith Jeff Drago of Drago & Toscano said the current proposal has changed due to community input. He said originally a basement unit was proposed, but they took out that seventh unit and now have two bi-level units that have extensions of living space.

Drago said the footprint of the building will not change, but there will be the inclusion of a common utility room in

**ZBA**

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The B'nai B'rith development has been held up because of funding issues, according to the project's attorney at the Zoning Board of Appeals.

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the basement along with living space for two of the units, but he pointed out there are no bedrooms down there.

Boston Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services for Allston and Brighton Conor Newman said the office is in support of the proposal. He said due to the primary areas of concern for residents, they reduced the unit count and therefore received support from the Brighton Allston Improvement Association. The measure passed with ZBA Chair Christine Araujo in opposition.

In other news, B'nai B'rith's representative attorney Don Wiest requested a one-year extension on its approved project for 1208D and

1208C VFW Pkwy. in West Roxbury (formerly known as 270 Baker St.).

Wiest explained that the project had been sold to B'nai B'rith after it was approved for market rate housing, and the company plans to make it 100 percent affordable under the stipulations of Boston Mayor Marty Walsh's Inclusionary Development Policy (IDP).

"It's relying on public funds as well as private funds and their funding rounds can take a while to complete when seeking tax credit financing and because of the time of that process, we need an additional year," he said. "We are well advanced in that process and we have very good indi-

cations and support from the city. We simply require more time."

The ZBA voted unanimously to allow the extension.

Also in West Roxbury, the ZBA voted to deny without prejudice a 24-hour use for an incoming Planet Fitness at 1870 Centre St., formerly Boomerang's. But because of a technical glitch with one member's access to the virtual platform, the Board will have to meet on it again to vote, as member Edward Deveau could not hear the proposal and said he was not comfortable voting on the issue.

"Planet Fitness will take over all three stories; the basement, ground level and second story," said project representative Ryan Ivie. "As part of that we're also looking at a change in the facade

on the street side, we're re-using what was an enclosed existing opening for a second-story window and the only access to the building for daily use will be on the street side. The back entrance will be an emergency egress only."

Ivie said the security and safety of patrons will be regulated by a 24-hour onsite staff. Planet Fitness Director for Construction Chase Villafana said there are dozens of Planet Fitness locations in neighborhoods like West Roxbury, which is predominantly dense residential and commercial.

Boston Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services West Roxbury Representative Jack Duggan said the mayor wants to go on record in support.

"We had an abutters meeting back in September of 2020. There are several abutters in opposition because of the 24-hour nature of the project and the parking in the back and the nuisance and noise that could be happening," he said. "The applicant went in front of the West Roxbury Neighborhood Council in October and the council supported the applicant six to nothing with the stipulation that there's a six-month probationary period to ensure the surrounding

residential neighbors are satisfied regarding noise concerns."

He said if there are noise issues they have to go back to the neighborhood council to mediate those concerns. District 6 City Councilor Matt O'Malley, At-Large City Councilors Michael Flaherty and Anissa Essaibi-George all had representatives stating their support for the change.

Residents Steve Ang and Jason Camile said they opposed the use of a 24-hour operation because of noise and light pollution in the neighborhood.

"I am strongly against the business' 24-hour proposal," Ang said. "My understanding is the business has no plans to monitor or address any late-night activities. This is a residential neighborhood and I don't think our neighborhood should be an experiment to find out about this 24-hour noise and light proposal."

Local landlord Patricia Stanton said she is the landlord for 44 Corey St. and has three bedrooms right on the parking lot.

"Those tenants are vehemently opposed to this based on the noise these people deal with for 24-hours," Stanton said.



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# Dispute on book collections at BPL appears to find common ground

Jeff Sullivan  
Staff Reporter

The Boston Public Library (BPL) and the Boston Public Library Professional Staff Association (PSA) were in dispute regarding book collections (selections for purchase) in September of 2020.

The dispute, according to PSA Branch Representative and Roslindale Branch Librarian Celeste Bocchicchio-Chaudhri, has been existing for a number of years. It centers around the proposed centralization of BPL collection selection. Basically, every few years the BPL has pitched the idea to centralize book collection selections to the central office, and branch librarians have not been happy with it.

Bocchicchio-Chaudhri said this would be disadvantageous to local branches, as local librarians know what they should and should not pick for their particular branch.

Library officials said on background that the reorganization at the library has been an ongoing process, and it has changed several times due to community and staff feedback. The library has had a centralized collection development team for at least 15 years, but it did not actively select titles. They would build lists of titles and have librarians across the system select from it for their specific collections.

Bocchicchio-Chaudhri

said, as an example, there's a book called 'Terror in the Cradle of Liberty: How Boston Became a Center for Islamic Extremism,' which was written by the former head of the Americans for Peace and Tolerance, which has been labeled a hate group by American Muslim organizations.

"They've protested the opening of mosques in Roxbury," she said. "The library had already purchased a couple copies of this book. It's very much a hate treatise, and there are arguments for and against why the Boston Public Library might choose to buy a book written by a hate group. I mean if you're doing research on hate groups, you need to know what they're writing and I don't want to have a blanket censorship attitude towards such things, but after they purchased two copies to be held centrally, the people Downtown decided they needed to purchase an additional copy to be placed in the Roxbury branch that's next to the mosque the hate group was protesting."

As of publication, the collections ordering plan is to have four central staff select what could be referred to as universal picks, or books that are popular enough that every library would more than likely want to have them. A Promised Land, an autobiography from former President Barack Obama, for example, has already been ordered to allow



Not everybody got what they wanted, but Union representatives said it is good they will have autonomy in the coming year.

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for multiple copies for all branches. Other examples include books for resume building, bestsellers, health information, etc.

The BPL also states that librarians will be able to participate on one or more of the 17 collection teams, which build collections based on age ranges or interest.

The library's position is that this will free up time for the individual librarian branches to focus on their individual communities, for which the library is bringing back individual dedicated funding streams. Each location would have a set aside amount of money for specific collections to specific branches.

Bocchicchio-Chaudhri said she's happy to see those

dedicated funding streams be allocated, but as of The Bulletin's interviews with her, the plan including that information has not been released publicly to be verified.

"I definitely see it as a step in the right direction," she said. "I wish there was more of an acknowledgment that it was a change, as opposed to 'oh by the way we're doing this' and acting as if that was their plan all along. That was definitely not part of their plan all along."

"The specifics of how that money actually is distributed or tracked or used, none of that has been announced," she said. "We're taking it with a grain of salt to be honest, particularly because it is not in the official documents. We're going to have to pay

attention to the budgets and discussions happening to see where that money is coming from and see how it actually gets implemented."

Bocchicchio-Chaudhri said she wanted to thank the efforts of the community and her fellow staff members for getting to this outcome.

"It was absolutely because of our library patrons and people standing up," she said. "At this point we're waiting to see how things actually get implemented, because we know what they've said to us, but the details of how this will or will not work will come out in the next couple of months. At this point our goal is to do the best work that we can do as library staff."

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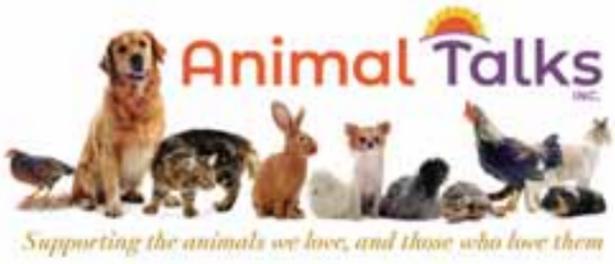
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## Shunning White Stadium

Just thinking. Things change almost daily about the vaccine distribution but I was just thinking about a vaccine site for Boston residents.

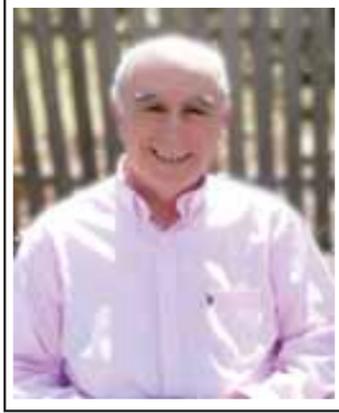
The edifice in Franklin Park, constructed between 1945-1949 from the largesse of philanthropist George Robert White, is no Gillette Stadium in terms of size, parking, and amenities. The 10,000-seat stadium in Dorchester, near the Jamaica Plain border, serves in non-COVID times as a playing field for Boston Public School football teams. In a by-gone era now defunct schools such as Jamaica Plain High, Roslindale High, South Boston High, Boston Tech, Roxbury Memorial, Hyde Park High, Dorchester High, and Boston Trade would compete against each other and the few Boston Public high schools remaining that still retain their names.

It also boasts of six lanes for track meets and field competition, although the six lanes encircling the football field do not conform to current requirements for state meets, which need eight lanes.

I have no idea what type of shape its restrooms, for the competitors and fans, are in; I shudder to think. But it has huge, cavernous underbellies on both sides in case vaccine distribution for city residents, such as Brookside, Dimock, and other such community health centers, are not able to host the traffic and the waiting lines. Hmmm.

Using White Stadium as a distribution center for the vaccine does offer lots of space and approaching roadways snaking throughout Franklin Park affords vast vehicular approach. Heated recovery areas could be set up underneath the stands on both sides or in nearby tents for the 15-minute watch after inoculation administration. Portable bathrooms could supplement the existent ones. Boston School Police, now underutilized, could direct vehicular traffic. For those without cars, which is a major issue for the city seniors, major bus routes run along abutting roadways.

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vaccine wants it as soon as possible. The roll-out of the inoculations won't win any awards for speed in just about every state. Here in Massachusetts images of turtles trudging along come to mind, rather than that of hoped for cheetahs, when the roll-out is imagined. It's too bad the head of Children's Hospital as well as the fire and police commissioners jumped to the head of the line when they themselves are not on the front lines of being first responders, nor are fleet mechanics, office managers, HR staff, payroll clerks, and such others—even when working for fire, police, and EMT services. Yes, their jobs are important but . . .

Speaking of queuing, I hope that the governor puts dentists and their assistants in a much higher priority. Aside from the fact they work so close to contagion, anyone with a lingering toothache may not be in a mood to make a correct decision in a hospital or in an emergency house call. And then there are daycare workers: many health care professionals and first responders cannot report for duty unless their little ones are provided for. They should be lumped in with teachers, if not elevated even more so: toddlers cannot sit in front of a Zoom connection as the vast majority of elementary and high school students can.

And when the actual queuing starts, may we all be as patient and orderly as the Brits when they line up to board buses.

On January 12, I held my final State of the City, which was broadcast live from Boston's newest civic treasure, the completely rebuilt Roxbury branch of the Boston Public Library in Nubian Square.

2020 was a tough year. 2021 is a year for healing as we keep each other safe; get through this final stretch of the pandemic; and build a recovery that moves all our neighborhoods forward.

Since the COVID-19 pandemic began, we have lost 1,077 Bostonians to COVID-19. They are loved and missed and their families are in my heart. COVID has affected all of us and it has hit some harder than others. Black, Latino, and immigrant communities faced the biggest impacts. Inequities in health, housing, and work opportunities caused more illness and job loss in these communities. Older Bostonians and those with disabilities face the highest risk and the most isolation. Most students have been out of classrooms since March, and families have struggled with childcare.

While 2020 was a year of struggle, it was also a year that brought out the best in our city. We saw nurses, doctors, and medical staff gearing up and going into battle to save lives and provide comfort. We saw EMTs on the frontlines of a pandemic, helping over 4,000 COVID-19 patients. Firefighters brought recovery coaches to calls, to help those struggling with addiction. Police officers took 800 guns off the street, keeping us safe no matter the risk. Essential workers and City employees answered the call, day after day. Residents stepped up to help each other in a thousand different ways. The heroes are all around us.

As a City, we came to-

## Thank You, Boston



Mayor's Column

Martin  
Walsh

gether. We built a field hospital in five days. We created a Health Inequities Task Force to address health disparities across race and ethnicity. We've provided over six million meals to children, families, veterans, and seniors. We got 40,000 laptops to students. We got permanent rental vouchers to over 1,000 families with children at risk of homelessness. And, we created the Boston Resiliency Fund, providing over \$30 million to help 250,000 households in need. And in 2020, despite the pandemic, we approved \$8.5 billion of new investment in our city, creating a potential 35,000 new jobs.

In 2021, we will continue that work. One of our next priorities is getting students safely back into Boston Public Schools. We will also continue to support small businesses, renters and homeowners, and those in recovery; push even further towards meeting our climate goals; and invest in Boston's parks and civic spaces that give our residents more opportunities to come together, safely.

We also need to address all the ways systemic racism hurts people in our city. The urgency of this work has never been more clear. Last

summer, George Floyd's murder sparked a long-overdue reckoning with racism. I thank Black Bostonians for the way you made your voices heard. And I thank everyone who joined the movement — Black, white, Latino, Asian, and indigenous peoples standing together. I'm asking all of us to accept this responsibility as our own and commit to fighting racism. It's our deepest moral obligation — and it's our greatest opportunity for growth.

We have tough days ahead of us. But we've been knocked down before, and we always get back up. In 2021, Boston will rise up again. We will leave no one behind, and our city will be stronger than ever.

As you might know, President-elect Joe Biden and Vice President-elect Kamala Harris have nominated me to be Labor Secretary in their administration. I have accepted this honor. If confirmed by the US Senate, I'm not going to Washington alone. I'm bringing Boston with me. This city is not just my hometown, it's my heart. I believe in Boston. This is the city that welcomed my immigrant parents. This is the city that picked me up when I needed a second chance. This is the city where I fought side by side with you for marriage equality, immigrant rights, addiction treatment, criminal justice reform, education funding, and good middle-class jobs.

Every minute of every day in this job, I spent listening to you, learning from you, working with you and working for you. I will never forget it, and I will forever be grateful. We may be hurting now, but the state of our city is resilient; the state of our city is united; the state of our city is hopeful; and the state of our city is deep-down Boston strong.

## Letters to the Editor

### DON'T LECTURE ME ON DR. KING

To the Editor:

I continue to be frustrated listening to liberal democrats like my own US Rep. Ayanna Pressley criticizing conservatives who actually were alive when Dr. King was talking the talk and walking the walk for racial justice in America. She seems to believe that too many of us have turned Rev. Martin Luther King Jr. into a two-dimensional figure, one either carved in stone or celebrated at MLK Day

breakfasts. That is her unverifiable opinion, but she has a right to say it without getting censored by anyone.

I resent that kind of arrogance. I don't have to be lectured about the radicalism of Dr. King in fighting for justice. I saw it firsthand. I lived through that troubling period in America. He was a constitutionalist and supported the Bill of Rights. He honored our founders and thought America was a special place on earth and worth fighting for. He

supported civil disobedience but never the violence we have seen over this past summer of 2020 in cities across America. He would be speaking out today against the killing fields of many of those cities where African American residents are killed repeatedly by bad actors in those same communities. Too many liberal democrats refuse to stand up against this wanton violence because seemingly it doesn't fit their

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The Haley School in Roslindale is hosting a book fair for its students, as it does every year. However with the state of affairs currently going on throughout the world, the event has gone to a local online platform.

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# RozzieBound Books hosting fundraiser for Haley book sale

**Jeff Sullivan**  
Staff Reporter

RozzieBound Books co-founder Roy Karp announced this week that 50 percent of all book sales for young readers will be going to the Friends of the Haley Pilot School organization as part of the Friends' online book sale.

This is the first time that RozzieBound has partnered with an organization for a specific book sale. Friends Co-Chair Elizabeth Sherva said the book sale came about because

of proximity. "Well, Roy's my neighbor," she said with a laugh. "I was just open, and I told him about our book sale and thought to partner with RozzieBound and we took it from there. I'd seen that RozzieBound had been partnering with other community members."

Sherva said the school usually puts on a book sale every year to help instill the habit of reading among the school's students, but this year, a physical book sale was just not in the cards.

"We do a scholastic book fair every year at the Haley and it just didn't work for us this year," she said. "We were trying to figure out how it could work, and I know that one of the schools in West Roxbury did a drive-up book sale, but those were all pre-packaged book packs and we just felt that that wasn't going to serve our community the best. The Haley is preschool to eighth grade so we have a wide variety of ages."

Karp said he worked with parents at the school to put to-

gether a list comprised of more than 200 books. Some may be familiar oldies, like Shel Silverstein or Harry Potter, but others are newer, like 'The Legend of Rock, Paper, Scissors' and the works of Alex Gino.

Karp said he's helped raise hundreds of dollars for local groups like the Roslindale Library, the Roslindale Mutual Aid Network Roslindale Cares, Greening Rozzie and the Louis D. Brown Peace Institute in Dorchester.

"We had a kind of special arrangement with them in that

we donated all proceeds for the year 2020 from our social justice and anti-racism books, and we ended up selling a lot of books in that category," he said. "That's a big seller right now because of Black Lives Matter and what went on."

Karp said these community partnerships help get young readers interested and brings attention to the local online seller, though Karp said the idea was never to only be online. He said once the pandemic is over

**Book Fair**

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# Council to consider supplemental sidewalk plowing service

Jeff Sullivan  
Staff Reporter

The Boston City Council met for its first regular council meeting of 2021 on Jan. 13 and called for a hearing to discuss more ways the city could remove snow on sidewalks, including the implementation of a supplemental plowing service offered by the city.

District 8 City Councilor Kenzie Bok called for the hearing, and said that many, many calls came to her office regarding property owners – who are legally responsible for clearing sidewalks in front of their buildings – who did not do the required clearing after the Dec. 17 snowstorm.

“In some cases, not cleared four or five days

later,” she said.

She said one big issue is that many property owners do not seem to be aware that if their sidewalk is next to an intersection with a crosswalk, they are required to shovel to that crosswalk. If that is neglected, then walkers create what she called “little goat paths” that are not as safe as shoveled sidewalks for pedestrians and are all but impassable for residents with mobility problems.

“You end up with these walls at some of our key intersections,” she said. “That’s okay for some of the more agile members of our community, but it can literally block many members from getting around in the days after a snowstorm. It’s a disaster if you have a

stroller, a walker, a wheelchair, or even a cane.”

Bok said this has always been a big issue for many more northerly cities, like Rochester, New York, where the city offers a supplemental sidewalk snow-clearing service for snowstorms with new daily accumulation of a certain number of inches.

“In Rochester, it’s for more than four inches of snow, and the city does the supplemental clearance, and they do it for about 800 and something miles of sidewalk,” she said. “They just run a bunch of sidewalk plow routes and they pay for it with a small additional assessment that’s very modest and I think people really appreciate the service.”

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Every Bostonian remembers the 2015 storm and a supplemental plowing service could have really helped.

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liberal narrative or agenda.

Of course King would be speaking out today against white supremacy, but also supporting good people of all colors working together for positive changes in our society. Many considered his views divisive in that time but he also fought for unity of purpose. He talked about character, not color and sought an America that was truly free and open to all people.

We need our elected officials pulling us together, not trying to separate us from one another.

Sal Giarratani  
East Boston

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he’ll start looking for a brick-and-mortar store, but right now that’s just not in the cards.

Sherva said fundraising right now has been tough for all community groups, as the usual big crowd fundraisers aren’t an option.

“I think it’s really tough for schools to fundraise right now, but obviously once we get back to a normal we want to hit the ground running and not miss a step for our kids,” she said. “We generally do an Election Day Bake Sale and a chocolate sale and we do a big family friendly spring spectacular at the Boston Nature Center, which we didn’t do last year and we’re not going to be able to do this year. A lot of the money we raise goes to experiential learning for the kids, we’re known for it. For example, we have a boat building program for the kids, some of the kids end up going to a farm camp and every grade has field trips.”

The book sale runs until Jan. 31. To take a look at the selection, go to [bookshop.org/lists/friends-of-the-haley-pilot-school-book-fair](https://bookshop.org/lists/friends-of-the-haley-pilot-school-book-fair). To check out the entire collection of RozzieBound Bookshop, go to <https://bookshop.org/shop/rozziebound>.

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She said there are different models for plow route priority and finance, and she's looking forward to going through all the nuts and bolts of a potential plan in the city.

District 6 City Councilor Matt O'Malley said he's for this new program since this has been an ongoing problem throughout the city, as many properties that are owned by state entities like the MBTA, the Massachusetts Department of Transportation and the city itself can be ignored or disputed as to who should be clearing them. Roslindale's Alexander the Great Park in front of the Roslindale Commuter Rail Station has had a sordid history of finger-pointing between city and state agencies as to who should clear it, and O'Malley said these hearings would be a great venue to get more attention to issues such as these. He also plugged his hydrant-clearing program, which entices residents to clear fire hydrants for the Boston Fire Department with the temptation of free ice cream.

"We've done hundreds and hundreds, if not thousands, of gift cards and I'll continue to do so for as long as I can," he said. "It's a great opportunity when there's no snow on the ground to gather all stakeholders and implement this."

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# Fairmount *continued from page 1*

could become more welcoming and inclusive and intersectional" in the spirit of King's philosophy.

The group was shown a nine-minute video of King's speech on "the other America" from April 1967. King described how the cities were confronting systemic problems, brought on by the "persistence of widespread poverty, of slums, and of tragic conditions of schools and of life." Riots emerged as a result of anger and despair.

While King said that "riots are socially destructive and self-defeating," he went on to explain that a riot is "the language of the unheard."

"It is as necessary for me to be as vigorous in condemning the conditions which cause persons to feel that they must engage in riotous activities, as it is for me to condemn riots," King said in the speech. "I think America must see that riots do not develop out of thin air. Certain conditions continue to exist in our society, which must be condemned as vigorously as we condemn riots."

In two breakout groups, participants examined King's message in the context of recent events. Another concept King brought up was time as a delay tactic, which was addressed. A third was that, if the law cannot change people's hearts, to describe alternate methods of outreach.

Attorney and community ac-

tivist Mimi Turchinetz, while not condoning violence, said that the insurrection earlier this month at the Capitol, "feels like it was the only thing that would have changed the hearts and minds of some of the most racist Republicans."

"There was a shift in our understanding of the depth and the breath of the racism in this country," she added. "Although I would never, ever say that it was inevitable or good, it created a series of contradictions that people could now look at, and there was a shift in some people."

Van Ness described it as "a wake up call," comparing it to the Black Lives Matter protests.

Curnen pointed out that the term "riot" was used often in BLM protests that were peaceful. However, the Capitol insurrection was described as a "protest" by many until the building was entered.

Joseph Smith, chair of the Fairmount Hill Neighborhood Association (FHNA), talked about how the busing crisis in Hyde Park in the 1970s has had a permanent impact on the neighborhood, which has suffered from stigmatization.

"There was such an exodus from Hyde Park in response to that issue that legislation was a negative force in bringing people together," he said. "Even to this day, when you talk about that issue, it becomes a very emotional

issue, not only with Black people but with white people who formerly lived in Hyde Park. It causes a lot of pain and suffering."

One of Hyde Park's strengths is that it is much more diverse and welcoming, he added.

Van Ness noted that Brown vs. Board of Education was decided by the Supreme Court in 1954. Yet Boston chose not to address racial inequality in the public schools until two decades later through busing.

"Imagine what it would have been like had our leadership stood up in the 1950s and said, 'This is correct. We support Brown vs. Board of Education, we're going to figure out a way to do it, and let's do this together,'" she said.

Kelly Bates noted the importance of youth engagement and teaching children the values of inclusion and diversity when they are young.

"We really need to listen to our young leaders about the ideas and the actions that we need to take," she said.

"Adulthood is a huge concept that can prohibit youth engagement in conversations," explained youth advocate Joe Okafor. "Resisting adulthood would be acknowledging that youth are on the same plane as you, not devaluing their opinions just because of the age difference."



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## Deaths

**ABORJAILY**

Mark G. of Dedham, formerly of West Roxbury, unexpectedly on January 13, 2021. He was 63 years old. Beloved son of the late Mary "Honey" (Moussally) and George Aborjaily. Loving brother of Paul G. Aborjaily of Florida. Please make contributions in Mark's memory to St. George Antiochian Orthodox Church, 55 Emmonsdale Rd., West Roxbury, MA 02132, [www.stgeorgeofboston.org](http://www.stgeorgeofboston.org) Graveside funeral prayers were said on Tuesday, January 19, 2021, at Mt. Benedict Cemetery. Guestbook at [www.KfouryFuneral.com](http://www.KfouryFuneral.com)

**ALLINGTON**

Fred, of Hyannis, formerly of West Roxbury, suddenly January 11, 2021. Beloved husband of the late Patricia (McDonough) Allington. Loving father, grandfather and uncle. Retired Engineer MBTA. Visitation will be held in the Robert J. Lawler and Crosby Funeral Home 1803 Centre St., WEST ROXBURY, on Thursday, Jan. 21, from 3:00 to 7:00pm. A funeral service will be held at 7:00pm. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Complete notice and guestbook at [lawlerfuneralhome.com](http://lawlerfuneralhome.com) All services are under Covid -19 guidelines.

**AMICO**



John E., of West Roxbury, age 83, passed away on January 10, 2021. Beloved husband of Suzanne (Glennon) for more than 60 years and loving father to four sons: John Jr., Robert J., Edward and his wife Rita, and Tommy and his wife Leah. Cherished grandfather of Robert W., Anna, William, Jake, Drew, and Luke. Devoted brother of Angelo Amico, Sister Roseann Amico CSJ, Grace Bertolino and Marguerite Pennini. Also survived by many nieces, nephews and cousins. John had an exemplary career with John Hancock Insurance, for more than 40 years. As he raised his sons, John was a devoted father, and consummate volunteer for all their sports leagues and school events. John faithfully served his country for four years with the US Army Reserves. A dedicated member of the Knights of Columbus for over 55 years, serving as Assistant Executive Secretary and former Master for the last 20 years, a 4th degree member and Past Grand Knight, Council #3049, West Roxbury. A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated in St. Theresa of Avila Church, 2078 Centre St., West

Roxbury. In lieu of flowers, please consider donating to: Sisters of St. Joseph of Boston, Mission Advancement Office, 637 Cambridge St., Brighton, MA 02135 [www.csjboston.org](http://www.csjboston.org) Lawler and Crosby Funeral Home [www.lawlerfuneralhome.com](http://www.lawlerfuneralhome.com) 617-323-5600.

**CONSTANTINO**

Olivia Mary (Panzini) of Hyde Park, died peacefully January 6, 2021. She was 97 years old. Olivia was a lifelong devoted parishioner of Most Precious Blood Church in Hyde Park. She was a former member of the Legion of Mary, the "High Flyers," and the "Jolly Aces." She was also a Eucharistic Minister for many years. Olivia was the daughter of the late Vincenzo and Concetta Panzini. Devoted wife of the late Armando Constantino. Loving mother of Marie Costa of Hyde Park and Donna Constantino of Hawaii. Sister of the late Catherine Paziienza, Anna Aprea and Antoinette Lazarovich. Proud grandmother of Wendy Costa of NH, Amy Costa of Las Vegas, and Mary McParland of FL. Proud great-grandmother of Tristan McParland of FL. Funeral Services will be private. Interment Knollwood Memorial Park, Canton. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated at a later date at Most Precious Blood Church, 25 Maple St., Hyde Park. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in her memory to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. [www.stjude.org](http://www.stjude.org) or to Most Precious Blood Parish. Arrangements by the Pushard Family Funeral Home, 210 Sherman St., CANTON. Pushard Family Funeral Home. [www.roache-pushard.com](http://www.roache-pushard.com)

**CREMINS**

Joan Pauline, Beloved Sister and Aunt Joan Pauline Cremins of Roslindale passed away on November 30, 2020 at the age of 75. Joan, daughter of the late James and Ann Cremins, was born and raised on the family farm in Westport, Co. Mayo, Ireland with her 7 brothers and sisters, where she lived until moving to Boston in 1962. Joan spent her career caring for others at the Lemuel Shattuck Hospital as a nursing assistant until her retirement in 1998. She was a fiercely independent spirit with a love for fun and a big laugh that will be deeply missed by her family. Joan was a loving sister and sister-in-law to James (Mary Ann), Thomas (Ann), Peter (Anne), Maureen (Jackie, deceased), Nancy (James), John (Maureen), and was preceded in death by her sister Noreen. She was also a beloved aunt to James, Nancy, Thomas, Annmarie, Dara, Nicole, Sandra, Ashling, Kieran, Joan, Rhona, Maeve, Aoife, Joan, Connor, and Danielle and a wonderful great-aunt to numerous great-nieces and great-nephews. As a tribute to her love of animals, especially her beloved late parrot, Gucci, memorial contributions may be made in her honor to the Massachusetts So-

ciety to the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals-Angell Animal Medical Center, Attn: Donations, 350 South Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02130. A private family Service will be held in Celebration of her Life.

**DATEO**

Denise F. Age 91, of Ogunquit, ME and formerly of West Roxbury, MA, passed away peacefully on Monday, January 11, 2021 at Sentry Hill, York, ME due to complications from Covid-19. Denise was born in Dedham, MA to George P. and Marie Y. (Bleuzen) Dateo. She grew up in Boston, MA and was a lifelong resident of West Roxbury, MA. She retired in 2014 to her summer home in Ogunquit, ME. She was educated in the Boston School system and received two double promotions, graduating in 1945 at the age of 16 from Boston Girls Latin School. She received her Bachelor's Degree in French from Emmanuel College in Boston, and her Master's Degree in French from Laval University in Quebec, Canada. Her proudest achievement was that at the age of 10 years, she was accepted to the Boston Conservatory as a student of piano. She enjoyed music her entire life. Denise also enjoyed travelling through Europe, visiting Greece, England, Ireland and especially France, where she visited her relatives in Brittany, France. Prior to her retirement, Denise was employed as a foreign language specialist for the F.W. Faxon Company of Boston and Westwood, MA. Denise was preceded in death by her parents, brothers George Dateo and wife Shirley of Framingham, MA, Francis Dateo of Bethel Park, PA, Paul Dateo of West Roxbury, MA, and sister Yvonne and her husband Alfred Jadis of Saugus, MA. She is survived by her brother Robert G. Dateo and his wife Patricia of Ogunquit, ME, sister Bernadette and her husband John Argenti of Watertown, MA, sisters-in-law Suzanne Dateo of Finleyville, PA, Millie Dateo of West Roxbury, MA, and 20 nieces and nephews, whom she loved dearly and who would all claim to be her favorite. She will be forever loved and missed by her family and those who knew her. In her memory, do a small act of kindness, raise a glass with someone you love, and laugh. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a donation in her memory to Special Olympics or to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. The family is especially thankful to the nursing staff and attendants of Sentry Hill at York Harbor, York, ME, for their devotion, commitment and care to Denise during these difficult times. Due to the precautions surrounding COVID-19, Services will be private with a Celebration of Denise's Life to be made at a later date when it is safe to gather.

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**DISTASIO**



Paul J. of Roslindale and Hyde Park, January 14, 2021. Beloved husband of the late Frances E. (Norton) DiStasio for 63 years. Devoted father of Mary G. Porzelt and her late husband Michael of Roslindale, Paul J. DiStasio and his late wife Barbara of ME and West Roxbury, Anne F. Riba of IL, Barbara C. Williamson and her husband John of West Roxbury, Karen M. DiStasio of Norwood, Todd DiStasio and his wife Rebecca of Attleboro, the late Michael G. DiStasio and Jeffrey J. DiStasio HM1 (SS), USN, and his surviving wife Dannette of VA. Loving grandfather to 19 grandchildren and 18 great-grandchildren. Also survived by many nieces, nephews and foster father to many children. Korean War Veteran, US Navy. Past Commander and adjutant of the Irving W. Adams American Legion Post 36, Roslindale. Funeral from the P.E. Murray-F.J. Higgins, George F. Doherty & Sons Funeral Home, 2000 Centre St., WEST ROXBURY. Private interment in Massachusetts National Cemetery, Bourne. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made in Paul's memory to St. Jude Children Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 36105. For directions and online guestbook, [pemurrayfuneral.com](http://pemurrayfuneral.com). George F. Doherty & Sons P.E. Murray-F.J. Higgins West Roxbury 617 325 2000.

**GALL**

Marie Toth Gall died on January 17, 2021 at Hebrew Senior Life in Roslindale, MA. "Mimi" as she was known to family and her Connecticut friends re-located to West Roxbury from Fairfield, CT in 2006 to be near her daughters Suzanne Gall Marsh and Victoria Gall. She lived at Sophia Snow Place in both Independent and Supportive Living. She served as president of the Residents Council, volunteered with Crafters Group, planned special programs with the Activities Directors including "Tea with Isabella Stewart Gardner", boat trips to Spectacle Island and a trip to the Museum of Fine Arts to view items donated by Sophia Snow, a benefactor of the Roxbury Home for Aged Women. Marie and her daughters were intrigued to learn more about Sophia Snow and did research for several years visiting libraries and archives. Their research culminated in a March 2020 presentation by Patty Roggeveen, president/CEO of Sophia Snow Place. Marie was born in 1924 in New Brunswick, New Jersey. She moved at an early age to Bridgeport, CT with her parents Barnabas P. Toth, Mary S. Toth and grandfather Joseph Sebock where they established deep roots in the Hungarian community. Her brother

Robert was born with special needs. Both parents were active in civic and community affairs. They nurtured the seeds of her wide ranging interests and activism. Marie met her late husband, Atty. Edward S. Gall, also of Hungarian descent, in Bridgeport. They married in 1949 and later divorced. "Eddie and Mimi" remained loving parents and steadfast supporters of each other. After the 1956 Hungarian Revolution Marie and her parents helped countless refugees who emigrated to the area. Marie volunteered at the International Institute, taught English and made life-long friends. Between 1957-1964 Marie earned a B.A. in History and M.S. in Elementary Education from the University of Bridgeport. She was a special education teacher and later the Executive Director of the Kennedy Center in Bridgeport, a support services organization started in 1951 by parent of children with disabilities and also the Executive Director of the Association of Retarded Citizens, New Haven. Girl Scouts were an important part of Marie's life. As a young adult she was selected to participate in Camp Edith Macy known as the Girl Scout University. During the early-mid 1960s she worked as a Unit Leader and Program Director for the summer day camp "Treeland" operated by the (former) Pequannock G.S. Council. In the mid-late 1980s she served on the Housatonic G.S. Council Board of Directors as Treasurer. Marie was a Real Estate Broker in her family's business the Toth Agency, later known as Toth-Formato, from 1976-1987. She served as Chairman, of the Urban Revitalization Committee, Greater Bridgeport Board of Realtors and was an instructor at Sacred Heart University Continuing Ed. Department for "Real Estate Practices and Principles." History was always a passion and she served on the Black Rock Community Council Steering Committee and was Chairman of the Black Rock "Walking Through History Tour." When the Bloodroot Vegetarian Restaurant and Bookstore opened in the Black Rock neighborhood, Marie was a regular and recommended the restaurant to countless number of people. For a few years she also washed dishes and took orders at the front desk. Marie was very proud of her Hungarian heritage and spoke the language. She and Vicky traveled to Budapest while it was still under Communist Regime. Other trips to Hungary were with a Road Scholar tour, with Suzanne and then Suzanne and son-in-law George Marsh. During these visits she renewed connections with relatives and purchased crafts that she sold through her Hungarian Folk Art business. Marie was a life-long volunteer juggling these activities with family, work and school. She drove for the American Cancer Society taking patients to medical appointments, helped the Red Cross with disaster relief, was an AIDS buddy, served on the Executive Committee of Jobs with Peace/Nuclear Arms Freeze, worked at the Audubon Birdcraft Museum in Fairfield, and organized the Bridgeport and Fairfield Stamp Clubs. Traveling and enjoying new experiences gave her much

pleasure. The "Gall Girls" visited family and friends around the United States and she made trips to Italy, England, Romania, Holland, Greece and Turkmenistan when Vicky served in the Peace Corps. Later in life Marie began working as a library aide at the Fairfield Public Library. This combined with her family and numerous community activities kept her more than busy. She enjoyed driving to Boston with her mother to visit "the girls." Marie is survived by Victoria Gall of Hyde Park, MA, Suzanne Gall Marsh and partner George Marsh of Roslindale, MA. In Marie's memory our family asks you to, "Do a good turn daily" the Girl Scout slogan since 1912. There will be a remembrance gathering later in 2021.

**GIUNTA**

Michael J. of West Roxbury, January 10, 2021. Beloved husband of Katherine (Mills). Loving father of Tracy Giunta O'Donnell, Kimberly Giunta and Sarah Giunta. Also survived by 5 grandchildren. Brother of Stephanie and Antoinette. A Funeral Mass in Holy Name Church, 1689 Centre St., West Roxbury, was held on Saturday, January. Former educator Boston Public Schools. For [www.gormleyfuneral.com](http://www.gormleyfuneral.com) William J. Gormley Funeral Service 617-323-8600.

**LANGLOIS**

Herbert J. Jr. "Herb" Sgt. BPD (ret.) of West Roxbury on January 14, 2021. Beloved husband of 43 years to Theresa M. "Terri" (Roby) Langlois. Loving father of Herbert J. "Rusty" Langlois, III of West Roxbury and James A. Langlois of Concord, NH. Dear brother of the late Elaine Cullen of Newton. Also survived by several nieces and nephews. Funeral from the William J. Gormley Funeral Home, 2055 Centre St., WEST ROXBURY. A Funeral Mass was celebrated on Wednesday, January 20th. Late Army Veteran and Purple Heart recipient Vietnam, late member and past president Boston Police Relief Assoc. For guestbook, visit [gormleyfuneral.com](http://gormleyfuneral.com) In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Boston Police Relief Association, 1249 Hyde Park Ave., Boston, MA 02136. William J. Gormley Funeral Service 617-323-8600.

**LIBERATORE**

Anthony Jr. of Roslindale, January 17, 2021. Dear and devoted husband of Janet (Gavin). Loving father of Paul Liberatore and his wife Liz of Dedham, Andrea Welch and her husband Carl of Mendon and Karen Liberatore of Hyde Park. Cherished grandfather, "Grumpy," of David and Noah Liberatore. Dear brother of Ralph Liberatore, Rita Liberatore and Laura Wiseman. Also survived by several loving nieces and nephews. Due to Covid-19 restrictions, Funeral Services will be private. A Celebration of Tony's Life will be held at a later date. Contributions in his memory may be made to United South End Settlements, 48 Rutland St., Boston, MA 02118, [uses.org/donate](http://uses.org/donate) Proud US Army Veteran of the Vietnam Era. Guestbook and other information at [www.KfouryFuneral.com](http://www.KfouryFuneral.com)

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court – Probate and Family Court Department

Suffolk Division **Docket No. SU16P2104EA**

**CITATION ON PETITION FOR ORDER OF COMPLETE SETTLEMENT** Suffolk Probate and Family Court  
24 New Chardon Street  
Boston, MA 02114  
617-788-8300

**Estate of:**  
Glendora McIlwain Putnam

A Petition for **Order of Complete Settlement** has been filed by:  
**James G. Bynoe of Roslindale, MA**

requesting that the court enter a formal Decree of Complete Settlement including the allowance of a final account and other such relief as may be requested in the Petition.

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. **You have a right to object to this proceeding.** To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00a.m. on the return day of **02/05/2021**.

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an Affidavit of Objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

**Witness, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court**  
Date: January 05, 2021  
Felix D Arroyo, Register of Probate

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

**CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION** **DOCKET No. SU20P2200EA**

**Estate of: Rosina Giammito** Suffolk Probate and Family Court  
24 New Chardon Street  
Boston, MA 02114  
617-788-8300

**Date of Death: 08/12/1970**

To all interested persons:  
A Petition for **Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative** has been filed by:  
**Ronald D. Spolino of Concord, MA**

requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that:  
**Ronald D. Spolino of Concord, MA and Kathleen Mehler of Franklin, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in an **unsupervised administration**.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 a.m. on the return day of **02/05/2021**. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Brian J. Dunn, First Justice of this Court.  
Date: December 29, 2020  
Felix D. Arroyo, Register of Probate

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**CITY OF BOSTON** B D 26

To the Public Safety Commission  
Committee on Licenses  
Inspectional Services Dept. Boston, MA December 30, 2020

**APPLICATION**

For the lawful use of herein-described building, and other structure, application is hereby made for a permit to erect a private-public-business-garage **16 vehicle parking garage** and also for a license to use the land on which such building or structure is/are or is/are to be situated for the Keeping-STORAGE and SALE of **320 gallons of gas in the tanks of vehicles**.

Location of land **100 Weld Street, Ward 19**  
Owner of land **Horizon Development LLC**  
**Address: 215 Burroughs Rd. Braintree, MA 02184**

Dimension of land Ft. front **130'**. Ft. deep **75'**. Area sq. ft. **11,800 sq. ft.**  
Number of buildings or structures on land, the use of which requires land to be licensed, one. **Manner of keeping in the tanks of vehicles.**

City of Boston. In Public Safety Commission, January 27, 2021. In the foregoing petition, it is hereby ORDERED, that notice be given by petitioner to all persons interested that this Committee will on Wednesday the 27 day of January at 10:00 am. o'clock A.M., consider the expediency of granting the prayer of said petition when any person objecting thereto may appear and be heard; said notice to be given by the publication of a copy of said petition with this order of notice thereon in the West Roxbury/Roslindale Bulletin Newspaper and by mailing by prepaid registered mail, not less than 7 days prior to such hearing, a copy to every owner of record of each parcel of land abutting on the parcel of land on which the building proposed to be erected for, or maintained as a garage is to be or is situated. Hearing to be held 1010 Massachusetts Ave, Boston, MA 02118.

A true copy,  
Attest: Brigid Kenny –White, Secretary  
Sean C. Lydon, Chairman  
John Dempsey  
Gregory Rooney  
COMMITTEE ON LICENSES

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They make excellent food. They hire people out of jail."

Over the grocer at the corner of Gartland Street a four story, 16-unit residence is planned with bold corner curtain walls.

"It's designed to be a highly recognizable building," Scales said. "An anchor in the neighborhood. There will be four units per floor each with a glass balcony."

Goodman said he'd like to get Foodies to operate the grocery.

"I think they're great," he said.

Goodman explained more about what he wanted to achieve.

"These V buildings, Vita and Velo, we're not like that," he said. "We're not trying to get a continuous block feel. We want a smaller feel. Not visually overwhelming with a substantial set back."

Scales said her design is not "historic restoration at all."

"We're saving some detail, but a lot will be rebuilt," she said.

Goodman agreed with Scales.

"The whole project is designed around the roof line of Doyle's," he added. "The sign board, the Boston brick, the windows, these are all jumping off points for the design." Alan Ihrer of William.s St was the first to comment

"It's a pretty good building in many ways," he said. "The building on Gartland Street, it needs to find ways to reduce the size. Some trade-offs. That's where the subcommittee comes in. It's reasonable for us to make requests because we live here."

Jennifer Uhrhane joined Ihrer in analyzing the building.

"The building is top heavy," she said. "The developer seems to think he's bringing back the Doyle's of his childhood, when it was a tourist attraction. But it's not. It will not be the same old place for families after soccer games. It's going to be different. Brassica has good food but very expensive."

Goodman explained that

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

**INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE** **DOCKET No. SU20P1997EA**

**Estate of: Joanne M. Bresnahan** Suffolk Division  
**Also Known As:**  
**Date of Death: April 27, 2020**

To all persons interested in the above-captioned estate, by Petition of  
Petitioner: **Anthony L. Bonanno of Stoughton, MA**

**Lisa A. Casale of Westwood, MA**

has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
The Trial Court Probate and Family Court

**INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE** **DOCKET No. SU20P2044EA**

**Estate of: Robert G. Nosky** Suffolk Division  
**Also Known As:**  
**Date of Death: September 5, 2020**

To all persons interested in the above-captioned estate, by Petition of  
Petitioner: **Suzanne Nosky of Hyde Park, MA**

**Suzanne Nosky of Hyde Park, MA**

has been informally appointed as the Personal Representative of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representative under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representative and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioner.

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there would be 22 assigned parking spaces in a stacker system plus 25 additional spaces for the restaurant and grocer.

"Brassica will have 16 parking spaces at the old Doyle's lot," he said, "with a drive through exit from Williams to Gartland."

Gopi Manchineela from Burnnet Street predicted there would be "significant parking problems."

Patty Vehle of Meehan Street predicted that it would generate noise, trash and rats. She wanted a "noise shell" on Williams Street to wall off the planned outdoor dining patio above the old Doyle's building.

Goodman explained to The Bulletin earlier in the day that the Boston Planning and Development Agency (BPDA) has advised him to hold off filing a letter of intent and a small project review because "they're backed up."

(The BPDA website has a job posting for an additional project manager.)

He told the SNA that ISD had not issued a rejection letter yet either but two objections would be height and change of use.

"According to ISD, it's two different projects with two different building permits but BPDA considers it one project under review," Goodman said.

As described by The Bulletin, Watermark proposes three buildings in two phases; a second phase would be a six-unit, three-story corner building at Meehan and Williams Street.

The virtual meeting dissolved into SNA process.

Goodman was surprised that there would be a parallel subcommittee review process. "I thought I was coming here to present the project," he said. "I've spoken a lot about this with ONS [Mayor's Office of Neighborhood Services]. I want to avoid excluding people."

"It's an important site," he said. "I'm not going to let six or seven people make decisions. I don't want to exclude people."

"I'm happy to take this and talk to people in the neighborhood," Goodman said, "but I'm not really prepared to give more presentations."

Meeting chair Paige Sparks said she had had a "pretty lengthy conversation" with Goodman about the subcommittee process.

"We'll form a Google group. It's pretty exciting," she said and asked that Goodman leave the Zoom call to make way for the next agenda item.

McCurdy wanted Goodman to understand the SNA goal.

"The subcommittee is now interested to dig down deeper to make a better development," he said. "For the most part this greatly improves development. I hope you don't feel like your time was not well spent."

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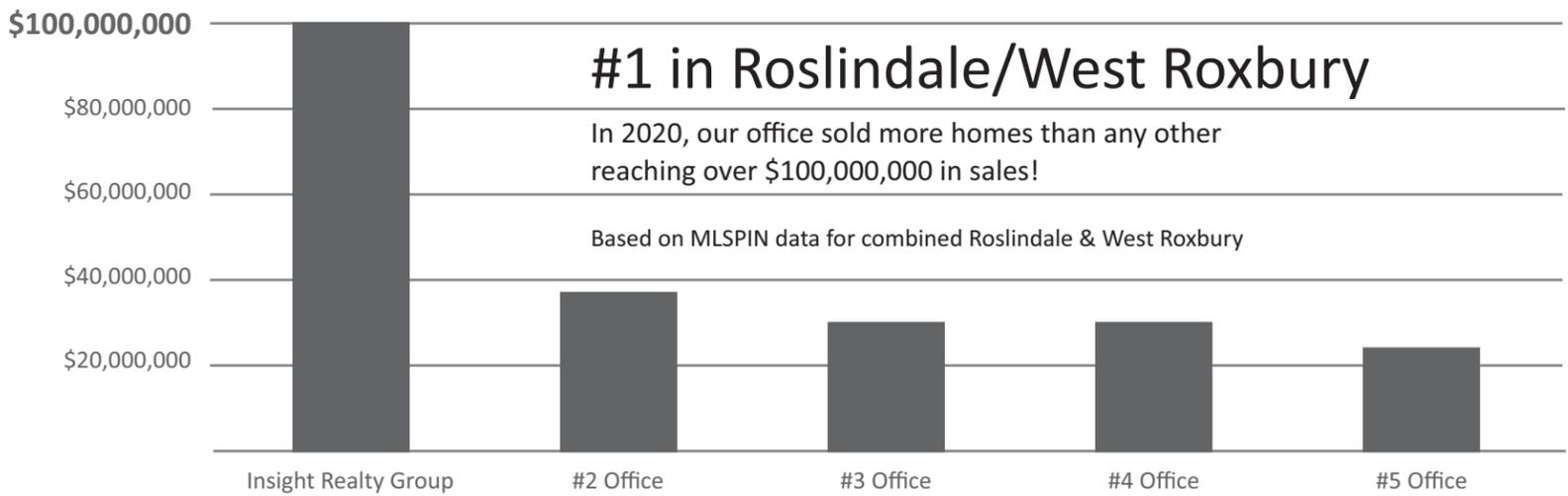
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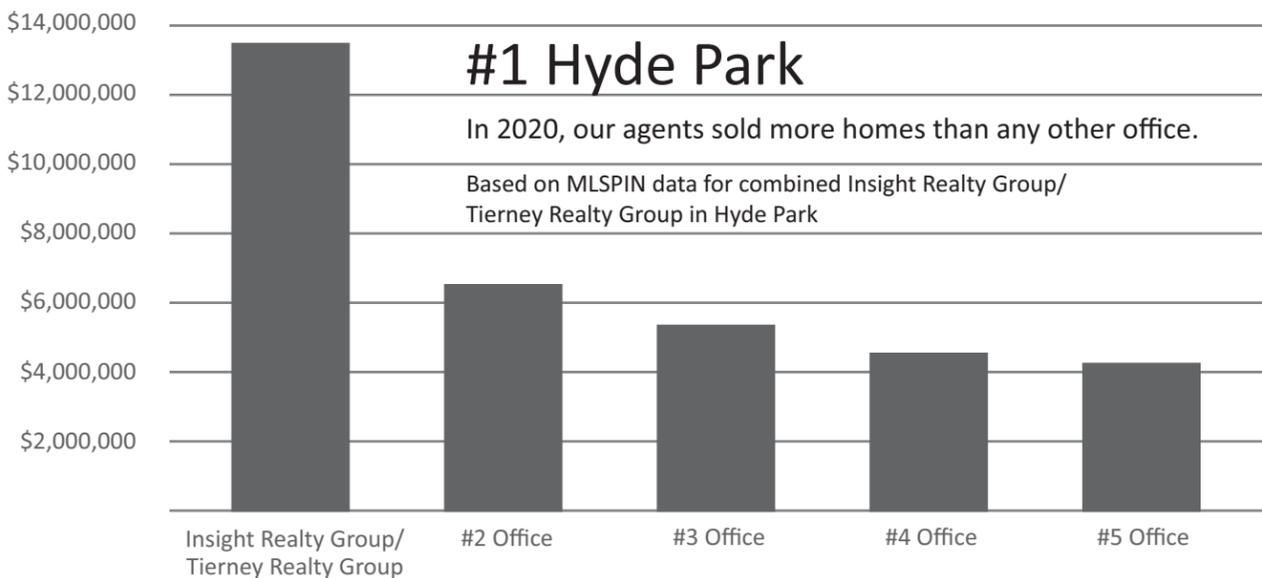


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