



NORWALK PLANNING & ZONING COMMISSION

125 East Avenue
Norwalk, Connecticut

MEMORANDUM

August 12, 2022

TO: Planning & Zoning Commission – Louis Schulman, Chairman
FROM: Bryan Baker, Principal Planner
SUBJECT: #2022-40 Special Appropriation – Norwalk Police Department – Purchase of vehicles

The Norwalk Police Department is requesting that the Planning & Zoning Commission review the special appropriation request for \$200,000 for the purchase of new police vehicles. The Police Department is requesting that \$200,000 be reallocated from their Communications line item of their budget to the Vehicles line item. Therefore, the special appropriation will not result in additional or unexpected spending.

Per [City Ordinance 30-11](#), any additional obligations (financial requests not included in the capital budget) must be referred to the Planning & Zoning Commission and acted on within 10 days of the receipt, which in this case is August 18, 2022.

The role of the Planning & Zoning Commission is to review the special appropriation request for consistency with the [Plan of Conservation and Development](#).

The following resolution is offered:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Norwalk Planning & Zoning Commission that application #2022-40 Special Appropriation – Norwalk Police Department – Purchase of vehicles be **APPROVED**.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the reasons for this action are to implement the following Plan of Conservation and Development goals, policies and actions:

1. To achieve Plan of Conservation and Development Goal #1 listed in Chapter 11: Public Facilities, Infrastructure & Services: *“Norwalk’s infrastructure and public facilities are resource-efficient, well-maintained, cost-effective, sustainable and resilient”* through Strategy B. *“Continue to update, modernize and maintain Norwalk’s infrastructure and city facilities”* by implementing action vi. *“Ensure Norwalk’s emergency services departments are provided with appropriate funding for equipment and facilities to provide superior service and maintain a high level of public safety;”* and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that notice of this action be forwarded to the Common Council.