

From: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>

Sent: Mar 11, 2025 01:30:15.000000000 UTC

Subject: RE: Please use these updated NFG one-pager and FAQ 10/27/2024

To: Shresta Chakilam <chakilamshresta@gmail.com>

I'm sure you will! Let us know how we can help.
BTW, I asked my MA NFG Task Force teammates if I could invite you to our next meeting. YES!
Monday March 17 probably at 6:30. I'll send you the link when I get it.

From: Shresta Chakilam <chakilamshresta@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, March 10, 2025 9:24 PM
To: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>
Subject: Re: Please use these updated NFG one-pager and FAQ 10/27/2024

Yes, I'll do my best to convince them!

On Mon, Mar 10, 2025 at 8:31 PM Buzby, Maureen
<mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org> wrote:

And we don't want them to wait. Might take three years meanwhile every day more young people get addicted to poisonous nicotine. We need lots of cities and towns to pass NFG to make it more likely that the state WILL pass it.

Sent from my iPhone

On Mar 10, 2025, at 8:18 PM, Shresta Chakilam
<chakilamshresta@gmail.com> wrote:

Thank you! I also reached out to the contact I have in the Natick Department of Health and it seems like they may not have any actual concern with the NFG bill but they are just waiting for the state to pass it first.

On Mon, Mar 10, 2025 at 7:03 PM Buzby, Maureen
<mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org> wrote:

Ah, you're right. I'll do that.

From: Shresta Chakilam <chakilamshresta@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, March 10, 2025 5:55 PM
To: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>
Subject: Re: FW: Please use these updated NFG one-pager and FAQ 10/27/2024

Wow, that's great! It's nice to hear that people are so interested.

I also just remembered someone you wanted to introduce me to... A "Dan Less"?

On Mon, Mar 10, 2025 at 3:39 PM Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org> wrote:

I did but by the time I got there the line was around the block. The auditorium was full so we got put in an overflow room. In fact, there were TWO overflow rooms. 1500 people! Lots of police presence. A few protestors across the street with bullhorns and Trump signs.

I got to speak with some interesting people and sat with our former Mayor who is also a friend. Two people I met – women in their 30's – have never done anything political before. Gald the runout was huge. I wouldn't have minded if we got turned away. We need more people to get involved.

From: Shresta Chakilam
<chakilamshresta@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, March 10, 2025 3:19 PM
To: Buzby, Maureen <mbuzby@cityofmelrose.org>
Subject: Re: FW: Please use these updated NFG one-pager and FAQ 10/27/2024

Hello Maureen,

Were you able to go to the Ed Marky event or were the seats full??

These materials are very helpful, I will use them to explain the NFG bill to others! I don't remember if there was anything else either...

Thank you for sharing my bill with the task force, it will be very helpful in moving this forward. I reached out to David Linsky to ask him about the status of it and he replied that it would be assigned in the next couple of weeks, so we'll see!

Best,

Shresta Chakilam

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