

**Tuesday**  
February 17, 2009 @ 7 p.m.

# Meeting

Blessed Mother  
Teresa of Calcutta  
Parish Hall

*This Tuesday's Agenda*

## Two Morrissey Boulevard Bridges Slated for Construction Soon



The **Department of Conservation & Recreation** is planning to reconstruct the **Mount Vernon Street Bridge** and the **Patten's Cove Bridge** beginning in **June 2009** with completion expected in **April 2010**. The Mount Vernon Street Bridge spans across Mount Vernon Street on the approach to the service road to Shaw's Market from the chute at Kosciusko Circle. The Patten's Cove Bridge is across from the University of Massachusetts. **Anne Fiesinger** DCR, Director of Public Outreach, **Paul Harrington** of **Fay, Spofford & Thorndike** and **Michael Misslin**, DCR Deputy Chief Engineer will give a joint presentation on how construction will affect the neighborhood.

## Police Reports

**Officers Jack Loan** and **Richard Doherty** of C6, **Officer Michael Keaney** of C11 and **Trooper Brian Dunn** from the **State Police** will give reports on activities affecting our neighborhood.

## Pope John Paul II Academy Operation Issues



Facilities Director **Bill Heenan** is invited to return to address traffic safety at the Columbia Campus of Pope John Paul II Academy. Parents continue to double park on Columbia Road during morning drop offs and afternoon pick-ups causing tie ups and other safety hazards.

## Mount Vernon St. Proposal Postponed Until March



**Doug George's** presentation on his proposal to construct six units of condominiums at 28 and 28A Mount Vernon Street will be postponed until the March 17 meeting. These are current sites of the driveway and garages abutting 26 Mount Vernon Street. Proposed architecture is similar to the modern three unit building Doug recently completed on Savin Hill Ave. (above).

## BRA Columbia Point Task Force



JFK T Stop – Possible Site of 25 Story Building

Task Force members will report on the January 24 meeting that was held to discuss plans for the JFK T Stop /Shaw's Market area. Two concerns for our neighborhood is the possibility of a 25 story building over the JFK T Stop and the possible reintroduction of the left hand turn for northbound traffic coming off 93.

## Please Be Alert After Dark

On a recent evening in the Sydney Street area, a resident walked from the T and was approached by three Caucasian individuals who attempted to rob the resident at knife point. One person was an older woman with chin length straight blond hair and glasses, another was a teen or young male in a snow hat, and the third was an older man in a gray hooded sweatshirt. The police were called and investigated but no arrest has been made as of this writing. This is a reminder to be very cautious after dark.

## By Law Revision Update

Within the coming months a draft by-law document will be complete and will be subject to the review of the membership.

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