ORDINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING AND PUBLIC HEARING JUNE 4, 2007

The Ordinance Committee of the Board of Aldermen held a meeting and public session on Monday, June 4, 2007. Chairman V. Ditchkus, Jr. called the meeting to order at 7:16 p.m. and read the public notice as posted in the New Haven Register on May 30, 2007

MEMBERS PRESENT

V. Ditchkus, Jr., Chairman J. Garbus, Vice Chairman B. Blake J. Politi N. Veccharelli

Chairman V. Ditchkus, Jr. opened the public session of the Ordinance Committee at 7:17 p.m. regarding the following Ordinance:

1. An Ordinance Enacting Chapter 18, Article XIX of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Milford establishing the Housatonic River Estuary Commission.

Speakers in Favor - None Speakers Opposed – None.

Chairman Ditchkus closed the public session at 7:18 p.m.

Ald. Politi and Ald. Garbus moved to waive the reading of the Ordinances in their entirety. Motion carried unanimously.

Ald. Garbus and Ald. Politi moved to forward to the full Board with a favorable recommendation An Ordinance Enacting Chapter 18, Article XIX of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Milford establishing the Housatonic River Estuary Commission.

Ald. Politi asked if there was any type of financial commitment for this commission.

Mayor Richetelli stated the wording pretty much follows that of the state. He explained the bill was introduced by Doc Gunther from Stratford and that the 7 area towns from the estuary have gotten together for form this committee. He read the language from the Ordinance. He stated he was not aware of any money being asked for.

Ald. Veccharelli asked what would happen if the 6 members cannot decide on the member at large.

Mayor Richetelli stated this is new and would follow under the dictates of state legislature.

Motion carried unanimously.

Ald. Blake and Ald. Politi moved to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.

The Committee adjourned at 7:21 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathleen K. Huber Board Secretary