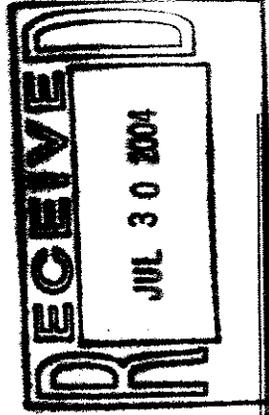




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July 14, 2004

Dear Member,

As you know, the Suburban Coalition works provides the legislature with a clear message about the needs of local communities in education, safety and basic municipal services. For over twenty years, the Coalition has spoken for communities like yours that do not have large populations, but do have real needs.

We are making progress. This past Spring, the Co-chairs of the Joint Ways and Means Committee chose our Legislative Breakfast as the forum to announce funding for some of the programs we have been fighting for over the past few years, such as increased funding for the SPED Circuit Breaker and regional school bus transportation and an increase in lottery funds to be returned to local communities.

The Suburban Coalition continues to address issues such as the over-reliance on the property tax to fund basic municipal services, adequate and equitable state funding for education and sufficient funding for public safety and infrastructure maintenance. We work in multiple ways to reinforce our message. Suburban Coalition members participate in forums, meet with state officials, present to other organizations, and speak in the media.

It's time to begin a new year of effort in bringing our message forward. Your membership in the Suburban Coalition gives us a louder voice on issues that touch all our communities. It is essential that our message be heard. Working together, we all benefit.

If you have any questions about the Suburban Coalition please call us at 781-326-2473 or email to dorothyprasser@suburbancoalition.org.

Sincerely,

Jerry Wasserman
Chairman

***No other organization
speaks specifically for
communities like yours and
mine!***

***It's time to renew your
membership in the
Suburban Coalition
so we can continue to
effectively communicate the
needs of your community.***



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FISCAL 2005 MEETING SCHEDULE

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Time</u> | <u>Location</u> |
|--|-------------|--------------------------|
| September 29, 2004 | 7:30PM | 1100 High Street, Dedham |
| November 3, 2004 | 7:30PM | TBD |
| February 9, 2005 | 7:30PM | TBD |
| March 23, 2005 | 7:30PM | TBD |
| Legislative Breakfast April 12 (Tentative) | 9:00AM | Statehouse, Great Hall |
| June 1, 2005 | 7:30PM | TBD |