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Director Port
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As we learn more about the approaching start dates for the Construction projects at the Central Waterfront (Bulkhead, Market Landing Phase 1, Culvert ,etc), I am inquiring about Plans to be made to ensure public safety as well as provide Access to amenities like the Boardwalk, Whale Watch, Harbor boat docks, Festivals, etc.

We've heard that these areas will be "fenced off", accesses To be blocked out, power disruptions, loss of parking etc. Much is riding on getting this coordination right.

Therefore, I'd like to suggest a meeting to be hosted by the PW/S committee bringing together all involved parties: Police, Fire, Harbor-Master, Waterfront Trust, DPS/Parks Dept, Parking Clerk.

The planned output should be a comprehensive plan that Ensures safety for both construction crews and visitors, and includes a regular communication rhythm.

Regards
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