

1 (c) In ordering sidewalk improvements without a petition and assessing the cost
2 thereof under authority of this section, the Council shall comply with the procedure
3 provided in Article 10 of Chapter 160A of the General Statutes, except those provisions
4 relating to the petition of property owners and the sufficiency thereof. The effect of the
5 act of levying assessments under the authority of this section is the same for all
6 purposes as if the assessments were levied under the authority of Article 10 of Chapter
7 160A of the General Statutes.

8 (d) For purposes of this section, the term 'sidewalk improvement' includes
9 grading, regrading, surfacing, resurfacing, widening, paving, repaving, the acquisition
10 of right-of-way, and the construction or reconstruction of curb, gutters, and street
11 drainage facilities."

Sec. 2. This act is effective upon ratification.