



**City Of Boston • Massachusetts
Office of the Acting Mayor
Kim Janey**

09-24-2021

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS **(\$500,000.00)** in the form of a grant, FY21 Gus Schumacher Nutrition Incentive Program, awarded by National Institute of Food and Agriculture- USDA to be administered by the Office of Food Access.

The grant would fund projects to increase the purchase of fresh fruits and vegetables by low-income SNAP consumers.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order so that the City of Boston may accept the funds expeditiously and expend them upon award for the purposes for which they are granted.

Sincerely,

Kim Janey
Acting Mayor of Boston



City Council Order

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY21 Gus Schumacher Nutrition Incentive Program FUNDS, AWARDED BY National Institute of Food and Agriculture- USDA.

WHEREAS, the National Institute of Food and Agriculture- USDA, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Office of Food Access; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$500,000.00**) would fund projects to increase the purchase of fresh fruits and vegetables by low-income SNAP consumers. Therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the National Institute of Food and Agriculture- USDA, FY21 Gus Schumacher Nutrition Incentive Program award not to exceed the amount of FIVE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$500,000.00**).

Docket # _____

**In City Council
Passed** _____

City Clerk

Acting Mayor

Approved _____

I hereby certify that
the foregoing, if passed in
the above form, will be in
accordance with law.

by Henry C. Luthin

Henry C. Luthin
Corporation Counsel