



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
MICHELLE WU

July 20, 2026

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors,

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant from the Boston Planning and Development Agency in an amount not to exceed Eight Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars (**\$810,000.00**) for costs related to the enhancement of Phillips Square in the Chinatown section of the city of Boston.

I urge your honorable body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston, specifically the Boston Transportation Department, may accept and expend these funds expeditiously for streetscape enhancements.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND A GRANT AWARD IN THE AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED EIGHT HUNDRED AND TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$810,000) FROM THE BOSTON PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY FOR THE PHILLIPS SQUARE PROJECT

ORDERED: That the City of Boston, acting by and through the Boston Transportation Department, be, and hereby is, authorized pursuant to Section 53A of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a grant award in an amount not to exceed EIGHT HUNDRED AND TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$810,000.00) from the Boston Planning and Development Agency, for an improvement project to Phillips Square to be completed by the Boston Transportation Department.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**
BY [Signature] 7/17
MICHAEL FIRESTONE
CORPORATION COUNSEL (FW)