



ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR MATTERS PRESENTED TO THE CITY CLERK PRIOR TO 10:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2023 FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING IN THE CHRISTOPHER IANNELLA CHAMBER ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2023 AT 12:00 P.M.

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## **ROLL CALL**

## **APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES**

## **COMMUNICATIONS FROM HER HONOR, THE MAYOR:**

- 1434** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Four Million One Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars, (\$4,125,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the FY24 Public Safety Answering Point Support and Incentive Grant, awarded by the MA Executive Office of Public Safety & Security to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund costs associated with providing Enhanced 911 services.
- 1435** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Million Six Hundred Twenty Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty-Two Dollars (\$1,620,752.00) in the form of a grant for the State FY24 Council on Aging formula allocation, awarded by the MA Executive Office of Elder Affairs to be administered by the Age Strong Commission. The grant will fund social and health care services for 115,768 older adults in the City of Boston at \$14 per person, according to 2020 Census data from UMass Boston Donahue Institute.

[1436](#) Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Eight Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$850,000.00) in the form of a grant for the FY21 Boston Regional Intelligence Center Earmark, awarded by the MA Executive Office of Public Safety & Security to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund upgrading, expanding, and integrating technology and protocols related to anti-terrorism, anti-crime, anti-gang and emergency response.

[1437](#) Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Eight Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$850,000.00) in the form of a grant for the FY22 Boston Regional Intelligence Center Earmark, awarded by the MA Executive Office of Public Safety & Security to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund upgrading, expanding, and integrating technology and protocols related to anti-terrorism, anti-crime, anti-gang and emergency response.

[1438](#) Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Eight Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$850,000.00) in the form of a grant for the FY23 Boston Regional Intelligence Center Earmark, awarded by the MA Executive Office of Public Safety & Security to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund upgrading, expanding, and integrating technology and protocols related to anti-terrorism, anti-crime, anti-gang and emergency response.

[1439](#) Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Two Hundred Eighty-Three Thousand Dollars (\$283,000.00) in the form of grant for the Mass Gaming-Pao Art Center, awarded by the Massachusetts Gaming Commission to be administered by the Office of Human Services. The grant will fund programming for seniors in the Chinatown neighborhood of Boston.

## **PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES**

### **REPORTS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND OTHERS:**

[1440](#) Communication was received from the City Clerk transmitting a communication from the Boston Landmarks Commission for City Council action on the designation of Hotel Buckminster, 635 - 645 Beacon Street, Boston, MA, as a Landmark (In effect after September 24, 2023 if not acted upon).

[1441](#) Communication was received from City Council President Flynn regarding updated City Council committee assignments.

[1442](#) Notice was received from John Karoff regarding his resignation as Commissioner from the Fort Point Landmark District Commission, effective September 14, 2023.

[1443](#) Communication was received from the City Clerk regarding the 2022 - 2023 University Accountability-Statistical Report.

[1444](#) Communication from Councilor Flaherty regarding the Satanic Temple lawsuit against the City of Boston.

[1445](#) Notice was received from the Mayor of her absence from the City from Tuesday August 29, 2023 at 5:00 P.M. returning Friday, September 1, 2023 at 5:00 P.M.

#### **REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:**

[0104](#) The Committee on Planning, Development and Transportation, to which was referred on September 28, 2022, Docket #0104, message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Alaa Mukahhal as a member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring May 1, 2024, submits a report recommending the appointment ought to be confirmed.

[1283](#) The Committee on Planning, Development and Transportation, to which was referred August 9, 2023, Docket #1283, message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Raheem Shepard as a member of the Boston Planning and Development Agency Board, for a term expiring August 15, 2028, submits a report recommending the appointment ought to be confirmed in a new draft.

[1285](#) The Committee on Planning, Development and Transportation, to which was referred August 9, 2023, Docket #1285, message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Priscilla Rojas as a member of the Boston Planning and Development Agency Board, for a term expiring September 17, 2026, submits a report recommending the appointment ought to be confirmed in a new draft.

#### **MATTERS RECENTLY HEARD-FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:**

#### **MOTIONS, ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS:**

[1446](#) Ordinance Preventing Wage Theft in the City of Boston.

[1447](#) Resolution Calling for a State of Emergency at the Intersection of Massachusetts Avenue and Melnea Cass Boulevard

[1448](#) Resolution recognizing Latino Heritage Month in the City of Boston from September 15 to October 15.

[1449](#) Order for a hearing to review the mental health and wellness resources available to City of Boston employees during the Covid-19 pandemic and beyond.

[1450](#) Order for a hearing to discuss the humanitarian crisis at the intersection of Massachusetts Avenue and Melnea Cass Boulevard.

**PERSONNEL ORDERS:**

[1451](#) Councilor Flynn for Councilor Worrell offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Matthew Martinelli in City Council, effective September 14, 2023.

[1452](#) Councilor Flynn for Councilor Worrell offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Anushree Sahay in City Council, effective September 15, 2023.

[1453](#) Councilor Flynn for Councilor Worrell offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Bruce Broisman in City Council, effective September 23, 2023.

[1454](#) Councilor Flynn for Councilor Louijuene offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employees Lucy Humphrey and Isabel Slater in City Council, effective September 23, 2023.

**GREEN SHEETS:**

[13/23](#) Legislative Calendar for September 13, 2023.

**CONSENT AGENDA:**

[1455](#) Resolution in memory of Richard "Dick" G. Marques.

[1456](#) Resolution in memory of Dr. Susan Love.

[1457](#) Resolution in memory of Brian Francis Clougher.

[1458](#) Resolution in memory of Rita Alvarado.

[1459](#) Resolution recognizing Montreuil Chrispin.

[1460](#) Resolution recognizing Marie Immacula Semé.

[1461](#) Resolution congratulating Yvette "Mimi" Hanley.

- [1462](#) Resolution recognizing 6 people for their support of the East Boston Community Soup Kitchen.
- [1463](#) Resolution recognizing Comites Boston.
- [1464](#) Resolution recognizing Anthony Pino.
- [1465](#) Resolution recognizing Sandra Downing.
- [1466](#) Resolution recognizing James R. Parker Jr.
- [1467](#) Resolution recognizing Lily Huang for her hard work.
- [1468](#) Resolution congratulating Nicholas Arsenault as part of Boston University's Class of 2023.
- [1469](#) Resolution in memory of Janice Williams
- [1470](#) Resolution recognizing 22 people for participating in Runway for Mom Boston 2023.
- [1471](#) Resolution recognizing the 2023 World Open Martial Arts Championship (WOMAC).