



**August 06, 2025**

A regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Boston was held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall on Wednesday, August 6, 2025 at 12:10 P.M.

President Louijeune in the Chair. Absent Councilor Pepen.

Apostle Frank E. Kelley and Pastor R.G. Weathers II, Way of the Cross, delivered the invocation and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance.

The Chair moved to adopt the minutes from the July 9, 2025 meeting. Motion prevailed.

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- 1400** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Three Million Nine Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand Nine Hundred Dollars (\$3,966,900.00) in the form of a grant, for the FY26 Safe and Successful Youth Initiative Grant, awarded by the Massachusetts Executive Office of Health and Human Services to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund a comprehensive, interagency strategy that connects law enforcement, employment, education, public health and youth development agencies to reduce youth violence in the Commonwealth. Referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Criminal Justice.
- 1401** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Three Million Eight Hundred Forty-Two Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$3,842,600.00) awarded by the Massachusetts Department of Transportation to be administered by the Transportation Department. The grant will fund the replacement and construction of all sidewalks and safety ornamental fencing of all Massachusetts Department of Transportation property along Riverview Road, and the creation of a passive part at the corner of Vineland Street and North Beacon Street in Brighton. The rules were suspended; the order was passed.
- 1402** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant from the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority in an amount not to exceed Five Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$550,000.00) for construction cost relative to improving the sidewalk and bus loading and unloading on Saint James Street bordering Copley in the Back Bay section of the City of Boston. The rules were suspended; the order was passed.
- 1403** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Thirty-Six Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-Two Dollars and Thirty-Five Cents (\$136,722.35) in the form of a grant, from the Shelter Supplemental Funding Grant, awarded by the MassHire Department of Career Services to be administered by the Office of Workforce Development. The grant will fund MassHire Career Centers with supplemental funding to support emergency assistance (EA) shelter residents with training and employment opportunities. Referred to the Committee on Labor, Workforce, and Economic Development.
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- 1404** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$130,000.00) in the form of a grant for the HBS Leadership Fellow Grant, awarded by the Harvard Business School to be administered by the Mayor's Office. The grant will fund the HBS Leadership Fellow position which will provide 1 year of support to the Mayor's Office.  
The rules were suspended; the order was passed.
- 1405** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$120,000.00) in the form of a grant for the Northeastern and W. T. Grant Foundation Grant, awarded by the William T. Grant Foundation, passed through Northeastern University, to be administered by the OYEO Administration. The grant will fund OYEO staff member to design, implement, and maintain a new hiring platform for the City to support both the summer and year-round programs. Referred to the Committee on Labor, Workforce, and Economic Development.
- 1406** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$70,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the Friends of Youth Opportunities Boston State Street Grant, awarded by the Boston State Street Global Advisors to be administered by the Office of Workforce Development. The grant will fund opportunities for young people ages 14-24 to work and learn along with intensive staff support. Referred to the Committee on Labor, Workforce, and Economic Development.
- 1407** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the Friends of Youth Opportunities Boston Grant, awarded by the Baupost Group to be administered by the Office of Workforce Development. The grant will fund opportunities for young people ages 14-24 to work and learn along with intensive staff support.  
Referred to the Committee on Labor, Workforce, and Economic Development.
- 1408** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Forty-Five Thousand Six Hundred Eighty-Three Dollars and Three Cents (\$45,683.03) in the form of a grant, awarded by the USDA-Food & Nutrition Service, passed through the MassHire Department of Career Services, to be administered by the Office of Workforce Development. The grant will fund enhanced job search services for TAFDC and SNAP participants including career counseling, workshops, job fairs, and free job searches through Boston's MassHire Career Centers.  
Referred to the Committee on Labor, Workforce, and Economic Development.
- 1409** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars and One Cent (\$10,000.01) in the form of a grant, for the FY23 National Violent Death Reporting System, awarded by the MA Department of Public Health to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund data collection by the Bureau of Investigative Services and the Drug Control Unit.  
Referred to the Committee on Public Safety & Criminal Justice.

- 1410** Message and order transmitting for your approval an Order approving the receipt of a Conservation Restriction on land at 217,221,223-225, & 227-231 Norwell Street, Boston, MA 02124.  
The rules were suspended; the order was passed; yeas 10, not present 1 (Flynn), absent 1 (Pepen).
- 1411** Message and order for your approval an Order To Adopt The Liquor License Conversion as a Local Option in the City of Boston.  
Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.
- 1412** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Celina Barrios-Millner as a Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal, for a term expiring May 1, 2028.  
Referred to the Committee on Planning, Development & Transportation.
- 1413** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Anabela Gomes as a Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal, for a term expiring May 1, 2028.  
Referred to the Committee on Planning, Development & Transportation.
- 1414** Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Lauren Woo as a member of the Boston School Committee Nominating Panel, effective immediately.  
Placed on file.
- 1415** Notice was received from the Mayor of her absence from the City from Monday July 21, 2025 at 9:00 A.M., returning Sunday July, 27, 2025 at 2:00 P.M.  
Placed on file.
- 1416** Notice was received from the Auditing Department providing the Fiscal Year 2026 Payroll Allotment Schedules for all City Departments.  
Placed on file.
- 1417** Notice was received from Councilor Louijeune of her absence from the City from Monday, July 21, 2025 until Wednesday, July, 23, 2025.  
Placed on file.
- 1418** Notice was received from the City Clerk in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979 re: action taken by the Mayor on papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of July 9, 2025.  
Placed on file.
- 1419** Notice was received from the City Clerk in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979 re: action taken by the Mayor on papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of March 12, 2025.  
Placed on file.
- 1420** Communication was received from Councilors FitzGerald, Flynn and Murphy regarding a letter of support for Teamsters Local 25.  
Placed on file.
- 1421** Communication from Councilor Flynn regarding Public Safety at Orchard Gardens School.  
Placed on file.
- 1422** Communication from Councilor Flynn regarding Public Safety in the South End and Roxbury.  
Placed on file.

- 1423** Communication from Councilor Flynn regarding Drone Safety.  
Placed on file.
- 1424** Communication in support of Massachusetts House Bill 3731 (H.3731), "An Act to Enhance Pedestrian Safety".  
Placed on file.
- 1425** Communication from Councilor Flynn regarding public health & safety concerns at 270 Dorchester Ave.  
Placed on file.
- 1426** Communications from Councilors Murphy, Fitzgerald, Flynn re Docket #1099.  
Placed on file.
- 1427** Communication was received from the Mayor's Office of Housing regarding the Short-Term Rentals 2025 Report to the Boston City Council. Referred to the Committee on Housing and Community Development.
- 1428** The Constable Bonds of Corita Miles, Nicola U. Tritta and Charles MBA having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer were received and approved under the usual terms and conditions.
- 1429** Communication was received from the City Clerk transmitting a communication from the Boston Landmarks Commission for City Council action on the designation of the petition #292.24, 19 Kenton Road, Jamaica Plain, MA, as a Landmark (In effect after August 10, 2025 if not acted upon).  
On motion of Councilor Durkan, the rules were suspended; the designation was passed.
- 1430** Communication was received from the City Clerk transmitting a communication from the Boston Landmarks Commission for City Council action on the designation of the petition #225.07, The Anna Harris Smith House, 65 Pleasant Street, Dorchester, MA, as a Landmark (In effect after September 4, 2025 if not acted upon).  
On motion of Councilor Durkan, the rules were suspended; the designation was passed.

Councilor Weber, on behalf of the Committee on Civil Rights, Racial Equity and Immigrant Advancement, submitted the following:

- 0890** On the message and order, referred on April 16, 2025, Docket #0890, authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) in the form of a grant for the Immigrant Advancement Fund Grant, awarded by the Boston Foundation to be administered by the Office of Immigrant Advancement. The grant will fund programs, initiatives, events and small grants that enable immigrants to play an active role in the economic, civic, social and cultural life of the City of Boston, the committee submitted a report recommending that the order ought to pass.

The report was accepted; the order was passed.

Councilor Santana, on behalf of the Committee on Public Safety & Criminal Justice, submitted the following:

- 0893** On the message and order, referred on April 16, 2025, Docket #0893, authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$120,000.00) in the form of a grant for the CJP Communal Security Initiative, awarded by the Combined Jewish Philanthropies to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund the installation of CCTV cameras outside the Jewish institutions, to be monitored by the Police Department, in hopes of protecting faith based institutions, the committee submitted a report recommending that the order ought to pass.  
The report was accepted; the order was passed.
- 1261** On the message and order, referred on June 25, 2025, Docket #1261, authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Two Hundred Fifty-One Thousand One Hundred Forty-Five Dollars (\$251,145.00) in the form of a grant, for the MA Innocence and Conviction Integrity Collaboration Grant, awarded by the United States Department of Justice, passed through the Committee for Public Counsel Services, to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund the BPD Crime Lab staff time for the Massachusetts Innocence and Conviction Integrity Collaboration Project, the committee submitted a report recommending that the order ought to pass.  
The report was accepted; the order was passed.
- 0474** Order for a hearing to assess the efficacy of the City of Boston Municipal Code's University Accountability Ordinance.  
Remains in the Committee on Housing and Community Development.
- 1431** **Councilor Flynn and Murphy offered the following:** Ordinance to establish an Office of Pest Control in the City of Boston.  
Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.
- 1432** **Councilor Santana, Murphy, Flynn, FitzGerald, Louijeune, Mejia, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Ordinance Regarding the Safety and Efficacy of Commercial Autonomous Vehicle Operations Relative to Workers, Emergency First Responders, and Residents in the City of Boston.  
On motion of Councilors Santana and Murphy, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilor Flynn as an original co-sponsor.  
Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.
- 1433** **Councilor Murphy, Flynn, FitzGerald, Mejia, Santana and Weber offered the following:** Ordinance Amending the City of Boston Code of Ordinances by Adding a New Provision to Chapter 23, Trash and Refusal Disposal to Require Rat-Resistant Trash Containers in Neighborhoods with High Rodent Activity.  
Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.
- 1434** **Councilor Santana, FitzGerald, Weber, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, Flynn, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy and Worrell offered the following:** Ordinance Codifying the Office of Youth Engagement and Advancement.  
On motion of Councilor Santana, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilors FitzGerald and Weber as original co-sponsors.  
Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.
- 1435** WITHDRAWN



- 1436 Councilor Murphy, Flynn, Mejia, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Louijeune, Santana, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing to assess the implementation of the City of Boston's Municipal Digital Equity Plan and explore next steps to close the digital divide.  
On motion of Councilor Murphy, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilors Mejia and Flynn as original co-sponsors.  
Referred to the Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology.
- 1437 Councilor Murphy, Flynn, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, FitzGerald, Louijeune, Mejia, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing to review building safety protocols, 311 complaint response, and scaffold oversight in the City of Boston.  
Referred to the Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology.
- 1438 Councilor Murphy, Flynn, Mejia, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, FitzGerald, Louijeune, Santana, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing regarding the status and future of the Blackstone Community Center Pool.  
On motion of Councilors Murphy and Flynn, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilor Mejia as original co-sponsor.  
Referred to the Committee on Strong Women, Families, and Communities.
- 1439 Councilor Mejia, Worrell, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Murphy, Santana and Weber offered the following:** Order for a hearing to audit child care investments and the financial stability of Family Child Care providers.  
Referred to the Committee on Government Accountability, Transparency, and Accessibility.
- 1440 Councilor Mejia, Murphy, Worrell, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Santana and Weber offered the following:** Order for a hearing to review public expenditures and fiscal oversight related to homeownership investments in Boston.  
On motion of Councilor Mejia, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilors Worrell and Murphy as original co-sponsors.  
Referred to the Committee on Housing and Community Development.
- 1441 WITHDRAWN**
- 1442 Councilor Mejia, Breadon, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Murphy, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing to review expenditures associated with the nominating panel and the school committee appointment process.  
Referred to the Committee on Education.
- 1443 Councilor Louijeune, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Flynn, Mejia, Murphy, Santana, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing on equitable contracting and business opportunities for major civic and sporting events in Boston.  
Councilor Worrell in the Chair.  
Referred to the Committee on Arts, Culture, Entertainment, Tourism & Special Events.

- 1444 Councilor Louijeune, Mejia, Worrell, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Flynn, Murphy, Santana and Weber offered the following:** Order for a hearing for equitable investment strategies in tourism funds in Boston.  
On motion of Councilor Louijeune, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilors Worrell and Mejia as original co-sponsors.  
Referred to the Committee on Arts, Culture, Entertainment, Tourism & Special Events.
- 1445 Councilor Flynn, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, FitzGerald, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy, Santana, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing to discuss security at high-rise garages in the City of Boston.  
Councilor Louijeune in the chair.  
Referred to the Committee on Public Health, Homelessness, and Recovery.
- 1446 Councilor Mejia, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Louijeune, Murphy, Santana, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing to review past expenditures through quarterly updates on the FY2026 operating budget.  
Referred to the Committee on Government Accountability, Transparency, and Accessibility.
- 1447 Councilor Coletta Zapata, Breadon, Durkan, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy, Santana, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing to discuss electrical equipment maintenance and utility safety.  
Referred to the Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology.
- 1448 Councilor Durkan, Coletta Zapata, Louijeune, Breadon, FitzGerald, Flynn, Mejia, Murphy, Santana, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing to explore same-day put-out and pickup for non-containerized residential waste and containerization for commercial trash.  
On motion of Councilor Durkan, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilors Coletta Zapata and Louijeune as original co-sponsors.  
Referred to the Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology.
- 1449 Councilor Worrell, Mejia, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Murphy, Santana and Weber offered the following:** Order for a hearing to explore ways of expanding and enhancing Boston's municipal early learning education center infrastructure.  
On motion of Councilors Worrell and Mejia, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilor Breadon as original co-sponsor.  
Referred to the Committee on Education.
- 1450 Councilor Weber, Pepén, Worrell, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy and Santana offered the following:** Order for a hearing to discuss next steps to improve street safety on the northern stretch of Hyde Park Avenue from Walk Hill Street to the Arborway.  
On motion of Councilors Weber and Pepén, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilor Worrell as original co-sponsor.  
Referred to the Committee on Planning, Development & Transportation.

- 1451 Councilor Durkan, Weber, Santana, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Murphy and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a hearing to examine the impact of federal cuts to SNAP and Medicaid on Boston residents.  
On motion of Councilor Durkan, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilors Weber and Santana as original co-sponsors.  
Referred to the Committee on Public Health, Homelessness, and Recovery.
- 1452 Councilor Durkan, Worrell, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Murphy and Weber offered the following:** Order for a hearing to explore melanoma detection training for beauty and wellness professionals.  
On motion of Councilor Durkan, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilor Worrell as original co-sponsor.  
Referred to the Committee on Public Health, Homelessness, and Recovery.
- 1453 Councilor Louijeune, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, Mejia, Santana, Weber, Worrell and FitzGerald offered the following:** Order to submit a petition to the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Pharmacy.  
Councilor Worrell in the Chair.  
Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.
- 1454 Councilor Weber and Santana offered the following:** Order requesting certain information under Section 17F re: Memoranda of Understanding between the Boston Police Department and external entities.  
President Louijeune in the chair.  
Passed under suspension of the rules.
- 1455 Councilor Durkan, Louijeune, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, FitzGerald, Flynn, Mejia, Murphy, Santana, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Resolution in support of SMFA Professors of the Practice at Tufts University pursuing a fair and just contract.  
On motion of Councilors Durkan and Louijeune, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.
- 1456 Councilor Coletta Zapata, Durkan, Weber, Breadon, Flynn, Louijeune, Mejia, Santana, Worrell and FitzGerald offered the following:** Resolution condemning the Trump Administration's attack on climate protections.  
Councilor Coletta Zapata moved to substitute language.  
On motion of Councilor Coletta Zapata, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilors Durkan and Weber as original co-sponsors.  
On motion of Councilors Coletta Zapata, Durkan and Weber, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted; yeas 11, absent 1 (Pepen).
- 1457 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution to declare Mass & Cass and Impacted Neighborhoods a Public Safety and Public Health Emergency and a Humanitarian Crisis.  
Referred to the Committee on Public Health, Homelessness, and Recovery.



**1458 Councilor Louijeune, Worrell, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Flynn, Mejia, Murphy, Santana and Weber offered the following:** Resolution in support of strengthening and protecting Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing.

On motion of Councilors Louijeune and Worrell, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilor Breadon as an original co-sponsor.

On motion of Councilors Louijeune, Worrell and Breadon, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted; yeas 11, absent 1 (Pepen).

Councilor Worrell in the chair.

**1459 Councilor Murphy and Flynn offered the following:** Resolution in support of Massachusetts House Bill 3731 (H.3731), "An Act to Enhance Pedestrian Safety".

President Louijeune in the chair.

On motion of Councilor Murphy, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilor Flynn as an original co-sponsor.

Referred to the Committee on Planning, Development & Transportation.

**1460 Councilor Mejia, Santana, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Murphy, Weber and Worrell offered the following:** Resolution recognizing August 15, 2025, as Dominican Cultural Day in the City of Boston.

**1461** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Santana offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Matthew Broude in City Council to be effective August 2, 2025.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

**1462** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Mejia offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Chastity Bowick in City Council, effective August 9, 2025.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

**1463** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Mejia offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Elsa Flores in City Council, effective August 30, 2025.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

**1464** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Durkan offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Holly Margulius in City Council, effective August 2, 2025.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

**1465** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Breadon offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Wayne D.Yeh in City Council, effective August 23, 2025.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

The chair stated in absence of objection, five late file matters would be added to the Agenda. No objection being heard, the following items were added:

**1541** Notice was received from Councilor Pepen regarding his absence from the August 6, 2025 City Council Meeting.

Placed on file.

**1542** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Santana offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employees Ana E. Calderon and Wilmer Quinones in City Council, effective August 9, 2025.

Passed under suspension of the rules.

**1543** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Santana offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employees Ana E. Calderon and Wilmer Quinones in City Council, effective August 2, 2025.  
Passed under suspension of the rules.

**1544** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Santana offered the following: Order the appointment of temporary employee Joaquim Lombos in City Council, effective August 2, 2025.  
Passed under suspension of the rules.

**1545** Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Santana offered the following: Order the appointment of temporary employee Julia Manolios in City Council, effective August 30, 2025.  
Passed under suspension of the rules.

**1546** **Councilor Worrell, Breadon, Coletta Zapata, Durkan, FitzGerald, Flynn, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy, Santana and Weber offered the following:** Resolution Recognizing August 6 as Jamaica Independence Day in the City of Boston.  
On motion of Councilor Worrell, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

**1379** **Councilor Weber and Pepén offered the following:** Councilor Worrell called Docket # 1379, Resolution for July 4, 2025, in support of democracy and calling for a return to the constitutional principles that are the foundation of this republic, from the Committee on Civil Rights and Immigrant Advancement.  
No objection being heard, the matter was properly before the body.  
On motion of Councilor Worrell, the resolution was adopted; yeas 11, absent 1 (Pepen).

**6/2025** Legislative Calendar for August 6, 2025.

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda containing the following items:

**1466** **Councilor Breadon offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Phyllis M. McCarthy.

**1467** **Councilor FitzGerald offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Maridith (Matthews) Joyce.

**1468** **Councilor FitzGerald offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Shanti Restaurant.

**1469** **Councilor FitzGerald offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Kathleen (Smith) Joyce.

**1470** **Councilor Durkan offered the following:** Resolution honoring the service of Maya Mudgal.

**1471** **Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Kelley J McMormick.

**1472** **Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Robin Cartagena.

**1473** **Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Juliana Conte.

**1474** **Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing The Honorable Carlo Basile.

- 1475 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Teagan Scarpa.
- 1476 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing David Arinella.
- 1477 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Jill Shah.
- 1478 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing David Modica.
- 1479 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Joseph Ruggiero.
- 1480 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Prodigy Barber Studio.
- 1481 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Warren J. Watson.
- 1482 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Robert E. Spanguolo Jr.
- 1483 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Cristian Uribe.
- 1484 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Brayan Fernandez.
- 1485 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Miguel Vargas.
- 1486 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Sharon Weidenaar.
- 1487 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Nicole Celis.
- 1488 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Sara Buitrago.
- 1489 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing 6 recipients of the Andrew Square Civic Association Outstanding Citizen Awards.
- 1490 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Boston Lyric Opera.
- 1491 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Chica Project.
- 1492 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Chinatown Crime Watch.
- 1493 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Chinese Women's Association of New England.
- 1494 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Emerson College.
- 1495 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Harborfest 2025.

- 1496 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Inquilinos Boricuas en Accion (IBA Boston).
- 1497 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Kwong Kow Chinese School.
- 1498 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Linda Doran.
- 1499 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Peggy Ings.
- 1500 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Que Shing Chinese Music and Opera Group.
- 1501 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing St. Theresa Society of Boston.
- 1502 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing USS Donald Cook.
- 1503 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Vertex Pharmaceuticals.
- 1504 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Whittier Street Health Center.
- 1505 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Claudia Sierra.
- 1506 Councilor FitzGerald offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Ryan Mahoney.
- 1507 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing the 114th Anniversary of the Founding of the Republic of China and Flagraising Day for Taiwan Day.
- 1508 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing the Puerto Rican Festival of Massachusetts.
- 1509 Councilor Weber and Pepén offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Bill Allen.
- 1510 Councilor Breadon offered the following:** Resolution in memory of William "Bill" Margolin.
- 1511 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Harry Markarian.
- 1512 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Chris Lane.
- 1513 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Ruth Barkley Apartments Community.
- 1514 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Mary Ellen McCormack Community.
- 1515 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Head of the Charles Regatta.
- 1516 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing South End Brunch Club.

- 1517 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing The Oasis.
- 1518 Councilor Santana and Weber offered the following:** Resolution recognizing thirty-four Students from Sociedad Latiana and BSAC for their advocacy around the impact that Social Media has on BPS students.
- 1519 Councilor Santana and Weber offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Gabby Rodriguez.
- 1520 Councilor Santana offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Olivia Chaeri Sohn and George Tanuwidjaja.
- 1521 Councilor Worrell offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Alex Edwards.
- 1522 Councilor Worrell offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Aiden Chaemin Sohn and Jinheon Kim.
- 1523 Councilor Worrell offered the following:** Resolution recognizing the team behind Boston While Black.
- 1524 Councilor Santana offered the following:** Resolution honoring Melanie Kerr.
- 1525 Councilor Weber offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Joe Fitzgerald's 80th birthday.
- 1526 Councilor Weber offered the following:** Resolution recognizing 36 retiring teachers and BPS staff members.
- 1527 Councilor Weber offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Lexi Paige Butler.
- 1528 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Toastmasters at the Federal Reserve Bank -Boston Club.
- 1529 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Toastmaster John Bolognese.
- 1530 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Toastmaster Mary Luvisi.
- 1531 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Rogger Puma.
- 1532 Councilor Coletta Zapata offered the following:** Resolution recognizing John Nucci.
- 1533 Councilor Breadon offered the following:** Resolution congratulating Mary Fitch.
- 1534 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Massachusetts Sickle Cell Association.
- 1535 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association of New England.
- 1536 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing the Feast of the Blessed Sacrament.
- 1537 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Captain Mark Morrison.



**1538 Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Ann Sanders.

**1539 Councilor Worrell offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Kendra Martin.

**1540 Councilor Louijeune offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Daniel F. Esdale.

The Chair stated in absence of objection, one late file matter would be added to the Consent Agenda. No objection being heard, the following item was added:

**1547** Resolution in memory of Dr. Rashad Hardaway.

The items contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 5:27 p.m. on motion of President Louijeune, and in memory of Phyllis M. McCarthy, William "Bill" Margolin, Dr. Domenic Amara, Dana C. Chandler Jr., Byron Bennett, Grace Lilian Seay, Daniel F. Esdale, BFD John Evans, Rashad Hardaway, Luis Ramón Matos Suarez, Bill Allen and Lexi Paige Butler, to meet again on Wednesday, August 27, 2025 at 12:00 p.m.