



City of Boston, Massachusetts

Office of the Mayor

Michelle Wu

April 7, 2025

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of \$266,100,000 for various capital improvement purposes for city departments including the Boston Center for Youth and Families, Boston Housing Authority, Boston Planning and Development Agency, Boston Public Library, Innovation and Technology, Environment, Fire, Mayor's Office of Housing, Office of Arts & Culture, Parks and Recreation, Police, Property Management, Public Health Commission, Public Works, and the Transportation Departments.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED: That the sum of Two Hundred Sixty Six Million One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$266,100,000) be, and hereby is, appropriated for the acquisition of interests in land or the acquisition of assets, or the landscaping, alteration, remediation, rehabilitation or improvement of public land, the construction, reconstruction, rehabilitation, improvement, alteration, remodeling, enlargement, demolition, removal or extraordinary repair of public buildings, facilities, assets, works or infrastructure, including but not limited to: (i) the cost of original equipment and furnishings of the buildings, facilities, assets, works or infrastructure; (ii) damages under chapter 79 resulting from any such acquisition or project; and (iii) the cost of engineering, architectural or other services for feasibility studies, plans or specifications as part of any acquisition or project; for the cost of feasibility studies or engineering or architectural services for plans and specifications; for the development, redevelopment and equipping and furnishing of affordable housing and the acquisition, construction and installation of necessary or desirable public infrastructure and equipment and furnishings related thereto; and any and all costs incidental or related to the above described projects; for the purposes of various city departments including Boston Center for Youth and Families, Boston Housing Authority, Boston Planning and Development Agency, Boston Public Library, Innovation and Technology, Environment, Fire, Mayor's Office of Housing, Office of Arts & Culture, Parks and Recreation, Police, Property Management, Public Health Commission, Public Works, and the Transportation Departments; and that to meet said appropriation the Collector-Treasurer be, and hereby is, authorized under the provisions of Section 7 and/or Section 8 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, as amended, Chapter 121B, Chapter 1097 of the Acts of 1971, or any other enabling authority, to issue from time to time, with the approval of the Mayor, bonds, notes or certificates of indebtedness of the City up to said amount, which debt issued hereunder or under any other existing order or order enacted hereafter may bear interest at variable rates, as the collector-treasurer shall select, be redeemable at the option of the holder thereof, at such price or prices and under such conditions as may be fixed by the collector-treasurer with the approval of the mayor prior to the issuance thereof and contain terms that cause the interest thereon to be subject to federal income taxation, provided that the appropriation authorized through this order be expended only on the project(s) as described by name attached hereto; that this order shall constitute a declaration of official intent of the City pursuant to Treasury Regulations Section 1.150-2(e) to reimburse expenditures for such projects made from funds established for such purpose as permitted by statute from proceeds of debt incurred by the City pursuant to this order; and that pursuant to Section 12(b) of Chapter 643 of the Acts of 1983 as amended, if any part of the proceeds of sale of any bonds or notes or other obligations issued by the City under this order remains unexpended after the work or purpose for which such bonds, notes or other obligations are issued is completed, such proceeds are hereby appropriated and may be applied by the Collector-Treasurer and City Auditor, at the direction of the Mayor, to pay the principal, premium, or interest on such bonds, notes, or other obligations or on any debt of the City.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**

BY _____

**ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL**

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

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| 1. 1010 Massachusetts Avenue | 43. Highland Ave District Boiler Replacement |
| 2. 201 Rivermoor Street | 44. HVAC Renovations at Woods Mullen and Finland Buildings |
| 3. A1 Elevator Replacement | 45. McKinney Playground |
| 4. Bay Village Neighborhood Park | 46. McLean Playground |
| 5. BCYF Curley Phase II | 47. Mildred C. Hailey Phase 1 Redevelopment |
| 6. BCYF Tobin Community Center Improvements | 48. Mt. Hope Cemetery Facilities |
| 7. Belvidere / Dalton Street Bike Lanes | 49. Municipal Facility Repairs |
| 8. Boston Common Tadpole Play Lot | 50. Murphy Playground |
| 9. Boylston Street Sidewalks | 51. Northern Avenue Bridge |
| 10. Bridge Repairs | 52. Orchard Gardens Community Center Upgrades |
| 11. Brighton Library Roof | 53. Park Accessibility Improvements |
| 12. Buckley Playground | 54. Parker Street Retaining Wall |
| 13. Byrne Playground | 55. Percent for the Arts |
| 14. Central Library Roof | 56. Poplar Gate Path |
| 15. Central Library HVAC | 57. Poplar Street Safety Improvements Phase II |
| 16. Charles Street North | 58. Public Garden Lagoon |
| 17. Chinatown Branch Library | 59. Recharge Boston: Public EV Charging |
| 18. Christopher Lee Playground Play Area | 60. Remote Control at Court Lights |
| 19. Citywide Street Safety Construction Services | 61. Retaining Wall Repairs |
| 20. Citywide Street Safety Design Services | 62. Roadway Reconstruction and Resurfacing FY25-27 |
| 21. CNY Flagship Wharf Bulkhead Restoration | 63. Ronan Park |
| 22. Comm Ave Mall Crosswalks | 64. Ryan Playground |
| 23. Commonwealth Avenue Phase 3B | 65. Safety Surfacing Replacement |
| 24. Congress Street and Sleeper Street | 66. Safety Surge |

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| 25. Connect Downtown: Charles South/Tremont | 67. Sail Boston Berthing |
| 26. Connect Downtown: Columbus Ave Phase I | 68. Sidewalk and Ramp Reconstruction FY25-27 |
| 27. Connect Downtown: Public Garden Crossings | 69. South End Branch Library |
| 28. District 7 Maintenance Yard | 70. State Street |
| 29. District D-4 Station Elevator | 71. Station Facility Repairs |
| 30. Dudley Street Public Plaza | 72. Storm Water Pollution Study |
| 31. Dudley Town Common | 73. Strand Theater |
| 32. East Boston Safe Multimodal Corridors | 74. Street Lighting Infrastructure Upgrades and Installation |
| 33. Emergency Generator Replacement | 75. Street Tree Planting |
| 34. Energy Management System Upgrades | 76. Town Field Study |
| 35. Engine 8 Study | 77. Traffic Signal Construction at 5 locations |
| 36. Evergreen Cemetery Admin Building | 78. Traffic Signals |
| 37. Fidelis Way | 79. Transportation Planning |
| 38. Fire Detection Improvements at 7 Fire Stations | 80. Unified Constituent Identity and Access Management |
| 39. Fire Equipment FY27-30 | 81. Upham's Corner Library |
| 40. Footpath and Stairways | 82. Urban Wilds |
| 41. Geneva Cliffs Urban Wild | 83. West End Branch Library |
| 42. Green Links | |