

## City Of Boston • Massachusetts Office of the Mayor Michelle Wu

09-29-2023

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 ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX DOLLARS (\$1,124,566.00) in the form of a grant, FY2023 Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Use Site-based Program (COSSUP) Grant, awarded by United States Department Of Justice to be administered by the Police Department.

The grant would fund and support pre and post-arrest diversion of substance users to treatment in the area of Mass and Cass.

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, Uchelle

Michelle Wu Mayor of Boston



AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY2023 Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Use Site-based Program (COSSUP) Grant FUNDS, AWARDED BY United States Department Of Justice.

**WHEREAS**, the United States Department Of Justice, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX DOLLARS (\$1,124,566.00) would fund and support pre and post-arrest diversion of substance users to treatment in the area of Mass and Cass. 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 United States Department Of Justice, FY2023 Comprehensive Opioid, Stimulant, and Substance Use Site-based Program (COSSUP) Grant award not to exceed the amount of ONE MILLION ONE HUNDRED TWENTY-FOUR THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX DOLLARS (\$1,124,566.00).

Docket #		I hereby certify that
In City Council		the foregoing, if passed in the above form, will be in
Passed		accordance with law.
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		Adam Cederbaum
	City Clerk	Corporation Counsel
	Mayor	
Approved		