



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
KIM JANEY

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TO THE CITY COUNCIL

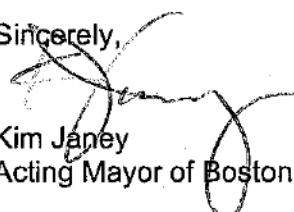
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant in an amount not to exceed Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$400,000.00) from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Environmental Affairs (EOEEA), Division of Conservation Services' Parkland Acquisitions and Renovations for Communities (PARC) Program.

This grant is awarded to the City of Boston through the Parks and Recreation Department for renovations to Winthrop Playground located in the neighborhood of Dorchester.

I urge your honorable body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may accept and expend these funds expeditiously.

Sincerely,



Kim Janey
Acting Mayor of Boston

**CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL**

AN ORDER TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS, DIVISION OF CONSERVATION SERVICES' PARKLAND ACQUISITIONS AND RENOVATIONS FOR COMMUNITIES (PARC) PROGRAM GRANT OF FOUR HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$400,000) FOR THE RENOVATION OF WINTHROP PLAYGROUND.

ORDERED: That the Commissioner of the Parks and Recreation Department, 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 a Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs (EOEEA), Division of Conservation Services' Parkland Acquisitions and Renovations for Communities (PARC) Program grant award in an amount not to exceed Four Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$400,000.00). The funds will provide capital improvements to Winthrop Playground located in the neighborhood of Dorchester; and

BE IT FURTHER ORDERED:

That the City of Boston, in accord with M.G.L. Chapter 45, Section 14, hereby permanently dedicates Winthrop Playground for playground purposes, as required by the EOEEA for playgrounds receiving aforesaid grant assistance.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT
THE FOREGOING, IF PASSED IN
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**
BY *Henry C. Luthin* *HL*
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