



October 26, 2022

A regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Boston was held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall on Wednesday, October 26, 2022 at 12:17 P.M.

President Flynn in the Chair. All Councilors Present.

Bishop Raymond G. Hall delivered the invocation and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

President Flynn moved to adopt the minutes from the October 19, 2022 meeting.
Motion prevailed.

1320 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Six Thousand Dollars (\$106,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the FY22 Community Mitigation, awarded by the Massachusetts Gaming Commission to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund investigations that are coordinated between the BPD Human Trafficking Unit and other law enforcement entities, along with traffic safety patrols and accident reconstruction.
The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

1321 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Fifty Nine Thousand Dollars Four Hundred Five Dollars and Thirty Cents (\$59,405.30) in the form of a grant, for the COPS FY22 Law Enforcement Mental Health and Wellness Act Program, awarded by the United States Department of Justice to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund peer support services for Boston Police Department sworn and civilian personnel, particularly civilians working in 911 Operations and Forensics.
The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

1322 Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of Beyazmin Jimenez, as a Member of the Boston Fair Housing Committee for a term expiring July 1, 2024.
Placed on file.

1323 Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Bianca Tosado, as a Member of the Residency Compliance Commission for a term expiring January 3, 2026.
Placed on file.

On motion of Councilor Flynn, the first Late File was taken out of order.

1341 **Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Order that the Law Department for the City of Boston address the Open Meeting Law complaint and respond accordingly on behalf of the Boston City Council.
Councilor Breadon in the Chair.
Placed on file.

Councilor Breadon, on behalf of the Committee on Redistricting submitted the following:

1186 An Ordinance Amending City Council Electoral Districts.
Remains in the Committee on Redistricting.

- [1215](#) An Ordinance Amending City Council Electoral Districts. Remains in the Committee on Redistricting.
- [1216](#) An Ordinance Amending City Council Electoral Districts. Remains in the Committee on Redistricting.
- [1273](#) An Ordinance Amending City Council Electoral Districts. Remains in the Committee on Redistricting.
- [1275](#) An Ordinance Amending City Council Electoral Districts. Remains in the Committee on Redistricting.

Councilor Bok, on behalf of the Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology submitted the following:

- [1244](#) On the message and order, referred on October 19, 2022 Docket #1244, to reduce the FY23 appropriation for the Reserves for Collective Bargaining by Thirty One Million, Seventy Two Thousand, Twenty Nine Dollars (\$31,072,029.00) to provide funding for the Boston Public Schools for the FY23 cost contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the Boston School Committee and the Boston Teachers Union (BTU), Local 66, AFT Massachusetts, the Committee submitted a report recommending the order ought to pass.
The report was accepted; the order was passed.
- [1245](#) On the message and order, referred on October 19, 2022 Docket #1245, for the Boston Public Schools for FY23 in the amount of Thirty Seven Million Six Hundred Seventy Four Thousand Three Hundred Thirty Seven Dollars (\$37,674,337.00) to cover the FY23 cost items contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the Boston School Committee and the Boston Teachers Union (BTU), Local 66, AFT- Massachusetts. The terms of the contracts are September 1, 2021 through August 31, 2024. The major provisions of the contracts include base wage increases of 2.5% in September 2022, September 2023, as well as other cost items including inclusion reform implementation, the Committee submitted a report recommending the order ought to pass.
The report was accepted; the order was passed.

On motion of Councilor Flynn, Docket No.1340 was taken out of order.

- [1340](#) **Councilor Fernandes Anderson offered the following:** Resolution recognizing the Civic Leaders of District 7.
The rules were suspended. The resolution was adopted.
- [1324](#) **Councilor Baker, Arroyo, Bok, Breadon, Coletta, Fernandes Anderson, Flaherty, Flynn, Louijeune, Murphy and Worrell offered the following:** Petition for a Special Law RE: An Act Directing the City of Boston Police Department to Waive the Maximum Age Requirement for Police Officers for Wan Pierre-Louis.
Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.
- [1325](#) WITHDRAWN
- [1326](#) **Councilor Coletta, Arroyo, Bok, Breadon, Fernandes Anderson, Flaherty, Flynn, Lara, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy and Worrell offered the following:** Order for a Hearing on the Review of the Zoning Board of Appeal Executive Order.
Referred to the Committee on Planning, Development & Transportation.

1327 Councilor Lara, Coletta, Arroyo, Bok, Breadon, Fernandes Anderson, Flynn, Louijeune, Mejia and Worrell offered the following: Order for a Hearing Assessing the Need for a Text Amendment for the Boston Zoning Code Relative to Special Protection Zones.

Referred to the Committee on Housing and Community Development.

1328 Councilor Bok, Louijeune, Flynn, Arroyo, Baker, Breadon, Coletta, Fernandes Anderson, Flaherty, Lara, Mejia, Murphy and Worrell offered the following: Order for a Hearing to discuss trash containerization in Boston.

On motion of Councilor Bok, Rule 12 was invoked to include Councilors Louijeune and Flynn as co-sponsors.

Referred to the Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology.

1329 Councilor Lara, Arroyo, Baker, Bok, Breadon, Coletta, Fernandes Anderson, Flaherty, Flynn, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy and Worrell offered the following: Resolution recognizing November as Youth and Young Adult Homelessness Awareness Month.

On motion of Councilor Lara, the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, one late filed matter would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

1342 Councilor Fernandes Anderson, Arroyo, Bok, Breadon, Coletta, Flaherty, Flynn, Lara, Louijeune, Mejia and Worrell offered the following: Resolution Calling for Mahsa Amini's Birthday, September 22nd, as the Day of "Women, Life, Freedom".

On motion of Councilor Fernandes Anderson the rules were suspended; the resolution was adopted.

126/22 Legislative Calendar for October 26, 2022.

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda containing the following matters.

1330 Councilor Baker offered the following: Resolution recognizing the 27th Annual Boston Turkish Arts and Culture Festival.

1331 Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution in recognition of Psi Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha, Sorority, Inc.

1332 Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution in recognition of Carmelle Bonhometre.

1333 Councilor Flynn and Flaherty offered the following: Resolution recognizing October 16th as El Grito de Yara Heritage Day.

1334 Councilor Flynn offered the following: Resolution recognizing the 41st Anniversary of Polish American Heritage Month.

1335 Councilor Flynn, Louijeune, Baker, Murphy and Coletta offered the following: Resolution recognizing eleven recipients of the Pilar de la Hispanidad 2022 Award.

1336 Councilor Lara offered the following: Resolution in recognizing Darra Slagle.

1337 Councilor Lara offered the following: Resolution Honoring Nathan Louis Johnson.

1338 Councilor Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Resolution in memory of Edna Greene Willis Murrell.

1339 Councilor Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Resolution recognizing Sekondi-Takoradi, Ghana.

The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

Adjourned at 2:02 p.m. on motion of President Flynn, in memory of Christine E. Chris Ward, Sheila Butler, Kenny Gregorio and Michael Brussar to meet again on Wednesday, November 2, 2022 at 12:00 p.m.

Attested:

Alex Geourntas
City Clerk