



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

01-27-2025

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 HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$100,000.00**) in the form of a grant, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program, awarded by United States Department of the Treasury to be administered by the Office Workforce Development.

The grant would fund services to underserved populations in hardest-to-reach areas, both urban and non-urban in basic tax return preparation to qualified individuals.

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,

Michelle Wu  
Mayor of Boston



## City Council Order

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**AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND** Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program FUNDS, AWARDED BY United States Department of the Treasury.

**WHEREAS**, the United States Department of the Treasury, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Office Workforce Development; and

**WHEREAS**, the funds in the amount of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$100,000.00**) would fund services to underserved populations in hardest-to-reach areas, both urban and non-urban in basic tax return preparation to qualified individuals. 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 the Treasury, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) program award not to exceed the amount of ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$100,000.00**).

**Docket #** \_\_\_\_\_

**In City Council  
Passed** \_\_\_\_\_

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**City Clerk**

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**Mayor**

**Approved** \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that  
the foregoing, if passed in  
the above form, will be in  
accordance with law.

by Adam Cederbaum

Adam Cederbaum  
Corporation Counsel