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December 30, 2022

Boston City Council c/o Maureen Feeney, City Clerk Boston City Hall, Room 601 Boston, MA 02201

Re: Boston Retirement System CY22 Operating Budget

Dear Clerk Feeney:

Pursuant to G.L. ch. 32, §22(5), we file the enclosed CY22 operating budget with Boston City Council. There is no action required by City Council.

As you can see, the System's operating budget has decreased -14% from CY21. Massachusetts law provides that, "[s]aid budgets shall be funded solely from the investment income account of each system and without any further appropriation from the municipality, county or other governmental unit the current or former employees of which are served by said board." We note that unlike the City, the Boston Retirement System fiscal year is from January 1 to December 31.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns. We thank you for your customary assistance in these matters.

Respectfully submitted, BOSTON RETIREMENT SYSTEM

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Executive Officer

cc: Honorable Michelle Wu, Mayor of the City of Boston Kim Janey, Boston City Council President

Justin Sterritt, City of Boston Chief Financial Officer

Enclosure.