

ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR MATTERS PRESENTED TO THE CITY CLERK PRIOR TO 10:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, JANUARY 22, 2024 FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING IN THE CHRISTOPHER IANNELLA CHAMBER ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 2024 AT 12:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

COMMUNICATIONS FROM HER HONOR, THE MAYOR:

- Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Thirteen Million Three Hundred Seventeen Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$13,317,200.00) in the form of a grant from the FY2023 Urban Area Security Initiative, awarded by the United States Department of Homeland Security, passed through the MA Executive Office of Public Safety & Security, to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Emergency Management. The grant will fund planning, exercise, trainings, and operational needs, that will help prevent, respond to and recover from threats of acts of terrorism, including chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear and explosive incidents.
- 0135 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Five Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the Aquatics Facilities Grant, awarded by the United States Department of the Treasury, passed through the MA Department of Conservation and Recreation, to be administered by Property Management. The grant will fund the repairs and maintenance of aquatic facilities.

- Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$700,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the Commercial Acquisition Assistance Program (CAAP), awarded by the Barr Foundation, to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Economic Opportunity and Inclusion. The grant will fund core support to its Office of Economic Opportunity and Inclusion to grow its impact.
- Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Six Hundred Fifty-Nine Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$659,990.00) in the form of a grant, for the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant, awarded by the United States Department of Energy to be administered by the Environment Department. The grant will fund State and Local Governments and Tribes, in implementing strategies to reduce energy use, to reduce fossil fuel emissions and to improve energy efficiency.
- Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Forty-Six Thousand Eighty-Nine Dollars and Seventy Seven Cents (\$146,089.77) in the form of a grant for the FY23 Violence Against Women Act, a STOP Grant, awarded by the United States Department of Justice, passed through the MA Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund a Civilian Domestic Violence Advocate who provides services for victims in Jamaica Plain, East Boston, and Charlestown, as well as overtime for all civilian domestic violence advocates citywide.
- Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Fifty-Nine Thousand Two Hundred Sixty-Eight Dollars (\$59,268.00) in the form of a grant, for the FY23 BJA Justice and Mental Health Collaboration Program, awarded by the United States Department of Justice, passed through the University of Massachusetts, to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund the connection of BPD data with data from BMC's Boston Emergency Services Team so that we can better understand the impact of co-response (mental health and law enforcement) in Boston.

- Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the SFY2024 JAG ALERT, awarded by the United States Department of Justice, passed through the MA Executive Office of Public Safety and Security, to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund certification of all BPD Police Academy Instructors through the 5 day AAIR Train the Trainer course at the ALERT (Advance Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training) Center at Texas State University.
- Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Forty-Five Thousand Dollars (\$45,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the Accelerating Climate Resilience Grant Program, awarded by the Massachusetts Metropolitan Area Planning Council to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Economic Opportunity and Inclusion. The grant will fund the acceleration of climate resilience in Boston through the "Building Resilience Through Immersive Education and Training" project.
- <u>0142</u> Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to Accept and expend the donation of Ten Thousand (10,000) winter coats from Project Warmth in support of the migrant crisis.
- Message and order that will authorize the Boston Transportation Department ("BTD") to enter into two contracts, with terms of up to 10 years, to deploy curbside electric vehicle ("EV") charging stations through a public/private partnership and at no cost to the City with a potential for revenue share. BTD has identified two vendors through the public procurement process that offer different models that address the distinct challenges to locate curbside EV charging.
- <u>0144</u> Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Felicia Jacques, as a member of the South End Landmark District Commission for a term expiring on January 20, 2027.
- <u>0145</u> Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Thomas Rodde, as a member of the Fort Point Channel Landmark District Commission for a term expiring on January 20, 2027.
- <u>0146</u> Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Catherine Hunt, as a member of the South End Landmark District Commission for a term expiring on January 20, 2027.

- <u>0147</u> Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of John Freeman, as a member of the South End Landmark District Commission for a term expiring on January 20, 2027.
- <u>0148</u> Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of John Amodeo, as a member of the South End Landmark District Commission for a term expiring on January 20, 2027.
- Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Terri North, as a member of the Back Bay West/Bay State Road Architectural Conservation District Commission for a term expiring on January 15, 2027.
- <u>0150</u> Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Christopher DeBord, as a member of the South End Landmark District Commission for a term expiring on January 20, 2027.
- Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Pamela
 Beale, as a member of the Back Bay West/Bay State Road Architectural
 Conservation District Commission for a term expiring on January 15, 2027.
- <u>0152</u> Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Ruel Longfellow, as a member of the Bay State Road/Back Bay West Area Architectural Conservation District Commission for a term expiring on January 15, 2027.
- 0153 Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Lynn Smiledge, as a member of the Fort Point Channel Landmark District Commission for a term expiring on January 20, 2027.
- Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Jeffrey Heyne, as a member of the Fort Point Channel Landmark District Commission for a term expiring on January 20, 2027.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES REPORTS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND OTHERS:

One of the Boston City Council's Standing Committees for the 2024-2025 term.

- O156 Communication was received from Congressman Jake Auchincloss urging the Boston City Council to approve the \$13.3 million dollar Urban Area Security Initiative funding granted to the Metro Boston Homeland Security Region by the U.S Department of Homeland Security.
- One of the Boston Trust Act regarding civil immigration detainer results for calendar year 2023.
- <u>0158</u> Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Rachel Goldstein as a Trustee of the Make Boston Shine Trust Fund for a term expiring on January 9, 2026.
- <u>0159</u> Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of John Romano as a Trustee of the Make Boston Shine Trust Fund for a term expiring on January 9, 2026.
- 0160 Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of Kevin Tran as a Trustee of the Make Boston Shine Trust Fund for a term expiring on January 9, 2026.
- 0161 Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of Brianna Millor as a Trustee of the Make Boston Shine Trust Fund for a term expiring on January 9, 2026.
- 0162 Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of Trinh T.
 Nguyen as a Trustee of the Neighborhood Jobs Trust for a term expiring on January 14, 2026.
- 0163 Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of Robert Whitney as a Trustee of the Boston Groundwater Trust for a term expiring on January 22, 2026.
- <u>0164</u> Notice was received from the Mayor of the reappointment of Janine Commerford as a Trustee of the Boston Groundwater Trust for a term expiring on January 22, 2026.

MATTERS RECENTLY HEARD-FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

MOTIONS, ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS:

<u>0165</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Order that rules of the Boston City Council be adopted for the Municipal Years 2024-2025.

- <u>0166</u> Councilor Coletta offered the following: Ordinance Formally Creating the Office of Food Justice and Establishing a Food Recovery Program in the City of Boston.
- <u>0167</u> Councilor Flynn offered the following: Ordinance establishing the Office of Pest Control in the City of Boston.
- <u>0168</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Ordinance with respect to Honey Bees.
- <u>0169</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Text Amendment to the Boston Zoning Code with respect to Honey Bees.
- Councilor Coletta and Mejia offered the following: Ordinance Establishing Street Food Enterprises in the City of Boston Municipal Code by Inserting Chapter 17, Section 22, Permitting and Regulation of Non-Motorized Street Food Carts.
- <u>0171</u> Councilor Worrell offered the following: Home Rule Petition to Ensure Future Inauguration Dates Do Not Fall on a Federal Holiday.
- <u>0172</u> Councilor Worrell offered the following: Order for a hearing to create indoor playgrounds in the City of Boston.
- <u>0173</u> Councilor Worrell offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding equity in city contracts.
- <u>0174</u> Councilor Worrell offered the following: Order for a hearing to address gun violence.
- <u>0175</u> Councilor Worrell and Durkan offered the following: Order for a hearing to bring the NBA All-Star Weekend to Boston.
- <u>0176</u> Councilor Worrell offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding the Homeownership Voucher Program.
- <u>0177</u> Councilor Murphy and Weber offered the following: Order for a hearing reclaiming the Reggie Lewis Track and Athletic Center for our Boston Public School athletes.
- <u>0178</u> Councilor Murphy and Flynn offered the following: Order for a hearing to address the disparity in pay between our Boston Fire and Boston Police Cadets.

- <u>0179</u> Councilor Durkan and Coletta offered the following: Order for a hearing to discuss trash collection in Boston.
- <u>0180</u> Councilor Durkan and Pepén offered the following: Order for a hearing to discuss city services in regard to composting and the need for increased composting services.
- <u>0181</u> Councilor Durkan offered the following: Order for a hearing to discuss the mental health and wellness resources available to City of Boston employees and new resources implemented after the COVID-19 pandemic.
- <u>0182</u> Councilor Durkan offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding gasoline-powered lawn and garden equipment.
- Order for a hearing to facilitate a community process to support consumers in District 7 impacted by the impending closure of Walgreens at 416 Warren Street.
- <u>0184</u> Councilor Durkan and Santana offered the following: Order for a hearing to review the creation of a municipal bus service to provide last-mile service and late night shuttle service for third-shift workers.
- <u>0185</u> Councilor Worrell and Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Order for a hearing to explore the Summer Community Plan.
- <u>0186</u> Councilor Worrell and Mejia offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding barriers to business.
- <u>0187</u> Councilor Worrell offered the following: Order for a hearing to access expanded Hospital & Community-Centric Violence Prevention & Intervention.
- <u>0188</u> Councilor Worrell and Mejia offered the following: Order for a hearing to explore scholarships for Boston students to increase access to all forms of higher education.
- <u>0189</u> Councilor Worrell and Louijeune offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding providing technical assistance to civic associations and outlining best practices for civic associations.
- <u>0190</u> Councilor Coletta offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding implementing coastal resilience strategies for Boston's waterfront.

- <u>0191</u> Councilor Breadon and FitzGerald offered the following: Order for a hearing to discuss the continuity of health care services in relation to the financial challenges faced by the Steward Health Care System.
- <u>0192</u> Councilor Coletta offered the following: Order for a hearing to discuss the ongoing modernization of Article 80 in Boston's Zoning Code.
- <u>0193</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Order for a hearing to discuss an increase in racist incidents in Boston and the Human Rights Commission's role in tracking, reporting, and addressing discrimination and civil rights violations.
- Ouncilor Coletta and Louijeune offered the following: Order for a hearing to establish a Climate Change and Environmental Justice Curriculum Pilot Program in Boston Public Schools.
- <u>0195</u> Councilor Louijeune and Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Order for a hearing on discrimination in lending and appraisals.
- <u>0196</u> Councilor Coletta and Louijeune offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding menstrual product accessibility in the City of Boston.
- <u>0197</u> Councilor Louijeune and Coletta offered the following: Order for a hearing to address the mental health needs of our students with a focus on guidance counselors.
- <u>0198</u> Councilor Coletta and Flynn offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding technological infrastructure improvements across city departments.
- Order for a hearing to explore municipal bonds and other fiscal options to increase affordable housing, school buildings, and community investments.
- <u>0200</u> Councilor Louijeune and Worrell offered the following: Order for a hearing on the civil rights and liberties of returning citizens and re-entry into their Boston communities.
- <u>0201</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Order for a hearing on ways to increase trash pickup for large buildings.
- <u>0202</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Order for a hearing on addressing and improving fair housing practices in the city of Boston.

- <u>0203</u> Councilor Louijeune and Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Order for a hearing regarding the state of anti-displacement as to Boston's Acquisition Opportunity Program.
- <u>0204</u> Councilor Louijeune and Coletta offered the following: Order for a hearing on the needs and services for recent migrant populations.
- <u>0205</u> Councilor Breadon offered the following: Order requesting certain information under Section 17F relative to Boston Emergency Medical Services response times.

PERSONNEL ORDERS:

- <u>0206</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employees Cindy Dieujuste, Hodan Hashi, Emily Polston and Jesse Purvis in City Council, effective January 20, 2024.
- <u>0207</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Cierra Thompson in City Council, effective January 22, 2024.
- <u>0208</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Durkan offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Maccon Bonner in City Council, effective January 8, 2024.
- <u>0209</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Durkan offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Geidy Romero in City Council, effective January 24, 2024.
- <u>0210</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Breadon offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Sofrinia Daley in City Council, effective January 8, 2024.
- O211 Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Mejia offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employees Dulce Bernal-Sandoval, Julisa Curet Rodriguez, Jamie Leveque-Beon and Millie Rivera in City Council, effective January 22, 2024.
- <u>0212</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Mejia offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Isabella Ortega in City Councilor, effective January 29, 2024.

- <u>0213</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Weber offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Melissa Beltran in City Council, effective January 13, 2024.
- <u>0214</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Santana offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Wilmer Quinones in City Council, effective January 22, 2024.
- <u>0215</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Pepén offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Gabriel Cruz in City Council, effective February 3, 2024.
- <u>0216</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor Murphy offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Lisa Searcy in City Council, effective January 20, 2024.
- <u>0217</u> Councilor Louijeune for Councilor FitzGerald offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Jessica Correia in City Council, effective February 3, 2024.

GREEN SHEETS:

24/24 Legislative Calendar for January 24, 2024

CONSENT AGENDA:

- **Ouncilor Murphy offered the following:** Resolution in memory of James F. English.
- **Ouncilor Murphy offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Charles Monahan.
- <u>0220</u> Councilor Flynn offered the following: Resolution recognizing Chinese Women's Association of New England.
- **Ouncilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Stephen Chen.
- <u>0222</u> Councilor Flynn offered the following: Resolution recognizing American Weston Academy.
- <u>0223</u> Councilor Flynn offered the following: Resolution recognizing New England Kung Fu Dance.

- <u>0224</u> Councilor Weber offered the following: Resolution recognizing Eleanor Fisher Kaplan.
- <u>0225</u> Councilor Flynn offered the following: Resolution in memory of Muhamad Ali Salaam.
- **Ouncilor Flynn offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Frank J. Drogo Sr.
- <u>0227</u> Councilor Weber and Mejia offered the following: Resolution in memory of Julia Martin.
- <u>0228</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution in memory of Dumas Louis Charles.
- <u>0229</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution in recognition of Community Builders.
- <u>0230</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution in memory of Destin Durogene.
- <u>0231</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution recognizing Jean Claude Charlet.
- **Ouncilor Durkan offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Arthur Rose.
- **Ouncilor Durkan offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Robert Mann.
- <u>0234</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution recognizing Usope Civilus.
- <u>0235</u> Councilor Flynn offered the following: Resolution in memory of Boston Police Officer Pierce Fitzgerald Norton.
- **Ouncilor Coletta offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Andrew Pike.
- **Ouncilor Coletta and Murphy offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Mary Beth Kelly.
- <u>0238</u> Councilor Flynn offered the following: Resolution recognizing the Coalition of National Asian Elite Leadership.

- **Ouncilor Worrell offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Detective Larry Ellison.
- <u>0240</u> Councilor Worrell offered the following: Resolution in memory of Lucille Holmes.
- **Ouncilor Louijeune offered the following:** Resolution in memory of Timothy J. Davenport.
- <u>0242</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution recognition Alphonse Theodore Firmin.
- <u>0243</u> Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution recognizing Flourish & Foundry.
- <u>0244</u> Councilor Murphy and Flynn offered the following: Resolution congratulating the 2024-2025 Officers of the Chinese Consolidated Benevolent Association of New England, Inc.
- <u>0245</u> Councilor Murphy offered the following: Resolution recognizing eight Elders of Temple Salem SDA Church.
- <u>0246</u> Councilor Coletta offered the following: Resolution recognizing Albert Caldarelli.