



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

09-29-2023

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 MILLION NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-THREE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE DOLLARS (**\$1,983,833.00**) in the form of a grant, Shelter & Services Program 23, awarded by United States Department of Homeland Security to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing.

The grant would fund services to non-citizen migrants recently released from DHS custody to provide shelter, food, transportation, acute medical care, personal hygiene supplies, and case management services, and to provide funding to non-federal entities to increase their capacity to shelter non-citizen migrants recently released from DHS custody, including renovations and modifications to existing facilities.

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

**AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND Shelter & Services Program 23 FUNDS, AWARDED BY United States Department of Homeland Security.**

**WHEREAS**, the United States Department of Homeland Security, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Mayor's Office of Housing; and

**WHEREAS**, the funds in the amount of ONE MILLION NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-THREE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE DOLLARS (**\$1,983,833.00**) would fund services to non-citizen migrants recently released from DHS custody to provide shelter, food, transportation, acute medical care, personal hygiene supplies, and case management services, and to provide funding to non-federal entities to increase their capacity to shelter non-citizen migrants recently released from DHS custody, including renovations and modifications to existing facilities. 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 Homeland Security, Shelter & Services Program 23 award not to exceed the amount of ONE MILLION NINE HUNDRED EIGHTY-THREE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED THIRTY-THREE DOLLARS (**\$1,983,833.00**).

**Docket #**  
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**In City Council  
Passed**  
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**City Clerk**

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**Mayor**

**Approved**  
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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