



ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR MATTERS PRESENTED TO THE CITY CLERK PRIOR TO 10:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, APRIL 24, 2023 FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING IN THE CHRISTOPHER IANNELLA CHAMBER ON WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2023 AT 12:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

COMMUNICATIONS FROM HER HONOR, THE MAYOR:

- 0812** Message and order for your approval of the ordinance that all members of Building Remissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board (BERDO) as defined under Section (s) of the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter VII, section 7-2.2 shall be deemed as special municipal employees for the purposes of Chapter 268A of the General Laws.
Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 24, 2023.
- 0813** Message and order for your approval an Order that will authorize the Department of Innovation and Technology (DoIT) to enter into a contract with a term of, up to, seven years for data center hosting with colocation and fiber interconnection to provide uninterrupted functionality. Such a contract would support citywide services and operations.
- 0814** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Four Hundred Thirty Thousand Four Hundred Nineteen Dollars (\$430,419.00) in the form of a grant for the Federal FY23 Senior Companion Program, awarded by the Corporation for National and Community Service to be administered by the Age Strong Commission. The grant will fund reimbursement for travel and meals, plus stipends, for volunteers who provide companionship to homebound and frail seniors.

- 0815** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Thirty-Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Fifty-Three Dollars (137,753.00) in the form of a grant, for the FY23 Retired Senior Volunteer Program, awarded by the Corporation for National and Community Service to be administered by the Age Strong Commission. The grant will fund reimbursement for meals and travel, for senior community service volunteers.
- 0816** 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 Galilean Fund at the Boston Foundation, awarded by the Charities Aid Foundation America to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture. The grant will fund the Fay Chandler Emerging Artists Awards.
- 0817** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Kendra Lara, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.
- 0818** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Gail Latimore, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.
- 0819** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment Kai Palmer-Dunning, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.
- 0820** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment Lee Matsueda, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.
- 0821** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Rashida Boyd, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.
- 0822** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Matt O'Malley, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.
- 0823** Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Jack Nelson, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.

- [0824](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Lovette Jacobs, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.
- [0825](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Stephen Ellis, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.
- [0826](#) Message transmitting certain information under Section 17F: Relative to the City of Boston's Redistricting Court Case Legal Counsel and witness hired to testify, (Docket #0758). Passed by the Council on April 5, 2023.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES

REPORTS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND OTHERS:

- [0827](#) **Councilor Breadon offered the following:** Communication was received from Councilor Liz Breadon disclosing for release to the public certain electronic correspondence dated April 5, 2023.
- [0828](#) Notice was received from the City Clerk in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979 re: action taken by the Mayor on papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of March 22, 2023.
- [0829](#) Notice was received from the Mayor of her absence from the City from Tuesday, April 18, 2023 at 12:00 P.M., returning Saturday, April 22 2023 at 12:00 P.M.
- [0830](#) **Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Order from Council President Flynn to the Law Department on addressing Open Meeting Law complaints.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:

- [0789](#) The Committee of the Whole, to which was referred on April 12, 2023, Docket #0789, Order for special preliminary municipal election for District Eight City Councilor on June 27, 2023 and special municipal election on July 25, 2023, submits a report recommending that the order ought to pass.
- [0809](#) The Committee on Rules and Administration, to which was referred on April 12, 2023, Docket #0809, Ordinance Amending the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Section 2-9.2 in Regard to Council District Eight, submits a report recommending that the order ought to pass in a new draft.

0607 The Committee on Housing and Community Development, to which was referred on March 22, 2023, Docket #0607, authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Seventeen Million Five Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars (\$17,535,525.00) in the form of a grant, for the Federal FY23 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), awarded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund housing, economic development and social services programs. The award amount is estimated from prior years, submits a report recommending that the order ought to pass.

0608 The Committee on Housing and Community Development, to which was referred on March 22, 2023, Docket #0608, authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Six Million Two Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Six Dollars (\$6,235,976.00) in the form of a grant, for the Federal FY23 Home Investment Partner grant awarded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund the production of new affordable rental and homeownership housing, and also provide operating support for community development corporations. The award amount is estimated from prior years, submits a report recommending that the order ought to pass.

0609 The Committee on Housing and Community Development, to which was referred on March 22, 2023, Docket #0609, authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Three Million Seven Hundred Thirty-Four Thousand Five Hundred Thirty-Three Dollars (\$3,734,533.00) in the form of a grant, for the Federal FY23 Housing for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA), awarded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund services for income-eligible individuals and families affected by AIDS. The award amount is estimated from prior years, submits a report recommending that the order ought to pass.

0610 The Committee on Housing and Community Development, to which was referred on March 22, 2023, Docket #0610, authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Million Five Hundred Seventeen Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty-Six Dollars (\$1,517,966.00) in the form of a grant, for the Federal FY23 Emergency Solutions Grant, awarded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund the street outreach, emergency shelter, homelessness prevention, rapid re-housing assistance, and shelter services. The award amount is estimated from prior years, submits a report recommending that the order ought to pass.

0521 The Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology, to which was referred on March 8, 2023, Docket #0521, Order for a study on city wages and services for the lowest paid municipal employees, submits a report recommending that the order ought to pass in a new draft.

MATTERS RECENTLY HEARD-FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

Dockets #0760-0762, Orders for the FY24 Operating Budget, including annual appropriations for departmental operations, for the School Department, and for other post-employment benefits (OPEB).

Dockets #0763, 0765, 0766, Orders for Capital Fund transfer appropriations.

Dockets #0764, 0767, 0768, Orders for the Capital Budget, including loan orders and lease-purchase agreements.

Dockets #0769-0780, Orders authorizing limits for departmental revolving funds for FY24, including Law, Tourism, Arts and Culture, Environment, Boston Centers for Youth and Families, Schools and Parks

0781 Message and order authorizing the appropriation of One Million Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,200,000.00) from the income of the George Francis Parkman Fund. The funds are to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation for the maintenance and improvement of Boston Common and Parks in existence since January 12, 1887.

0782 Message and order approving an appropriation of Four Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$4,500,000.00) from the 21st Century Fund, also known as the Public Educational, or Governmental (PEG) Access and Cable Related Fund. Pursuant to Section 53F ¾ of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, the funds may be used to support PEG access services, to monitor compliance with the cable franchise agreement, and for preparation of renewal of the franchise license.

Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.

MOTIONS, ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS:

0831 **Councilor Bok and Flynn offered the following:** Petition for a Special Law re: An Act to Make Certain Updated Changes in the Law Relative to the Historic Beacon Hill District.

0832 **Councilor Flynn offered the following:** Order for a hearing to discuss the creation of an Office of Pest Control in the City of Boston.

0833 **Councilor Bok and Flynn offered the following:** Resolution designating a Citizen Square at the intersection of Boylston and Dartmouth Streets in Back Bay in recognition of Lt. Col. Enoch "Woody" Woodhouse.

0834 **Councilor Bok and Louijeune offered the following:** Resolution recognizing May as National Preservation Month.

0835 **Councilor Louijeune and Bok offered the following:** Resolution urging Mass General Brigham to demonstrate a commitment to labor harmony for a fair NLRB election process.

0836 **Councilor Mejia and Coletta offered the following:** Resolution calling for non-discrimination and quality healthcare for immigrants and communities of color.

0837 **Councilor Mejia offered the following:** Resolution calling on Boston Public Schools for community engagement and full transparency in the ongoing efforts to close and merge public schools.

PERSONNEL ORDERS:

0838 Councilor Flynn for Councilor Bok offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Maccon Bonner in City Council effective June 10, 2023.

GREEN SHEETS:

26/23 Legislative Calendar for April 26, 2023.

CONSENT AGENDA:

0839 Councilor Flynn, Murphy and Flaherty offered the following:

Resolution recognizing Robert "Bobby" Lucas.

0840 Councilor Flynn offered the following: Resolution recognizing the Gold Star Wives of America, Inc.

0841 Councilor Murphy offered the following: Resolution recognizing Anna Coleman.

0842 Councilor Flaherty offered the following: Resolution recognizing the Renegades Women's Football Team.

0843 Councilor Murphy offered the following: Resolution Recognizing 100 men and women for their retirement from the Boston Firefighter's Local 718.

0844 Councilor Louijeune, Mejia and Coletta offered the following: Resolution in recognition of 106 volunteers of the East Boston Community Soup Kitchen.

0845 Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution recognizing Rev. Marcel Victor.

0846 Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution recognizing Rev. Hubermann Larose.

0847 Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution recognizing Maestro Jean Rene Charles.

0848 Councilor Mejia offered the following: Resolution recognizing Luis Rodriguez.

0849 Councilor Mejia offered the following: Resolution recognizing Jose Ignacio Paliza.

0850 Councilor Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Resolution recognizing Clarrissa Cropper and Leonard Egerton.

0851 Councilor Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Resolution recognizing the Prince Hall Grand Lodge.

- 0852 Councilor Fernandes Anderson offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Carol Walton.
- 0853 Councilor Coletta offered the following:** Resolution in recognition of Sal Giarratani.
- 0854 Councilor Coletta offered the following:** Resolution in memory of George Farro.
- 0855 Councilor Murphy offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Polish Constitution Day.
- 0856 Councilor Coletta offered the following:** Resolution recognizing the East Boston High School baseball team and their coaching team.
- 0857 Councilor Flaherty offered the following:** Resolution recognizing April 27th, 2023 as Compass on the Bay Day in the City of Boston.
- 0858 Councilor Mejia offered the following:** Resolution recognizing Dalila Vargas.



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an order designating members of the Building Emissions Reductions and Disclosure Review Board as special municipal employees, subject to Massachusetts General Laws chapter 268A.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order at the earliest possible date.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

**CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL**

AN ORDER DESIGNATING MEMBERS OF THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD TO BE SPECIAL MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES UNDER MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 268A

ORDERED: All members of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board as defined under section (s) of the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter VII, Section 7-2.2, as well as every person who shall, on a part time and consultative basis, perform any professional services for, the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board shall be deemed special municipal employees for the purposes of Chapter 268A of the General Laws.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**

BY



**ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL**



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order that will authorize the Department of Innovation and Technology (DoIT) to enter into a contract with a term of, up to, seven years for data center hosting with colocation and fiber interconnection to provide uninterrupted functionality. Such a contract would support citywide services and operations. Massachusetts General Law 30B § 12(b) limits the length of contracts to a three-year period unless permission is granted by the local City Council.

DoIT is in the process of soliciting contracts for data center hosting services and believes it is in the best interest of the City for a longer contract period to not only prevent any operational interruptions and standardize the data center operations, but also to develop, stabilize, and secure pricing for this prolonged period. Information technology best practices encourage the adoption of multiple data centers to ensure continuity. Off-site data centers ensure citywide support, and that operations remain uninterrupted and align with information technology best practices.

I urge this Honorable body to adopt this Order so the City can procure a long-term data center contract to ensure that information technology support for citywide services remains uninterrupted.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON DEPARTMENT OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY TO ENTER INTO A CONTRACT FOR DATA CENTER HOSTING SERVICES FOR A TERM OF UP TO SEVEN (7) YEARS.

ORDERED: That the Department of Innovation and Technology, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is, authorized to enter into a contract for data center services for, up to, a seven-year period pursuant to the requirements of M.G.L. c. 30B, § 12(b).

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
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BY _____

ADAM CEDERBAUM TJB
CORPORATION COUNSEL



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

04-24-2023

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 **FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETEEN DOLLARS (\$430,419.00)** in the form of a grant, Federal FY23 Senior Companion Program, awarded by Corporation for National and Community Service to be administered by the Age Strong Commission.

The grant would fund reimbursement for travel and meals, plus stipends, for volunteers who provide companionship to homebound and frail seniors.

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 Federal FY23 Senior Companion Program FUNDS, AWARDED BY Corporation for National and Community Service.

WHEREAS, the Corporation for National and Community Service, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Age Strong Commission; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETEEN DOLLARS (**\$430,419.00**) would fund reimbursement for travel and meals, plus stipends, for volunteers who provide companionship to homebound and frail seniors. 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 Corporation for National and Community Service, Federal FY23 Senior Companion Program award not to exceed the amount of FOUR HUNDRED THIRTY THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED NINETEEN DOLLARS (**\$430,419.00**).

Docket #

**In City Council
Passed**

City Clerk

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



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

04-24-2023

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 HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY-THREE DOLLARS (**\$137,753.00**) in the form of a grant, FY23 Retired Senior Volunteer Program, awarded by Corporation for National and Community Service to be administered by the Age Strong Commission.

The grant would fund reimbursement for meals and travel, for senior community service volunteers.

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 FY23 Retired Senior Volunteer Program FUNDS, AWARDED BY Corporation for National and Community Service.

WHEREAS, the Corporation for National and Community Service, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Age Strong Commission; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY-THREE DOLLARS (**\$137,753.00**) would fund reimbursement for meals and travel, for senior community service volunteers. 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 Corporation for National and Community Service, FY23 Retired Senior Volunteer Program award not to exceed the amount of ONE HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY-THREE DOLLARS (**\$137,753.00**).

Docket # _____

**In City Council
Passed** _____

City Clerk

Mayor

Approved _____

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by Adam Cederbaum

Adam Cederbaum
Corporation Counsel



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Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu**

04-24-2023

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 FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$45,000.00**) in the form of a grant, the Galilean Fund at The Boston Foundation, awarded by Charities Aid Foundation America to be administered by the Office of Arts & Culture.

The grant would fund the Fay Chandler Emerging Artists Awards.

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 the Galilean Fund at The Boston Foundation FUNDS, AWARDED BY Charities Aid Foundation America.

WHEREAS, the Charities Aid Foundation America, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Office of Arts & Culture; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$45,000.00**) would fund the Fay Chandler Emerging Artists Awards. 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 Charities Aid Foundation America, the Galilean Fund at The Boston Foundation award not to exceed the amount of FORTY-FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$45,000.00**).

Docket #

**In City Council
Passed**

City Clerk

Mayor

Approved

I hereby certify that
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by Adam Cederbaum

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Corporation Counsel



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Kendra Lara of 46 St Rose St, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Kendra Lara to the seat designated for the Chair of the Boston City Council's Environment, Resiliency and Parks Committee, or their designee, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Kendra Lara as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

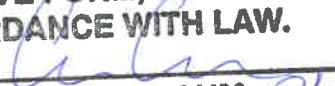
Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

**CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL**

**AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF KENDRA LARA TO THE
BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.**

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Kendra Lara of 46 St Rose St, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board in her role as Chair of the Boston City Council's Environment, Resiliency and Parks Committee, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**
BY 
**ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL**



City of Boston, Massachusetts
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Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Gail Latimore of 31 Pleasant St, Hyde Park, MA 02136 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Gail Latimore pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Gail Latimore as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF GAIL LATIMORE TO THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Gail Latimore of 31 Pleasant St, Hyde Park, MA 02136, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
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CORPORATION COUNSEL



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Kai Palmer-Dunning of 3686 Washington Street #2607, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Kai Palmer-Dunning pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Kai Palmer-Dunning as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

**AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF KAI PALMER-DUNNING TO
THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.**

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Kai Palmer-Dunning of 3686 Washington Street #2607, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

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April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Lee Matsueda of 11 Atwood Sq., #2, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Lee Matsueda pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Lee Matsueda as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF LEE MATSUEDA TO THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Lee Matsueda of 11 Atwood Sq., #2, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
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CORPORATION COUNSEL



City of Boston, Massachusetts
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Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Rashida Boyd of 31 Jacob Street, Dorchester, MA 02124 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Rashida Boyd pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Rashida Boyd as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF RASHIDA BOYD TO THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Rashida Boyd of 31 Jacob Street, Dorchester, MA 02124, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

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April 24, 2023

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Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Matt O'Malley of 51 Gretter Road, West Roxbury, MA 02132 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Matt O'Malley pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Matt O'Malley as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF MATT O'MALLEY TO THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Matt O'Malley of 51 Gretter Road, West Roxbury, MA 02132, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**

BY _____

ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Jack Nelson of 44 Bradfield Ave, Roslindale, MA, 02131 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Jack Nelson pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Jack Nelson as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF JACK NELSON TO THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Jack Nelson of 44 Bradfield Ave, Roslindale, MA, 02131, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

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City of Boston, Massachusetts
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Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Lovette Jacobs of 44 Bradfield Ave, Roslindale, MA, 02131 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Lovette Jacobs pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Lovette Jacobs as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.



Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF LOVETTE JACOBS TO THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Lovette Jacobs of 61 Faneuil Street #187, Boston, 02135, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

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BY 
**ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL** 



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Plaza
Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order regarding the appointment of Stephen Ellis of 150 North Beacon St., Apt B4, Brighton, MA 02135 as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026. I am appointing Stephen Ellis pursuant to the authority vested in me by Section 7-2.2(s) of the City of Boston Municipal Code and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Stephen Ellis as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE APPOINTMENT OF STEPHEN ELLIS TO THE BUILDING EMISSIONS REDUCTION AND DISCLOSURE REVIEW BOARD.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the City of Boston Municipal Code, Section 7-2.2(s), the appointment of Stephen Ellis of 150 North Beacon St., Apt B4, Brighton, MA 02135, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure Review Board, for a term expiring on April 24, 2026, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

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City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear City Councilors:

In Response to a 17F request filed by your Honorable Body on April 5, 2023, Docket #0758.

Re: Relative to the City of Boston's Redistricting Court Case Legal Counsel and witness hired to testify. The witness fees will be paid through the outside counsel contracts.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston



City of Boston
Law Department

April 18, 2023

Councilor Frank Baker
Boston City Councilor, District 3
Boston City Council
1 City Hall Square, Suite 550
Boston, MA 02201

Re: Docket #0758: April 5, 2023 Section 17F Request for Records

Dear Councilor Baker,

On April 7, 2023, the Law Department received your 17F filed on April 5, stating the following:

Order of Councilor Frank Baker

ORDERED: That under the provisions of section 17F of Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948, as amended, and any other applicable provision of law, the Mayor, be, and hereby is, requested to obtain and deliver to the City Council, within one week of the receipt hereof, the following information relative to new City of Boston employees:

- 1. Who has the City of Boston hired to defend the City of Boston in the redistricting court case?*
- 2. Outside of legal counsel, who else has been hired to testify for the City of Boston?*
- 3. How much has outside counsel and experts cost the City of Boston?*

Filed in Council: April 5, 2023

Section 17F of Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948 is found in Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982. Section 17F was introduced in Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951 as an amendment to Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948 and states:

Section 17F. The city council at any time may request from the mayor specific information on any municipal matter within its jurisdiction, and may request his presence to answer written questions relating thereto at a meeting to be held not earlier than one week from the date of the receipt of said questions, in which case the mayor shall personally, or through a head of a department or a member of a board, attend such meeting and publicly answer all such questions. The person so attending shall not be obliged to answer questions relating to any other matter. The mayor at any time may attend and address the city council in person or through the head of a department, or a member of a board, upon such subject as he may desire.

Section 17F was amended by Section 16 of Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982. This section adds to Section 17F of the Acts of 1951 as follows:



City of Boston
Law Department

SECTION 16. Section 17F of chapter 452 of the acts of 1948, inserted by chapter 376 of the acts of 1951, is hereby amended by inserting after the second sentence the following sentence:- Specific information, as used in this section, shall include any and all records, other than those exempt from disclosure under clause Twenty-six of section seventy-seven [sic] of chapter four of the General Laws, within the control of any executive department or agency of the city, including the Boston water and sewer commission and the Boston Redevelopment Authority, whether the information is in printed or electronic form. For the purposes of enforcing this section, the city council shall have standing to request a justice of the superior court department of the trial court of the commonwealth to issue appropriate orders to compel compliance with this section.

As indicated in Section 16, “clause Twenty-six of section seventy-seven [sic] of chapter four of the General Laws.” This part of the General Laws is also known as the Massachusetts public records law. See G. L. c. 4, § 7 (26). It is presumed this reference is to section seven as there is no “section seventy-seven” of chapter four, nor has there ever been such a section. See <https://malegislature.gov/Laws/GeneralLaws/PartI/TitleI/Chapter4>.

Massachusetts courts have consistently held that: “[w]here, as here, a statute contains an obvious clerical error, a court may depart from the statute's literal meaning in order to effectuate legislative intent.” Com. v. Maloney, 447 Mass. 577 (2006) *citing* Cohen v. Commissioner of Div. of Med. Assistance, 423 Mass. 399, 409 (1996). Further, “[i]n criminal cases no less than in civil, ‘where the draftsmanship of a statute is faulty or lacks precision, it is [the court's] duty to give the statute a reasonable construction.’” Com. v. Maloney, 447 Mass. 577 (2006) *citing* Com. v. Pagan, 445 Mass. 315, 319 (2005) *quoting* Capone v. Zoning Bd. of Appeals of Fitchburg, 389 Mass. 617 (1983).

As indicated in the Acts of 1982, any record provided under Section 17F is subject to the exemptions provided by the Massachusetts public records law. Government records custodians are permitted to redact or withhold portions of public records, so long as a specific exemption to the law is cited. Portions of records responsive to your request contain information that is exempt from disclosure.

Response to Requests for Records

1. Who has the City of Boston hired to defend the City of Boston in the redistricting court case?

Response to Request 1: Anderson & Kreiger LLP and Hemenway & Barnes LLP have been hired to defend the City of Boston in the redistricting court case, also known as Walters et al v the Boston City Council.

2. Outside of legal counsel, who else has been hired to testify for the City of Boston?

Response to Request 2: Dr. Moon Duchin was hired through outside counsel, Anderson & Kreiger LLP, as the Principal Investigator of the MGGG Redistricting Lab at Tufts University.



City of Boston
Law Department

Dr. Duchin's CV has been provided for reference under the file Duchin-CV-2023. This record contains no redactions.

3. How much has outside counsel and experts cost the City of Boston?

Response to Request 3: The responsive records are provided herein in a file entitled Outside Counsel Contracts. These records contain no redactions.

Sincerely,

Adam N. Cederbaum
Corporation Counsel



Boston City Council

LIZ BREADON
Councilor – District 9

April 14, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
One City Hall Square, Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Clerk Geourntas:

I disclose herewith for release to the public a true copy of my electronic communication dated Wednesday, April 5, 2023 and sent at 11:09 A.M. The message was addressed to one City Councilor and copied ten of the eleven remaining Councilors as recipients. As of the date of this letter, no responses to the message have been received.

The subject line of the April 5, 2023 message was “Regrading [sic] Hearing Order #0723” and its content read as follows:

Dear Councilor Murphy

You have filed a hearing order regarding the redistricting process in which you name a member of my staff.

This is totally inappropriate and irresponsible. Our staff should not be drawn into political disputes among councilors. They are working on our behalf in service of the people of Boston.

As far as the redistricting process goes this issue is being adjudicated in the Federal Court and I await the judge's ruling.

Sincerely,

Councilor Liz Breadon

The referenced Docket #0723 was filed with the Office of the City Clerk on Monday, April 3, 2023 and was subsequently withdrawn from the agenda for the regular meeting of the City Council on Wednesday, April 5, 2023. I was not in attendance at this meeting and my absence letter dated April 3, 2023 was read into the record as Docket #0755.

Since sending the April 5, 2023 communication I have reviewed The Guide to the Open Meeting Law published by the Office of the Massachusetts Attorney General.

Sincerely,

Liz Breadon
Boston City Councilor
District 9

Enclosure



Regrading Hearing Order #0723

1 message

Elizabeth Breadon <elizabeth.breadon@boston.gov>

Wed, Apr 5, 2023 at 11:09 AM

To: Erin Murphy <erin.murphy@boston.gov>

Cc: Brian Worrell <brian.worrell@boston.gov>, Edward Flynn <ed.flynn@boston.gov>, Elizabeth Breadon <liz.breadon@boston.gov>, Francis Baker <francis.baker@boston.gov>, Gabriela Coletta <gabriela.coletta@boston.gov>, Julia Mejia <julia.mejia@boston.gov>, Kendra Lara <kendra.hicks@boston.gov>, Kenzie Bok <priscilla.bok@boston.gov>, Ricardo Arroyo <ricardo.arroyo@boston.gov>, Ruthzee Louijeune <ruthzee.louijeune@boston.gov>, tania.fernandesanderson@boston.gov

Bcc: Elizabeth Breadon <liz.breadon@boston.gov>, Patricia Mullaney <pam.mullaney@boston.gov>

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This is totally inappropriate and irresponsible. Our staff should not be drawn into political disputes among councilors. They are working on our behalf in service of the people of Boston.

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Sincerely,

Councilor Liz Breadon

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Liz Breadon

Boston City Councilor

District 9 - Allston/Brighton

One City Hall Square, 5th Floor, Boston, MA 02201

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About Councilor Liz Breadon

This email is subject to [MGL: Chpt.66, Sec.10 Public Records Law](#).



Office of the City Clerk

ALEX GEOURNTAS

City Clerk

April 24, 2023

To The City Council

Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of, March 22, 2023, viz.

0576 Message and order for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to submit Statements of Interest to the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) Core Program for the P.A. Shaw Elementary School and the Charles H. Taylor Elementary School pursuant to M.G.L Chapter. 70B, Section 5. The Statement of Interest describes and explains the deficiencies within each of the school facilities that prevent them from delivering their desired educational program.

Approved by the Mayor April 6, 2023

0606 Ordinance adopting the Department of Energy Resources' Municipal Opt-in Specialized Stretch Energy Code.

Approved by the Mayor April 14, 2023

Respectfully,

Alex Geourntas
City Clerk



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
MICHELLE WU

April 14, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourntas
Office of the City Clerk
1 City Hall Square, Room 601
Boston, MA 02201

Dear Clerk Geourntas,

Please note that I will be out of town on Tuesday April 18th from 12:00 pm returning Saturday April 22nd at 12:00 pm.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston





OFFERED BY COUNCILOR FLYNN

CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDER OF COUNCIL PRESIDENT ED FLYNN

WHEREAS: The City Council received four complaints alleging violations of the Open Meeting Law; *and*

WHEREAS: Pursuant to the provision of the Open Meeting Law and the Attorney General's regulations, the City Council is required to review the Open Meeting Law complaints prior to sending a response or authorizing legal counsel or another representative to send a response. See G.L. c.30A, §23 (b); 940 CMR 29.05(5); *and*

WHEREAS: To comply with the Open Meeting Law and the Attorney General's regulations, attached to this order are the complaints referenced herein; *and*

THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED:

That the Law Department for the City of Boston address the Open Meeting Law complaints and respond accordingly on behalf of the Boston City Council.

Filed on: April 26, 2023



OPEN MEETING LAW COMPLAINT FORM

Office of the Attorney General
One Ashburton Place
Boston, MA 02108

Please note that all fields are required unless otherwise noted.

Your Contact Information:

First Name: Brian Last Name: Cullinane

Address: 350 Jamaicaaway

City: Boston State: MA Zip Code: 02130

Phone Number: 617-523-2338 Ext. _____

Email: briancullinane88@gmail.com

Organization or Media Affiliation (if any): _____

Are you filing the complaint in your capacity as an individual, representative of an organization, or media?

(For statistical purposes only)

Individual Organization Media

Public Body that is the subject of this complaint:

City/Town County Regional/District State

Name of Public Body (including city/town, county or region, if applicable): Boston City Council

Specific person(s), if any, you allege committed the violation: _____
Councillors Liz Breadon, Brian Worrell, Tania Fernandez-Anderson, Ruthzee Louijeune, Ricardo Arroyo, Julia Mejia, and Kendra Lara

Date of alleged violation: 9/27/2022

Description of alleged violation:

Describe the alleged violation that this complaint is about. If you believe the alleged violation was intentional, please say so and include the reasons supporting your belief.

Note: This text field has a maximum of 3000 characters.

On September 27, 2022 a meeting of a quorum of the Boston City Council was held at the Lena Park Community Community Development Corp at 150 American Legion Highway in the Dorchester neighborhood of Boston.

At the meeting, Ctr Liz Breadon, Chair of the Boston City Council's Redistricting Committee, and her Chief of Policy Wayne D. Yeh, along with City Councilors Arroyo, Louijeune, Mejia, Lara, Fernandes-Anderson, and Worrell, all deliberated Redistricting matters that were at the time before the City Council as a whole and also before the City Council's Redistricting Committee.

I allege four separate and intentional violations of the Open Meeting Law during this meeting on 9/27/2022

1. Six of Boston's 13 City Councilors were explicitly not invited to the meeting, revealing the intentional nature of the OML violation.
2. The meeting was not publicly noticed, but several of the above named City Councilors used official govmt email accounts to invite members of the public and activists to the meeting, revealing the intentional nature of the OML violation
3. Charts, City Council Dockets, tables, and other official City Council redistricting documents were shared, distributed, and discussed during the meeting by a quorum of City Councilors and some activists and members of the public. That Chair Breadon and Wayne Yeh, along with Vice Chair Worrell, prepared for a substantively deliberative meeting with a quorum of the Council for an un-noticed meeting, reveals the intentional nature of the OML violation.
4. No minutes of the meeting were recorded.

One email pertaining to the alleged violation is attached here. The email chain from Wayne Yeh and Ctr Breadon's office is prima facie evidence of OML violations, but I would point you to this quote:

"We've scheduled and are inviting you to a meeting tomorrow... President [Tanisha] Sullivan [Boston NAACP] has invited the 6 City Councilors who represent Roxbury, Dorchester, Mattapan, Hyde Park, as well as the Redistricting Committee Co-Chairs. They will be given a slotted time to present on ... their thoughts on what the [Redistricted] maps should look like... We'll hear the thinking from the sponsoring Councilors and get to ask questions."

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

"The Open Meeting Law requires that any communication between or among a quorum of a public body on any matter within its jurisdiction must be conducted during a noticed meeting. See G.L. c. 30A, §§ 18, 20. A "quorum" is defined as "a simple majority of the members of the public body, unless otherwise provided in a general or special law, executive order or other authorizing provision." G.L. c. 30A, § 18. The law defines a "meeting" as "a deliberation by a public body with respect to any matter within the body's jurisdiction[.]"

-- From mass.gov:

<https://www.mass.gov/info-details/frequently-asked-questions-about-the-open-meeting-law#frequently-asked-questions-about-the-open-meeting-law:-deliberation-and-electronic-communication->

What action do you want the public body to take in response to your complaint?

Note: This text field has a maximum of 500 characters.

A public meeting of the Boston City Council to address this OML violation, a commitment from Councilors Breadon, Arroyo, Worrell, Louijeune, Mejia, Fernandes-Anderson, and Lara to abide by the spirit and the letter of the Open Meeting Law going forward, and to instruct their staffs to do the same. And a public apology from those Councilors to the Boston City Council and the people of Boston for their and their staff's OML violation and the threat to democracy that flouting the Open Meeting Law represents.

Review, sign, and submit your complaint

I. Disclosure of Your Complaint.

Public Record. Under most circumstances, your complaint, and any documents submitted with your complaint, is considered a public record and will be available to any member of the public upon request.

Publication to Website. As part of the Open Data Initiative, the AGO will publish to its website certain information regarding your complaint, including your name and the name of the public body. The AGO will not publish your contact information.

II. Consulting With a Private Attorney.

The AGO cannot give you legal advice and is not able to be your private attorney, but represents the public interest. If you have any questions concerning your individual legal rights or responsibilities you should contact a private attorney.

III. Submit Your Complaint to the Public Body.

The complaint must be filed first with the public body. If you have any questions, please contact the Division of Open Government by calling (617) 963-2540 or by email to openmeeting@state.ma.us.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understood the provisions above and certify that the information I have provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

4-13-2023

For Use By Public Body

For Use By AGO

Date Received by Public Body:

Date Received by AGO:

On Wed, Sep 28, 2022, 12:44 PM QUEEN CARRIE <carriemays101@gmail.com> wrote:
Great meeting yesterday! Can we get the toolkit for Councilors Tania and Arroyo's map?

On Wed, Sep 28, 2022 at 12:37 PM Greater Mattapan Neighborhood Council <nfo.gmncouncil@gmail.com> wrote:
Hello,

Here is a link to the map that was shown last night by Councilors Liz Breadon & Broan Worrell. I found this link within the "toolkit" they sent out.

<https://boston.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=4af2c3a537ca480d80fdb899287e1070>

Thanks,
Fatima

On Tue, Sep 27, 2022 at 10:25 PM Victoria Williams <vknwilliams@gmail.com> wrote:
Great job Team!

I think it would be helpful to have a list of the current wards and precincts currently in each district and a listing of those that will move and to where for each of the different versions of the maps.
Also to know if any precincts are being split.

Best, Victoria

Sent from my iPad

> On Sep 26, 2022, at 2:56 PM, Dianne Wilkerson <newday.dw52@gmail.com> wrote:

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> Good afternoon Folks

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> Much has happened since we talked initially on Friday. The Boston City Council has scheduled several Working Sessions for this week, including this afternoon. It appears as of this communication, today's meeting is not going to be live streamed. Our focus is to be able to participate in the Boston City Council Redistricting Hearing scheduled for Thursday, September 29 at 3 pm at Boston City Hall. In order to prepare, and be informed, we've scheduled and we're inviting you to a meeting on tomorrow, Tuesday, September 27, 6:00 PM-8:00 PM at Lena Park Community Development Corp., 150 American Legion Highway, Dorchester. Plenty of free parking available.

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> It is important that you attend because we MUST avoid being pitted. We know that there have been conversations with Haitian and Cape Verdean Boston residents but it's not clear what level of information, background they were provided. This is a major issue for all of Black/Latino Boston to make sure our power is fortified and not diluted. See you tomorrow.

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> President Sullivan has invited the 6 City Councilors who represent Roxbury, Dorchester, Mattapan, Hyde Park as well as the Redistricting Committee Co-Chairs. They will be given a slotted time to present on both the guiding principles and their thoughts on what the map should look like. You should know that there are at least 3 maps circulating now. We'll hear the thinking from the sponsoring Councilors and get to ask questions. We're anticipating a total of about forty attendees. Our focus is to invite those thought leaders who have experience and/or interest in how these lines get drawn. We need you to attend. Please let me know if there are others who should be invited as well.

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> Please let us know if you can attend and others you believe should be invited.

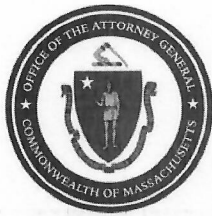
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> Blessings

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> Dianne Wilkerson

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OPEN MEETING LAW COMPLAINT FORM

Office of the Attorney General
One Ashburton Place
Boston, MA 02108

Please note that all fields are required unless otherwise noted.

Your Contact Information:

First Name: Brian Last Name: Cullinane

Address: 350 Jamaicaaway

City: Boston State: MA Zip Code: 02130

Phone Number: 617-523-2338 Ext. _____

Email: briancullinane88@gmail.com

Organization or Media Affiliation (if any): _____

Are you filing the complaint in your capacity as an individual, representative of an organization, or media?

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Specific person(s), if any, you allege committed the violation:

Liz Breacon, Wayne Yeh, Rep Moran, Staff Members

Councilor Liz Breacon; Wayne Yeh, Chief Policy Advisor to Cfr Breacon, MA State Rep Mike Moran, Brian Rielly and Nakeeda Burns of Rep Moran's office

Date of alleged violation: 10/7/2022

Description of alleged violation:

Describe the alleged violation that this complaint is about. If you believe the alleged violation was intentional, please say so and include the reasons supporting your belief.

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On October 7, 2022 and over the course of the next several days, Wayne Yeh, Chief Policy Advisor to Boston City Councilor Liz Breadon sent and received emails from his government email account to State Rep Mike Moran and members of his staff, in which he also CC'ed Clr Breadon, all at their government email accounts.

In the email exchange, one of which is attached here, Clr Breadon's office, as Chair of the Boston City Council's Redistricting Committee, included and solicited members of an outside legislative body with no legal jurisdiction over Redistricting, in the deliberations of the Boston City Council's redistricting efforts. The communications between Councilor Breadon's office and Rep Moran's office were not simply requests for information and/or resources. The communications were substantive and deliberative. They expressed strong opinions about the redistricting efforts of some of Clr Breadon's colleagues on the Council. The other members of the City Council's Redistricting Committee, and the Council as a whole, were not included in these deliberations.

One of the typical emails from Clr Breadon's office deliberating Redistricting is attached here. The entire email chain from Wayne Yeh and Clr Breadon's office is prima facie evidence of OML violations, but I would point you to this quote:

"Hello Rep Moran, ... Liz [Breadon] asked me to send over the materials for our currently proposed redistricting maps to see if you could run some analysis and let us know your thoughts... We decided to go bold and are receiving fierce opposition [from City Council colleagues] as expected."

My complaint is that Wayne Yeh, Councilor Breadon, and Rep Moran, along with members of their staffs, intentionally violated the Mass Open Meeting Law with these email communications, specifically, the warning against deliberating a matter before the body when a quorum is not present, and furthermore, expressing opinions about that matter.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

"We caution public bodies about meeting when a quorum is not present. The Open Meeting Law prohibits serial communication between or among members of a public body that reach a quorum of members outside of a noticed meeting. Thus, when a sub-quorum discusses a topic, which is then shared with a quorum outside of a meeting, it may be considered improper deliberation. See District Attorney for the Northern District v. School Committee of Wayland, 451 Mass. 561, 570-571 (2009) (" Governmental bodies may not circumvent the requirements of the open meeting law by conducting deliberations via private messages, whether electronically, in person, over the telephone, or in any other form"). The Attorney General recommends that a public body that does not achieve a quorum for a particular meeting consider postponing the meeting until a quorum is present, rather than proceeding with an informal discussion."

-- From mass.gov:

<https://www.mass.gov/info-details/frequently-asked-questions-about-the-open-meeting-law#frequently-asked-questions-about-meetings->

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Signed: _____

Date: 9-13-23

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From: Wayne Yeh <wayne.yeh@boston.gov>
Sent: Friday, October 07, 2022 3:20 PM EDT
To: Moran, Michael - Rep. (HOU) <michael.moran@mahouse.gov>; brian.riely@mahouse.gov
<brian.riely@mahouse.gov>; Burns, Nakeeda (HOU) <nakeeda.burns@mahouse.gov>
CC: Elizabeth Breadon <liz.breadon@boston.gov>
Subject: Boston Redistricting
Attachment(s): "Redistricting Proposal Docket #1186 (Arroyo, Fernandes Anderson).pdf", "Redistricting Proposal Docket #1215 (Murphy).pdf", "Redistricting Proposal Docket #1216 (Breadon, Worrell).pdf", "Data_Current_Districts_2010-2020.pdf", "Data_Baseline_Districts_2010-2020.pdf", "Redistricting Committee Proposal (Docket #1216) 10-03-2022.pdf"

Hello Rep. Moran, Brian, and Nakeeda, this is Wayne from Councilor Breadon's office.

Liz asked me to send over the materials for our currently proposed redistricting maps to see if you could run some analysis and let us know your thoughts. We've gotten materials uploaded to the Committee website at boston.gov/redistricting.

Our top objective was to create a 4th minority-opportunity district of at least 60% by Voting Age Population, which we achieved in District 3 through a 3.1% bump by shifting 8 precincts on the border of Districts 3 and 4. District 4 is already over 90% minority. I found that this could also be achieved with just moving 7 precincts, but we decided to go bold and are receiving fierce opposition as expected, in addition to some misinformation as to VRA requirements. We'd be happy to hear your thoughts on the proposals or to connect on redistricting at any time.

Here are the various maps with slides attached:

- Baseline current districts (reconciling split precincts) - Shapefile
- Docket #1186 (Arroyo, Fernandes Anderson) - Shapefile, Map, PDE
- Docket #1215 (Murphy) - Shapefile, Map, PDE
- Docket #1216 (Breadon, Worrell) - Shapefile, Map, PDE

We also have some interactive maps:

- Baseline districts
- Current actual districts
- State and congressional districts overlaid
- Proposed maps

We had to push to even get good data from the City. Here is what we got:

- Precincts: <https://bpda.box.com/s/lghdbnwopnux01r7a9rinxuntyxdlvog>
- Current Council Districts: <https://bpda.box.com/s/6zed8gbk95nkuwoj2c5qz9ezip4qq7rk>
- Revised Baseline Districts: <https://bpda.box.com/s/oqedyk1xr278bl84zlfjgwo7rp32p8>

Also sharing some of the data I put together:
Comparison of Proposed Redistricting Plans

Wayne
cell: 530-518-7542

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Public Records Law, Ch. 66, §10



OPEN MEETING LAW COMPLAINT FORM

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One Ashburton Place
Boston, MA 02108

Please note that all fields are required unless otherwise noted.

Your Contact Information:

First Name: Brian Last Name: Cullinane

Address: 350 Jamaicaaway

City: Boston State: MA Zip Code: 02130

Phone Number: 617-523-2338 Ext. _____

Email: briancullinane88@gmail.com

Organization or Media Affiliation (if any): _____

Are you filing the complaint in your capacity as an individual, representative of an organization, or media?
(For statistical purposes only)

Individual Organization Media

Public Body that is the subject of this complaint:

City/Town County Regional/District State

Name of Public Body (including city/town, county or region, if applicable): Boston City Council

Specific person(s), if any, you allege committed the violation: Councilor Liz Breadon

Date of alleged violation: 4/5/2023

Description of alleged violation:

Describe the alleged violation that this complaint is about. If you believe the alleged violation was intentional, please say so and include the reasons supporting your belief.

Note: This text field has a maximum of 3000 characters.

On April 5, 2023, Boston City Councilor Liz Breadon sent an email, from her official government email account to all her Council colleagues at their official government email accounts, in which she addressed Councilor Murphy's filing of a Hearing Order to the docket for the agenda of an upcoming City Council meeting.

The email from Clr Breadon to her colleagues is attached. The entire email from Clr Breadon is prima facie evidence of an OML violation, but I would point you to this quote from Clr Breadon to Clr Murphy and their colleagues:

"You have filed a hearing order regarding the redistricting process in which you name a member of my staff. This is totally inappropriate and irresponsible."

My complaint is that Councilor Breadon intentionally and willfully violated the Mass Open Meeting Law with this email communication, specifically, the proscription against communicating with a quorum of the City Council about a matter before the body, and furthermore, expressing an opinion about that matter.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

"A member of a public body may email other public body members on matters within jurisdiction of a public body so long as the email does not reach a quorum of the public body. Communications between and among a quorum of a public body on matters within the jurisdiction of the public body must occur during a noticed meeting. G.L. c. 30A, §§ 18, 20. A public body member may lawfully email a quorum of the public body only to discuss scheduling a meeting, distribute a meeting agenda, or to distribute reports or documents to be discussed at a meeting, provided that no opinion of a member of the public body is expressed. See G.L. c. 30A, § 18."

-- From mass.gov:
<https://www.mass.gov/info-details/frequently-asked-questions-about-the-open-meeting-law#frequently-asked-questions-about-the-op-en-meeting-law:-deliberation-and-electronic-communication->

What action do you want the public body to take in response to your complaint?

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A public meeting of the Boston City Council to address this OML violation, a commitment from Clr Breadon to Clr Murphy and her colleagues to abide by the spirit and the letter of the Open Meeting Law going forward, and to instruct her staff to do the same. And a public apology from Clr Breadon to Clr Murphy and the people of Boston for her violation and the threat to democracy that flouting the Open Meeting Law represents.

Review, sign, and submit your complaint

I. Disclosure of Your Complaint.

Public Record. Under most circumstances, your complaint, and any documents submitted with your complaint, is considered a public record and will be available to any member of the public upon request.

Publication to Website. As part of the Open Data Initiative, the AGO will publish to its website certain information regarding your complaint, including your name and the name of the public body. The AGO will not publish your contact information.


II. Consulting With a Private Attorney.

The AGO cannot give you legal advice and is not able to be your private attorney, but represents the public interest. If you have any questions concerning your individual legal rights or responsibilities you should contact a private attorney.

III. Submit Your Complaint to the Public Body.

The complaint must be filed first with the public body. If you have any questions, please contact the Division of Open Government by calling (617) 963-2540 or by email to openmeeting@state.ma.us.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understood the provisions above and certify that the information I have provided is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed: 

Date: 4-13-2023

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Regrading Hearing Order #0723

Elizabeth Breadon <elizabeth.breadon@boston.gov>

Wed, Apr 5, 2023 at 11:09 AM

To: Erin Murphy <erin.murphy@boston.gov>

Cc: Brian Worrell <brian.worrell@boston.gov>, Edward Flynn <ed.flynn@boston.gov>, Elizabeth Breadon <liz.breadon@boston.gov>, Francis Baker <francis.baker@boston.gov>, Gabriela Coletta <gabriela.coletta@boston.gov>, Julia Mejia <julia.mejia@boston.gov>, Kendra Lara <kendra.hicks@boston.gov>, Kenzie Bok <priscilla.bok@boston.gov>, Ricardo Arroyo <ricardo.arroyo@boston.gov>, Ruthzee Louijeune <ruthzee.louijeune@boston.gov>, tania.fernandesanderson@boston.gov

Dear Councilor Murphy

You have filed a hearing order regarding the redistricting process in which you name a member of my staff.

This is totally inappropriate and irresponsible. Our staff should not be drawn into political disputes among councilors. They are working on our behalf in service of the people of Boston.

As far as the redistricting process goes this issue is being adjudicated in the Federal Court and I await the judge's ruling.

Sincerely,

Councilor Liz Breadon

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Liz Breadon

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About Councilor Liz Breadon***

This email is subject to MGL: ChpL66, Sec.10 Public Records Law.



The Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Office of the Attorney General
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OPEN MEETING LAW COMPLAINT FORM

Instructions for completing the Open Meeting Law Complaint Form

The Attorney General's Division of Open Government interprets and enforces the Open Meeting Law, Chapter 30A of the Massachusetts General Laws, Sections 18-25. Below is the procedure for filing and responding to an Open Meeting Law complaint.

Instructions for filing a complaint:

- o Fill out the attached two-page form completely. Sign and date the second page. File the complaint with the public body within 30 days of the alleged violation. If the violation was not reasonably discoverable at the time it occurred, you must file the complaint within 30 days of the date the violation was reasonably discoverable. A violation that occurs during an open session of a meeting is reasonably discoverable on the date of the meeting.
- o To file the complaint:
 - o For a local or municipal public body, you must submit a copy of the complaint to the chair of the public body AND to the municipal clerk.
 - o For all other public bodies, you must submit a copy of the complaint to the chair of the public body.
 - o Complaints may be filed by mail, by email, or by hand. Please retain a copy for your records.
- o If the public body does not respond within 14 business days and does not request an extension to respond, contact the Division for further assistance.

Instructions for a public body that receives a complaint:

- o The chair must disseminate the complaint to the members of the public body.
- o The public body must meet to review the complaint within 14 business days (usually 20-22 calendar days).
- o After review, but within 14 business days, the public body must respond to the complaint in writing and must send the complainant a response and a description of any action the public body has taken to address the allegations in the complaint. At the same time, the body must send the Attorney General a copy of the complaint and a copy of the response. The public body may delegate this responsibility to an individual member of the public body, its counsel, or a staff member, but only after the public body has met to review the complaint.
- o If a public body requires more time to review the complaint and respond, it may request an extension of time for good cause by contacting the Division of Open Government.

Once the public body has responded to the complaint:

- o If you are not satisfied with the public body's response to your complaint, you may file a copy of the complaint with the Division by mail, by email, or by hand, but only once you have waited for 30 days after filing the complaint with the public body. Mail may be sent to: The Division of Open Government, Office of the Attorney General, One Ashburton Place - 20th Floor, Boston, MA 02108. Emails may be sent to: openmeeting@state.ma.us.
- o When you file your complaint with the Division, please include the complaint form and all documentation relevant to the alleged violation. You may wish to attach a cover letter explaining why the public body's response does not adequately address your complaint.
- o The Division will not review complaints filed with us more than 90 days after the violation, unless we granted an extension to the public body or you can demonstrate good cause for the delay.

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Address: _____

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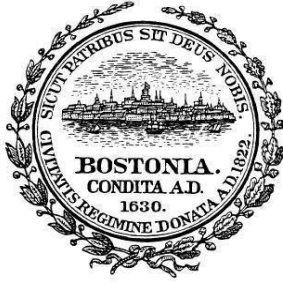
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OFFERED BY COUNCILOR ED FLYNN, ARROYO, BOK,
COLETTA, FERNANDES ANDERSON, FLAHERTY, LARA,
LOUIJEUNE, MEJIA, MURPHY, WORRELL AND BREADON

**CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL**

**ORDER FOR SPECIAL PRELIMINARY MUNICIPAL
ELECTION FOR DISTRICT EIGHT CITY COUNCILOR ON
June 27, 2023 AND SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION ON
July 25, 2023**

President Flynn offered the following:

WHEREAS: Pursuant to Chapter 233 of the Acts of 1993, as amended (the “charter”), section 15A, the City Clerk did on April 12, 2023, notify the City Council of a vacancy in the Office of District Eight City Councilor in the City of Boston; AND

WHEREAS: Pursuant to said section 15A of the Charter, the City Council shall at the first Council Meeting occurring after such notification, forthwith adopt an Order calling for a Special Preliminary Municipal Election for the purpose of nominating a District City Councilor for the unexpired term of said vacancy; AND

WHEREAS: Pursuant to said section 15A of the Charter, the Special Municipal Election for the purpose of electing a District City Councilor for the unexpired term of said vacancy shall be held twenty-eight days following the Special Preliminary Municipal Election; **THEREFORE BE IT**

Ordered: That the date of the Special Preliminary Municipal Election for District Eight City Councilor is hereby fixed as June 27, 2023; **AND BE IT FURTHER**

Ordered: that the date of the Special Municipal Election for District Eight City Councilor is hereby fixed as July 25, 2023.

Filed in City Council: April 12, 2023



BOSTON CITY COUNCIL

Committee of the Whole

Ed Flynn, *Chair*

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE CHAIR

April 21, 2023

Dear Councilors:

The Committee of the Whole was referred the following docket for consideration:

Docket #0789, Order for special preliminary municipal election for District Eight City Councilor on June 27, 2023 and special municipal election on July 25, 2023.

This matter was sponsored by Councilor Ed Flynn and was referred to the committee on April 12, 2023.

Summary of Legislation

Docket #0789 sets the dates for a Special Preliminary Municipal Election and a Special Municipal Election pursuant to the City Charter, due to the vacancy in the office of District Eight City Councilor. In consultation with the Election Department, the dates of these elections shall be fixed as June 27, 2023 and July 25, 2023, respectively.

Committee Chair Recommended Action

As Chair of the Committee of the Whole, I recommend moving the listed docket from the Committee to the full Council for discussion and formal action. At this time, my recommendation to the full Council will be that this matter **OUGHT TO PASS**.

Ed Flynn, Chair
Committee of the Whole

Offered by Councilor Kenzie Bok, Arroyo, Breadon, Coletta, Fernandes Anderson, Flaherty, Lara, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy, Worrell and Flynn



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CITY OF BOSTON CODE, ORDINANCES, SECTION 2-9.2 IN REGARD TO COUNCIL DISTRICT EIGHT

- WHEREAS:* The Charter of the City of Boston calls for a vacancy in the Office of District City Councilor to be filled by special election if it occurs more than 180 days prior to a municipal election; *and*
- WHEREAS:* Such a vacancy has been declared in District Eight, whose residents deserve to be newly represented within three months as enabled by the City Charter, *and*
- WHEREAS:* Since the redrawing of District Eight in 2012 as defined by then-current precinct lines, Boston's Board of Election Commissioners has drawn meaningfully new precinct lines within several of the wards included in District Eight; *and*
- WHEREAS:* These new precinct lines have already been input into the Voter Registration Information System (VRIS), publicized to voters, and used for the 2022 state elections; *and*
- WHEREAS:* Ease and consistency of election administration, along with clarity for voters, will benefit from using the same new precinct lines for any 2023 special municipal election as shall be used in the 2023 regular municipal elections; *and*
- WHEREAS:* It is not fair to ask voters, for administrative reasons, to wait seven months rather than three for the Council representation to which they are entitled by law, if administrative solutions can be found to the administrative hurdles; *and*
- WHEREAS:* Boston's Board of Election Commissioners possesses authority to create the seven sub-precincts needed to align new precinct lines with the geographic boundaries of District Eight as established by Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 2012; *and*
- WHEREAS:* The City Council can and should by ordinance clearly establish the authority of the Board of Election Commissioners to conduct any 2023 special municipal election for District Eight within the territory defined for said District in 2012 but according to the new precinct lines; **NOW**

THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BOSTON, AS FOLLOWS:

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter Two is hereby amended by adding to the end of Section 2-9.2 the following:

“For the purposes of any special preliminary election or special municipal election to be held in 2023 to fill a vacancy in Boston City Council District Eight as drawn by Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 2012, said special elections shall be administered according to new precincts ratified by the Board of Election Commissioners since 2021, and so said District shall be redefined, for any such 2023 special elections only, as follows:

District Eight: Consisting of precincts numbered five and nine of Ward Three; precincts numbered two through twelve and fifteen of Ward Five; precincts numbered one through five of Ward Ten; precincts numbered one and two of Ward Twenty-One; and sub-precincts numbered ten ‘A’ of Ward Three and six ‘A’, seven ‘A’, eight ‘A’, nine ‘A’, ten ‘A’, and twelve ‘A’ of Ward Four.”

Filed on: April 12, 2023



BOSTON CITY COUNCIL

Committee on Rules & Administration

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE CHAIR

April 21, 2023

Dear Councilors:

The Committee on Rules and Administration was referred the following docket for consideration:

Docket #0809, Ordinance amending the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Section 2-9.2 in regard to Council District Eight.

This matter was sponsored by Councilor Kenzie Bok and referred to the committee on April 12, 2023.

Summary of Legislation

Docket #0809 adds a clarification to the City Code that a special election to fill a vacancy in District 8 in 2023 shall use the precincts ratified by the Board of Election Commissioners since 2021, though the district lines shall be the existing 2012 territory (as new district lines pursuant to the 2022 redistricting process would not go into effect until the regular municipal election).

Summary of Amendments

Based on communication from the City of Boston Election Department and the Secretary of State's Office, the ordinance is amended to include a listing of all the addresses included in each sub-precinct, in order to avoid any potential confusion. Seven maps are attached to visually show the public what is considered in the district for the election. The ordinance is also reformatted to establish a new section (Section 2-9.3), rather than extending an existing section.

Committee Chair Recommended Action

As Chair of the Committee on Rules and Administration I recommend moving the listed docket from the Committee to the full Council for discussion and formal action. At this time, my recommendation to the full Council will be that this matter **OUGHT TO PASS IN A NEW DRAFT**.

Ed Flynn, Chair
Committee on Rules & Administration



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KENMORE

0410A

0410

The addresses in the shaded area (0410) **WILL NOT** be participating in the upcoming Special Election for City Council District 8

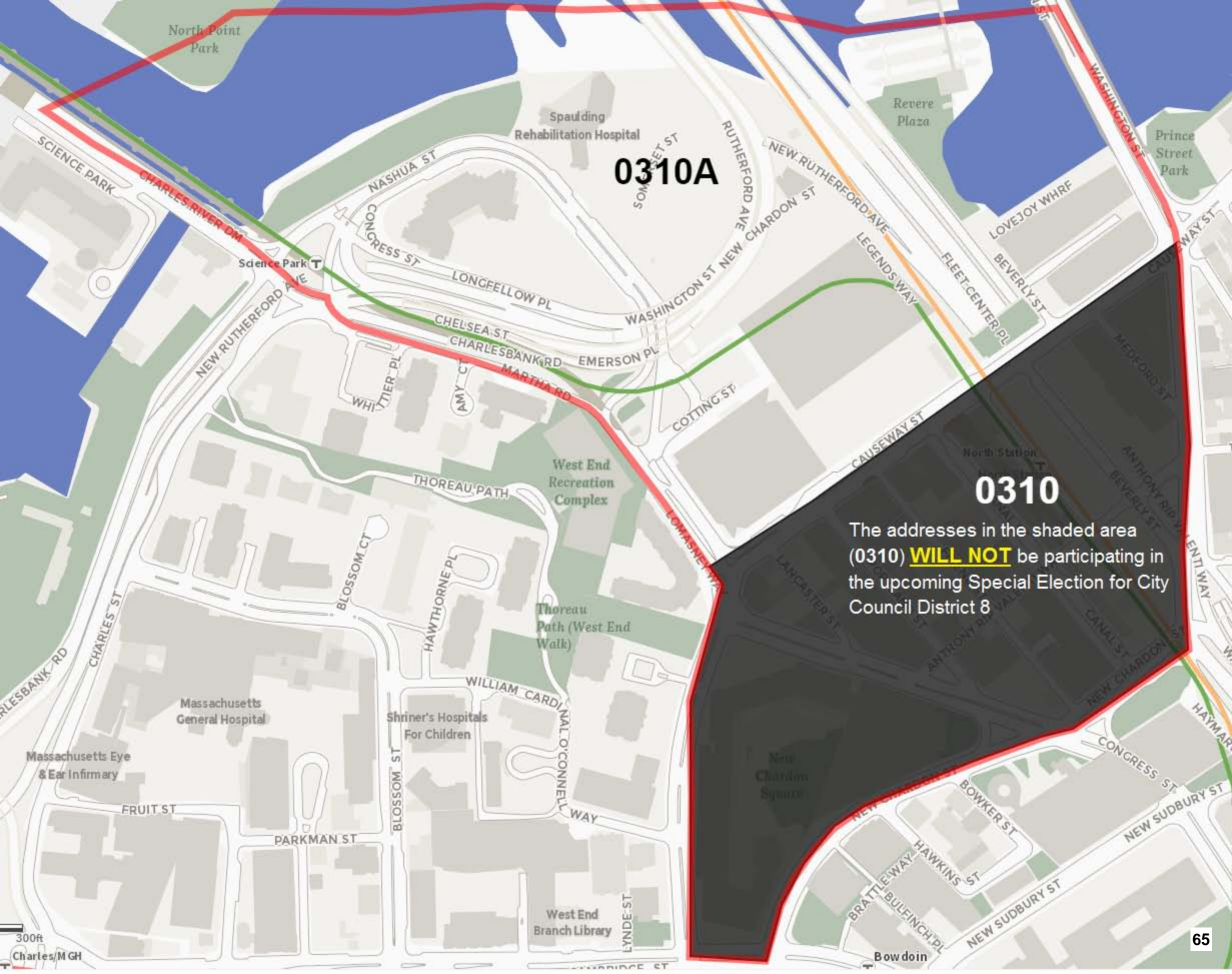


Back Bay Fens (Includes Evans Way Park, Forsyth Park, Westland Avenue Gates)

0412A

0412

The addresses in the shaded area (0412) **WILL NOT** be participating in the upcoming Special Election for City Council District 64



0310A

0310

The addresses in the shaded area (0310) **WILL NOT** be participating in the upcoming Special Election for City Council District 8



0409

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0409A

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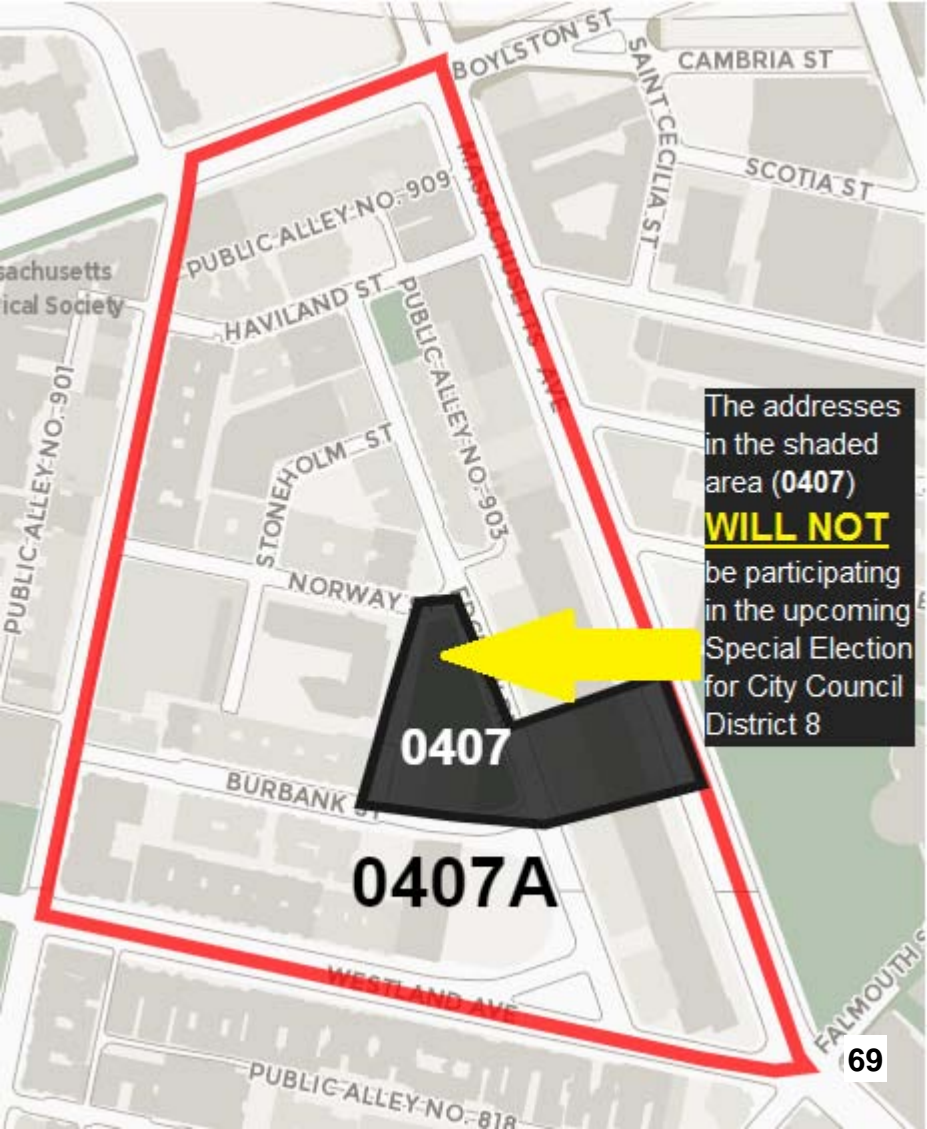
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0406

The addresses in the shaded area (0406) **WILL NOT** be participating in the upcoming Special Election for City Council District 8

0406A



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PUBLIC ALLEY NO. 901

PUBLIC ALLEY NO. 909

HAVILAND ST

PUBLIC ALLEY NO. 905

STONEHOLM ST

NORWAY

0407

0407A

BURBANK ST

WESTLAND AVE

PUBLIC ALLEY NO. 818

BOYLSTON ST

SAINT CECILIA ST

CAMBRIA ST

SCOTIA ST

FALMOUTH ST

The addresses
in the shaded
area (0407)
WILL NOT
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in the upcoming
Special Election
for City Council
District 8

Offered by Councilor Kenzie Bok



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THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF BOSTON, AS FOLLOWS:

City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter Two is hereby amended by adding the following Section 2-9.3:

“Section 2-9.3. 2023 Special Election Precincting for District 8

For the purposes of any special preliminary election or special municipal election to be held in 2023 to fill a vacancy in Boston City Council District Eight as drawn by Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 2012, said District shall be administered according to new precincts ratified by the Board of Election Commissioners since 2021, and so shall be redefined, for any such 2023 special elections only, as follows:

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Ward 3 Precinct 10A : (6 addresses)

Causeway St: 50 & 234; 42 Lomasney Way; 100 Lovejoy Wharf; Nashua St: 1 & 200.

Ward 4 Precinct 6A : (74 addresses)

11 Belvidere St; Clearway St: 10, 14, 16, 20, 24, 28, 32, 38, 40, 44, 48, 52, 56, & 60; Dalton St: 1 & 30; Massachusetts Ave: 150, 160, 168; 30 Saint Cecilia St; Saint Germain St: 8, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 59, 60, 61, 63, 65, & 67.

Ward 4 Precinct 7A : (71 addresses)

Boylston St: 1074, 1078, 1084, 1088, 1096, 1102, & 1126; Burbank St: 48, 49, 52, 54, 55, 59, 63, 64, 65, 70, 75; Edgerly Rd: 14, 15, 16, 18, 22, 24, 25, 26, 28, 30, 32, 33, 34, 36, 41; Haviland St: 13, 18, & 24; Hemenway St: 12, 20, 26, 30, 38, 58, & 64; Massachusetts Ave: 143, 149, 173, 179, 185, 199, & 255; Norway St: 99, 100, 103, 111, 115, & 120; 12 Stoneholm St; Westland Ave: 43, 45, 57, 59, 65, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, 83, 85, & 91.

Ward 4 Precinct 8A : (53 addresses)

Hemenway St: 98, 100, 104, & 108; Saint Stephen St: 23, 25, & 27; Symphony Rd: 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 35, 37, 39, 41, 43, 45, 47, 49, 67, & 71; Westland Ave: 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 24, 28, 32, 34, 38, 46, 52, 54, 58, 66, 70, 72, 78, & 90.

Ward 4 Precinct 9A : (2 addresses)

Huntington Ave: 610 & 620.

Ward 4 Precinct 10A : (45 addresses)

21 Autumn St; 107 Avenue Louis Pasteur; Brookline Ave: 255, 275, 291, 305, 321, & 400; Evans Way: 20, 26, & 30; 400 Fenway; Huntington Ave: 525 & 555; 179 Longwood Ave; Louis Prang St: 60, 62, 64, 66, & 68; 14 Palace Rd; Pilgrim Rd: 30, 37, 54, 78, & 86; Riverway: 100, 110, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 150, 154, 162, 210, & 214; 11 Tetlow St; Vancouver St: 7, 9, 11, 15, 17, & 19.

Ward 4 Precinct 12A : (46 addresses)

Fenway: 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 60, 66, 70, 74, 80, 84, 90, 96, & 114; Hemenway St: 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, 39, 43, 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, 55, 57, 59, 61, 65, 73, 97, 103, 119, & 129.”



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

03-20-2023

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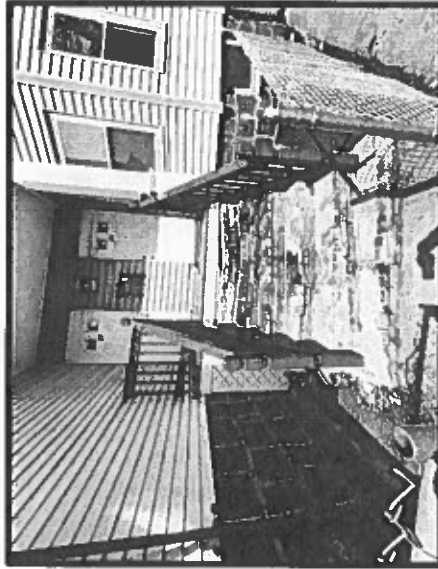
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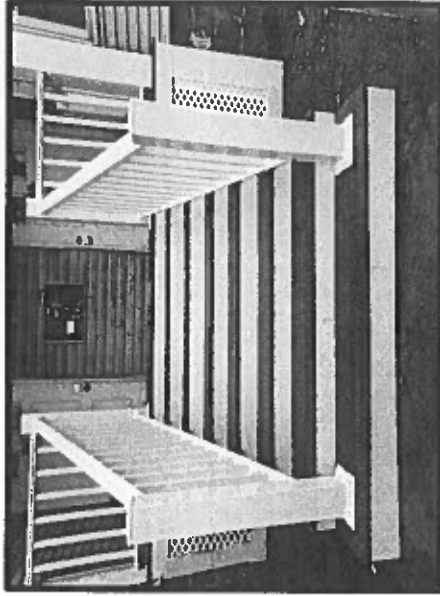
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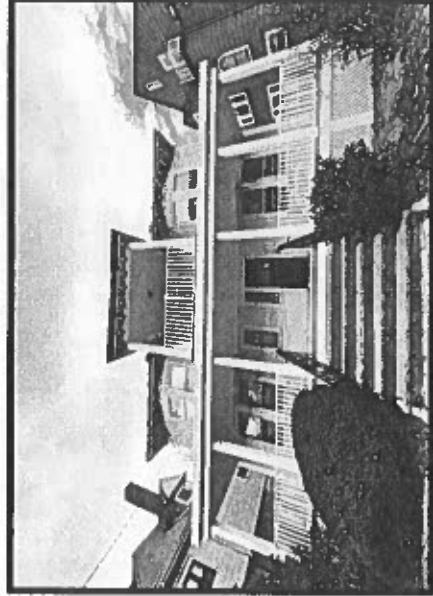
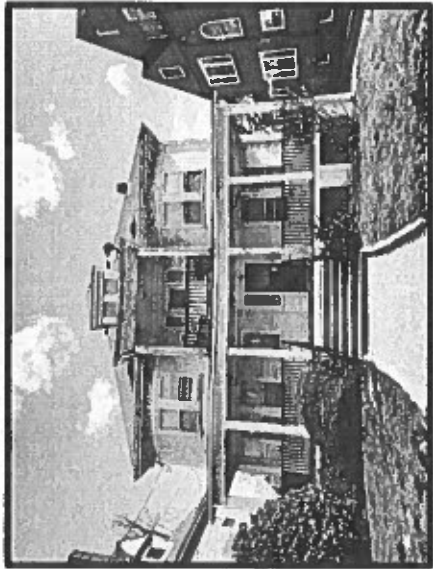
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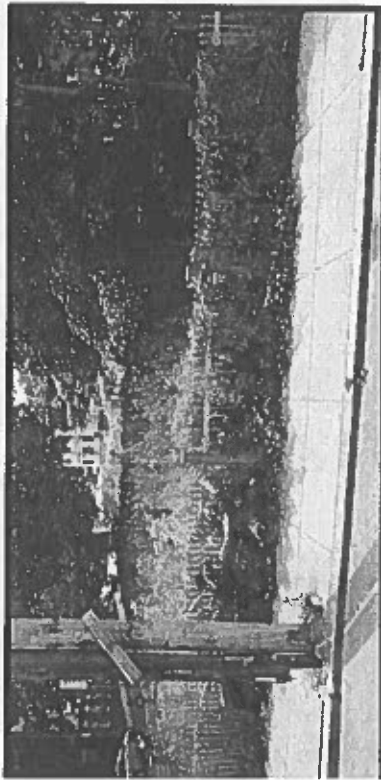
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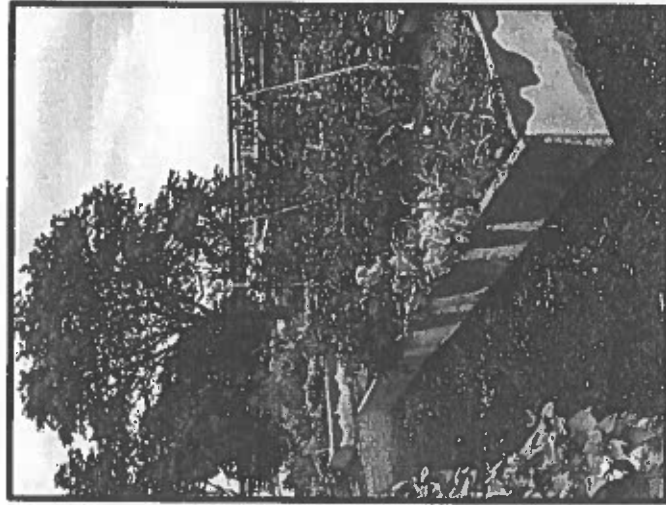


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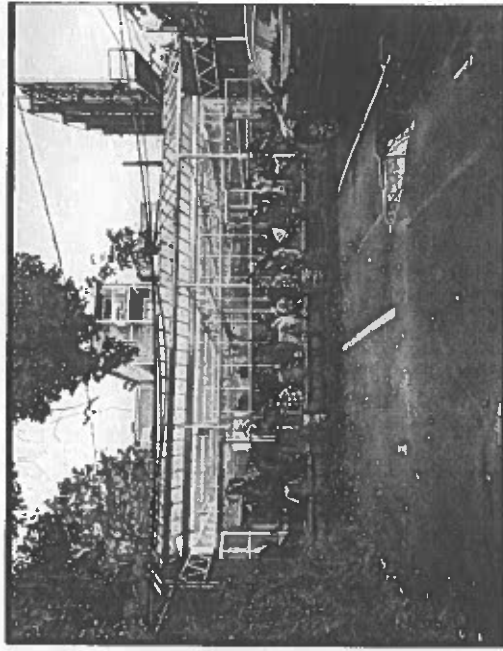


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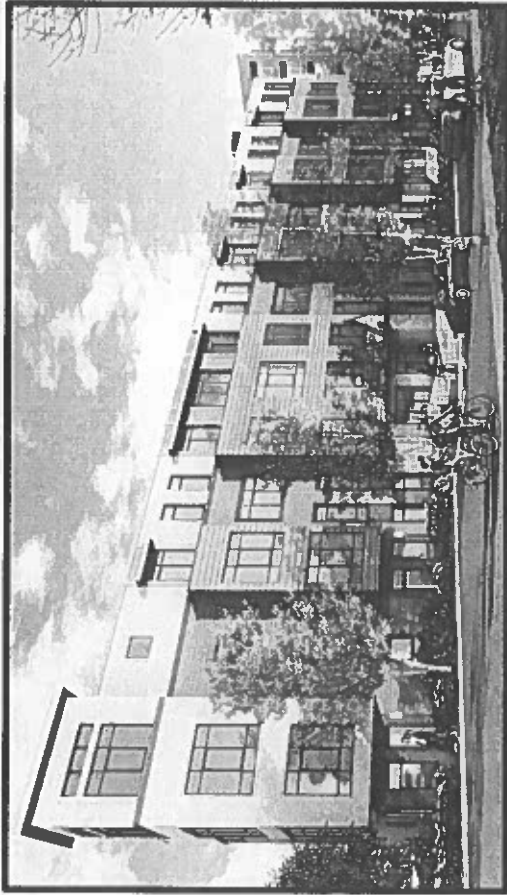
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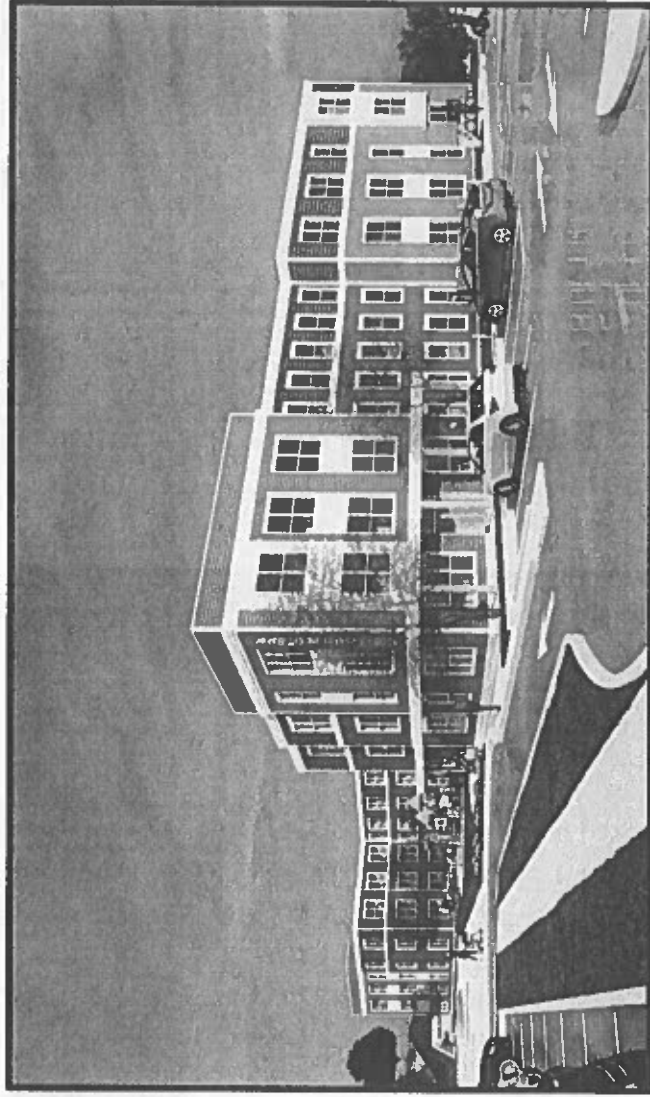
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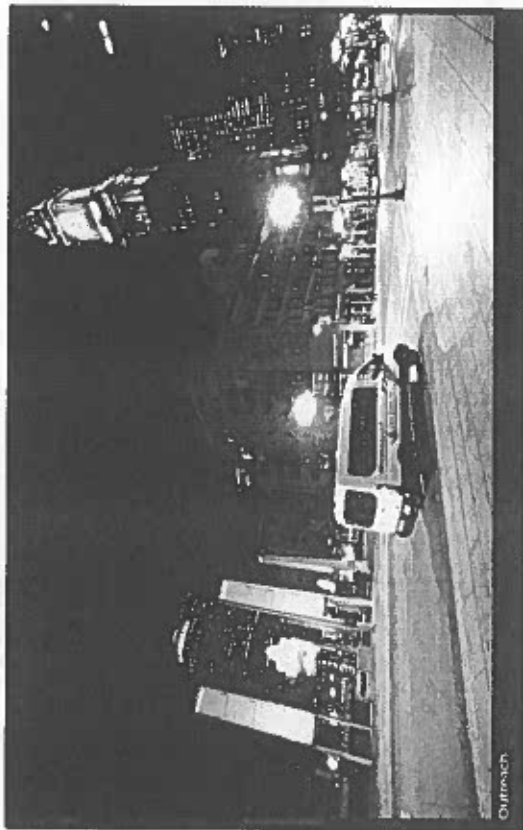
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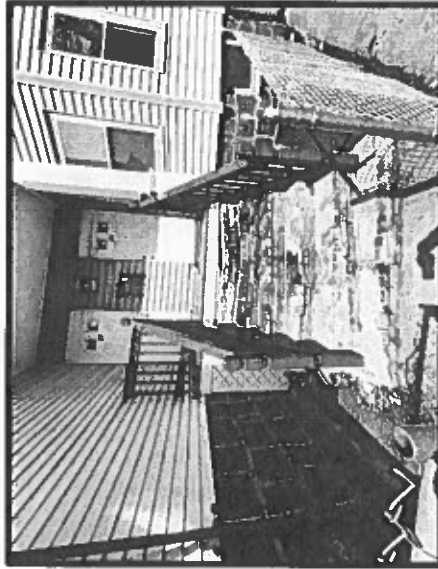
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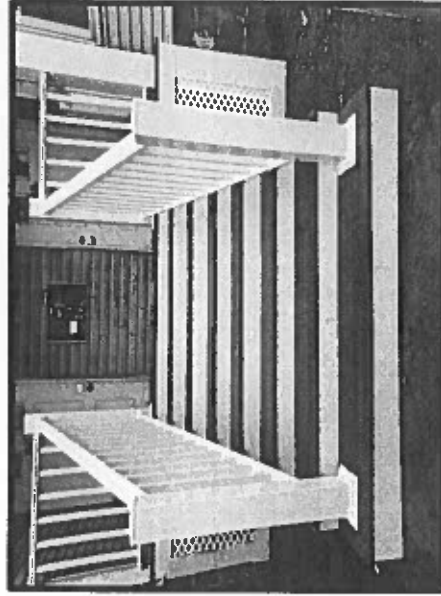
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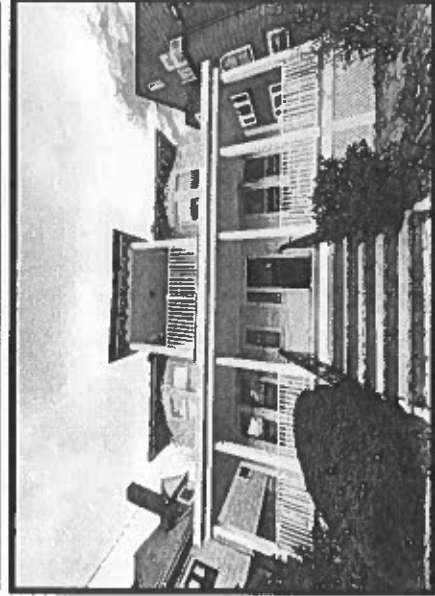
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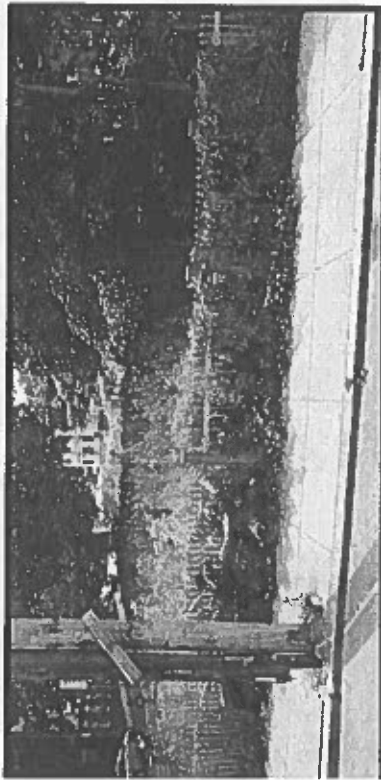


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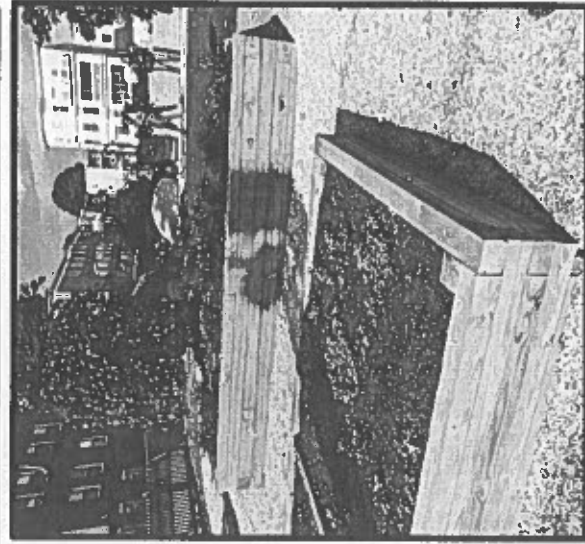


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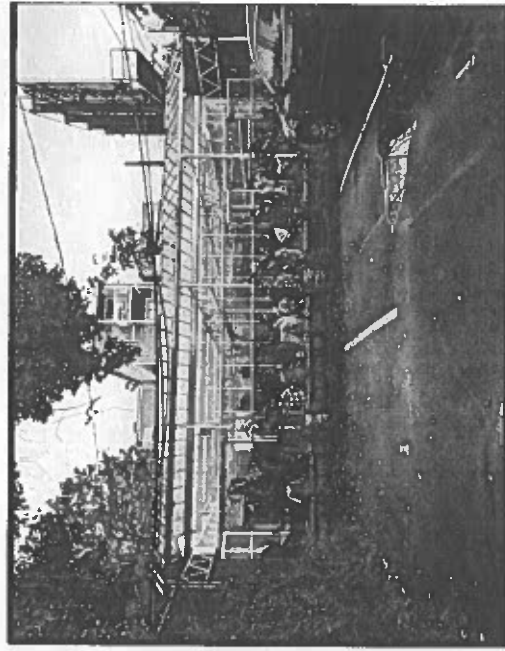
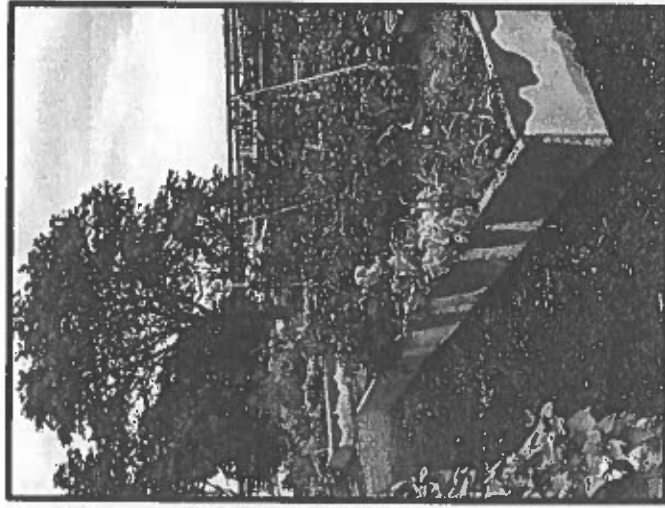


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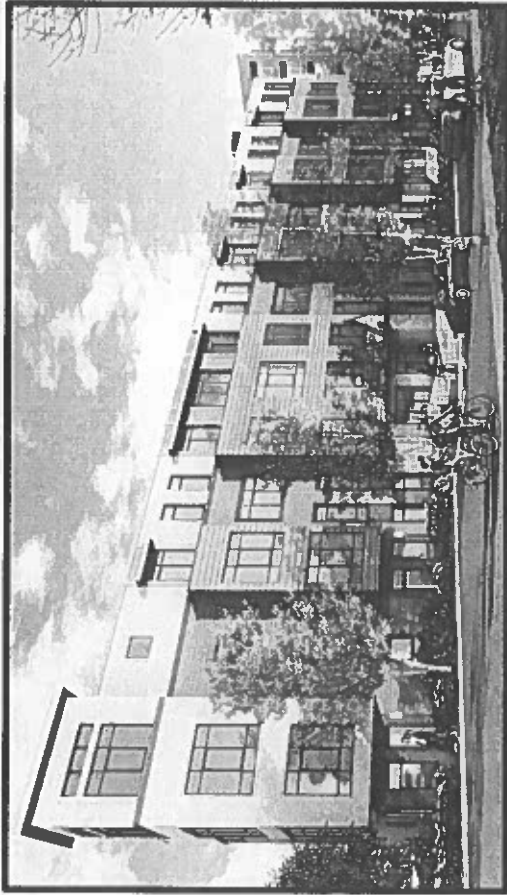
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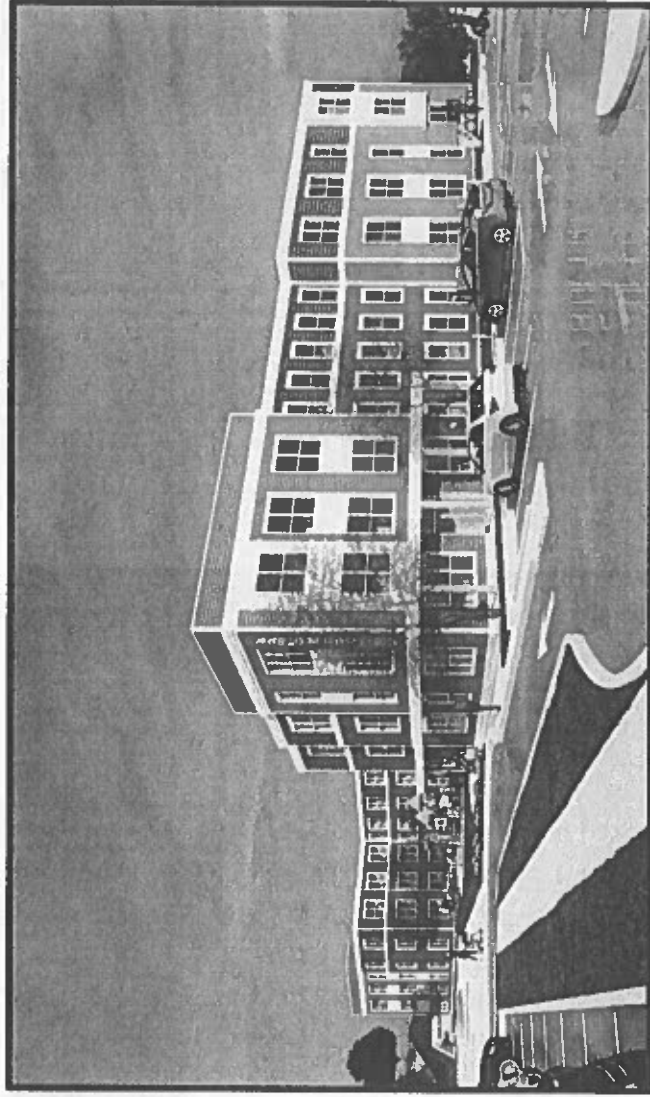
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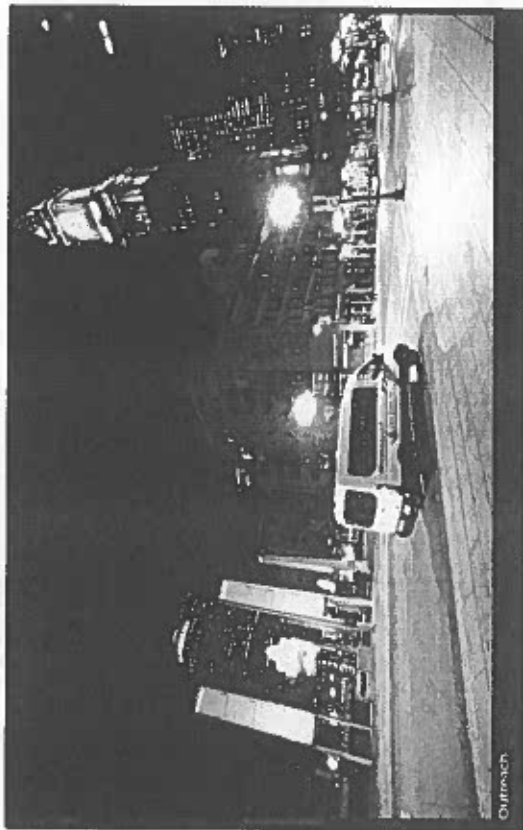
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City of Boston
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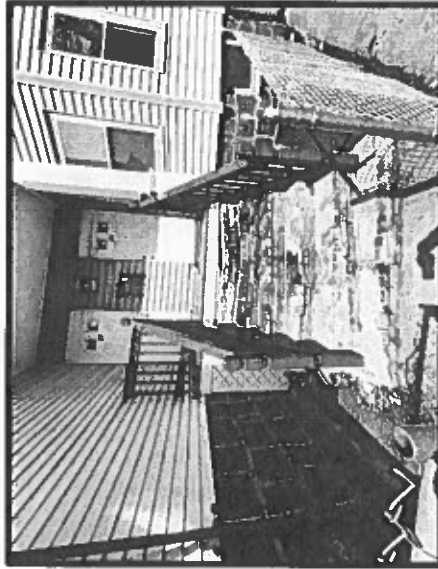
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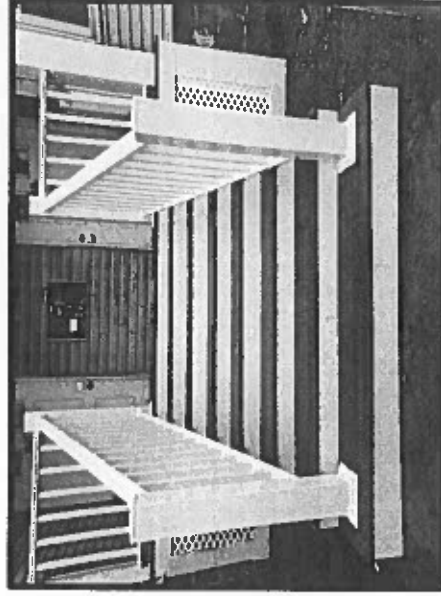
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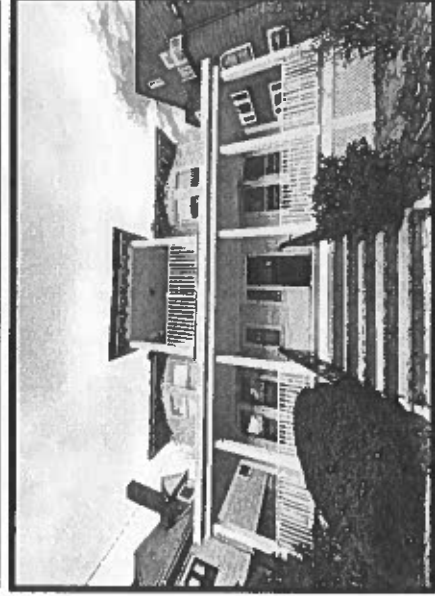
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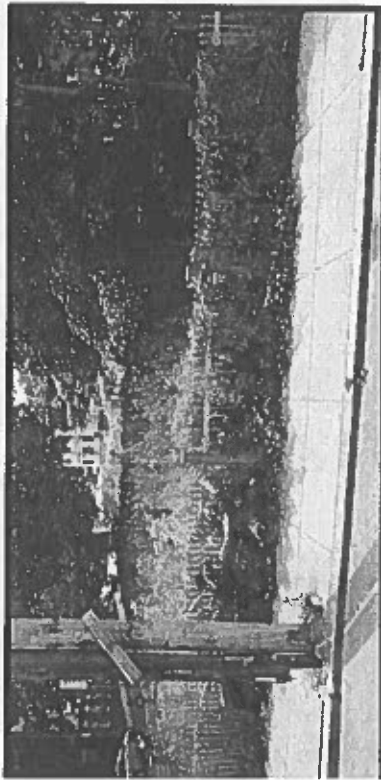
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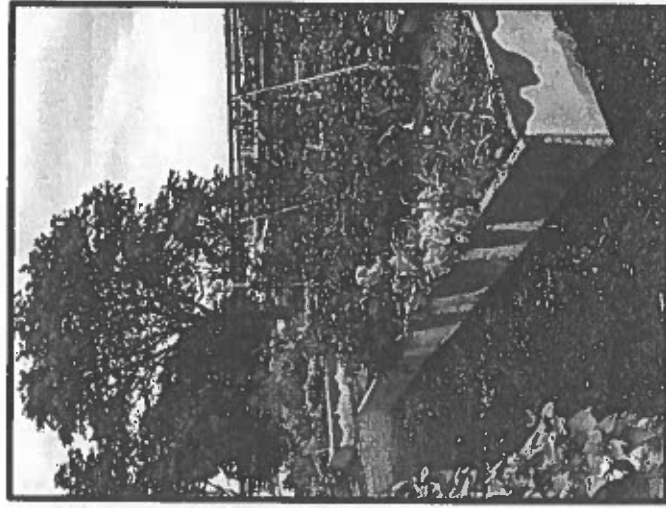


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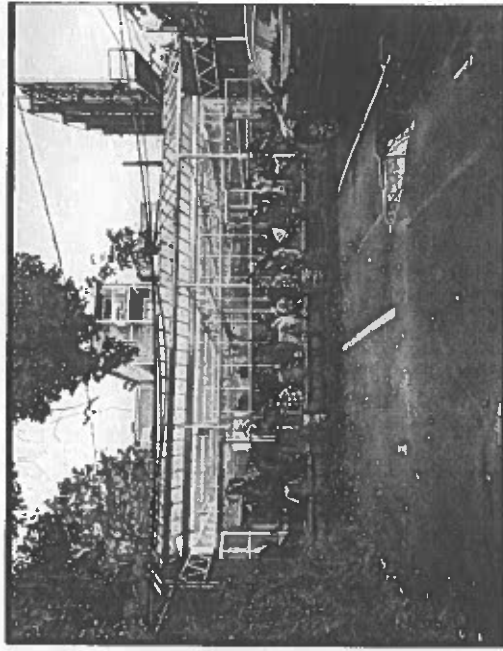


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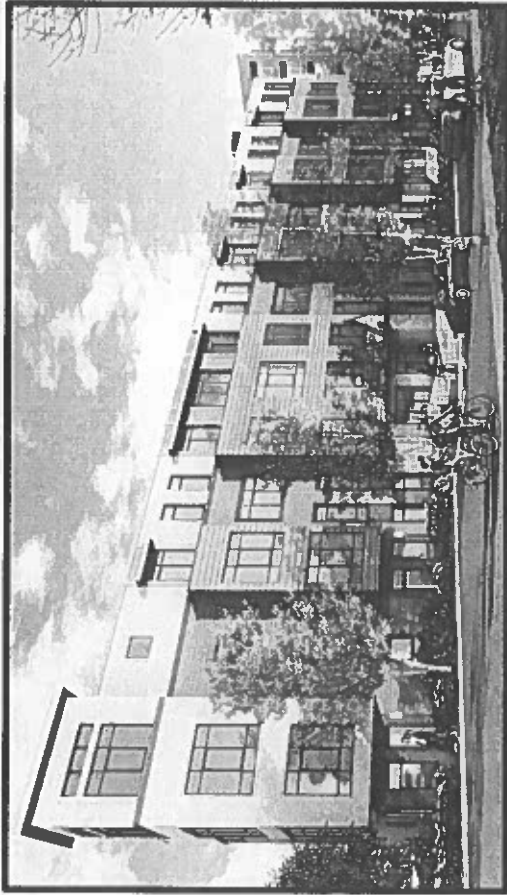
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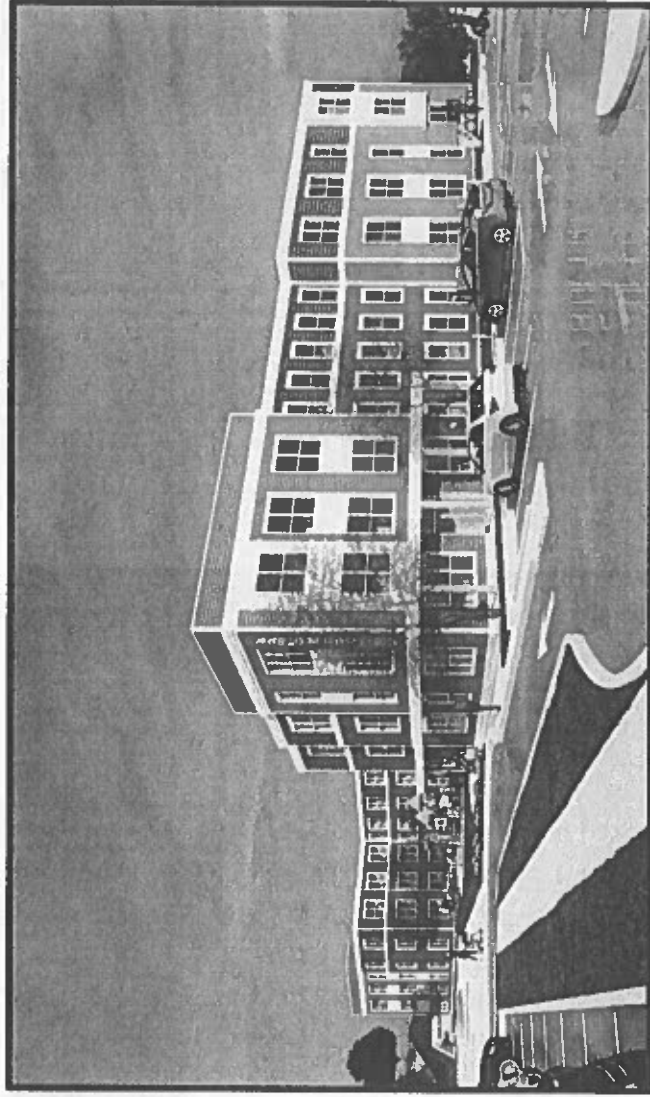
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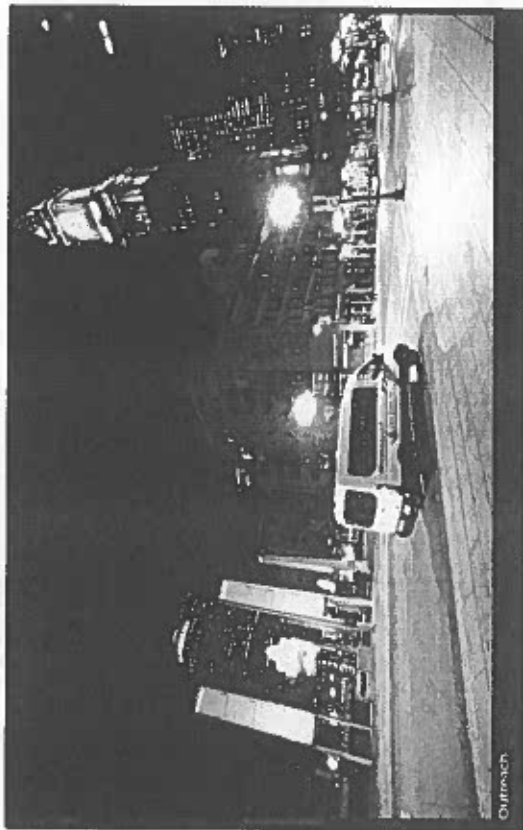
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**City Of Boston • Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
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03-20-2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

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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 Federal FY23 Emergency Solutions Grant FUNDS, AWARDED BY the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development.

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Docket #

**In City Council
Passed**

City Clerk

Mayor

Approved

I hereby certify that
the foregoing, if passed in
the above form, will be in
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by *Adam Cederbaum*
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Corporation Counsel



Boston City Council
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April 26, 2023

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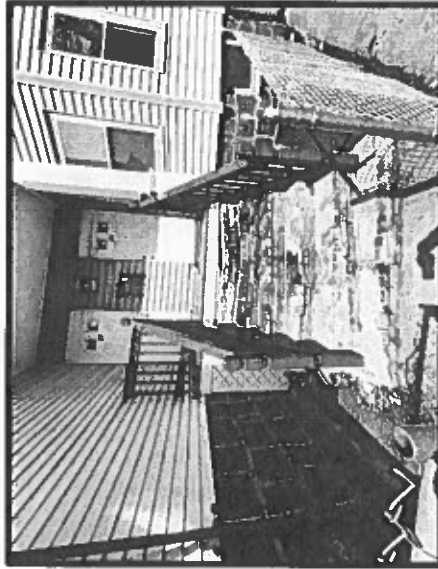
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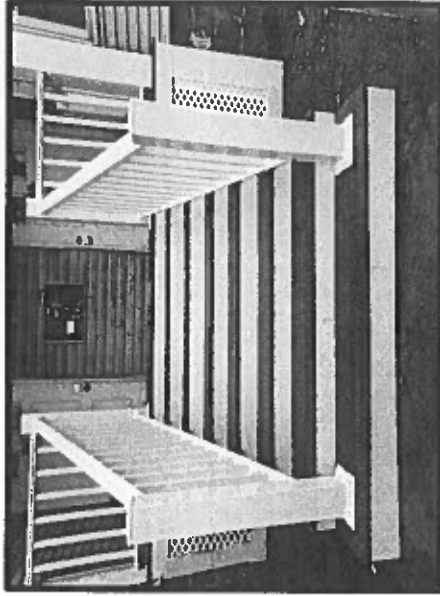
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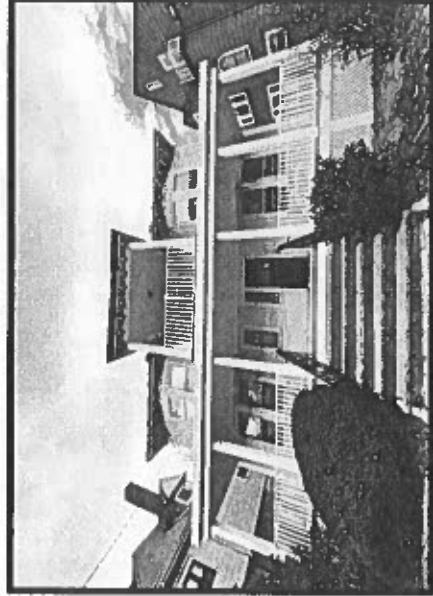
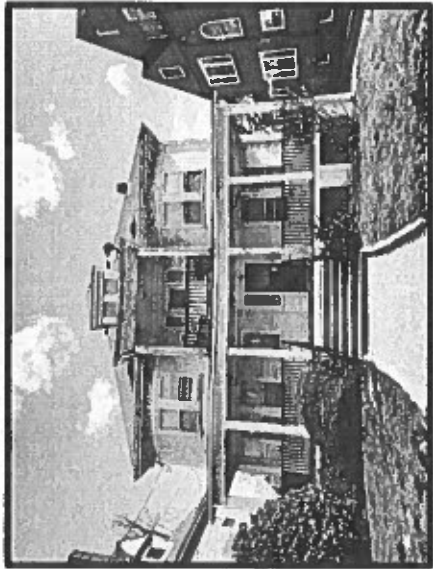
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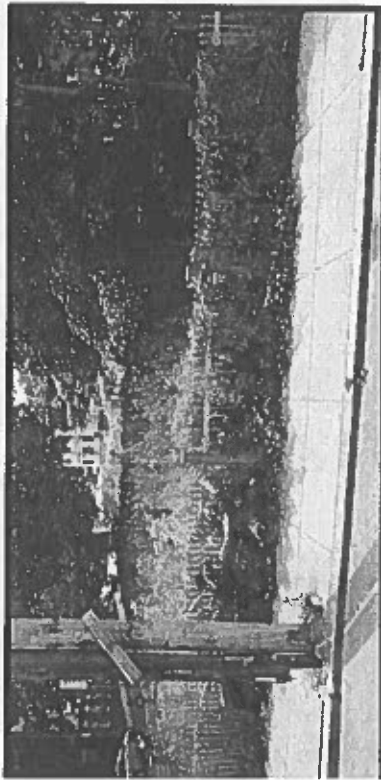
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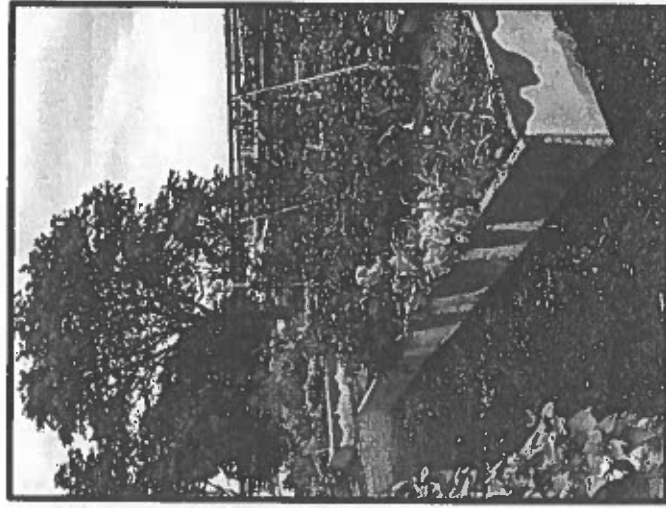


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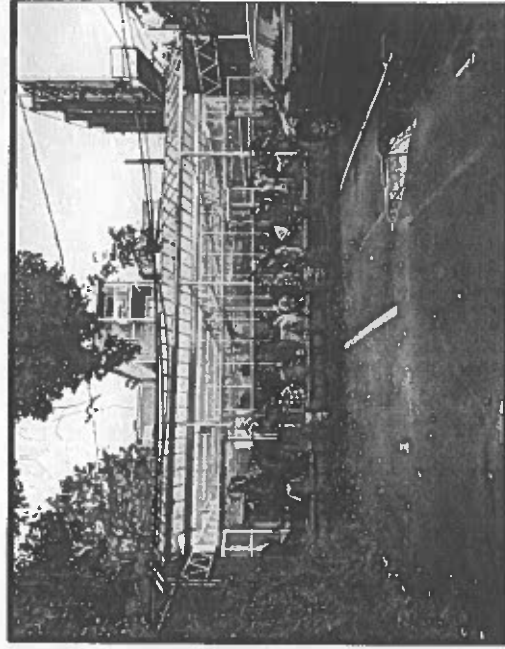


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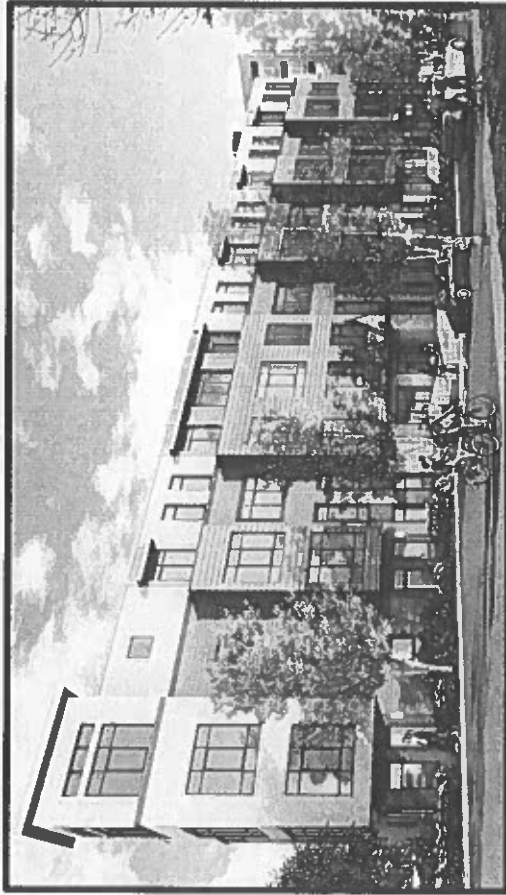
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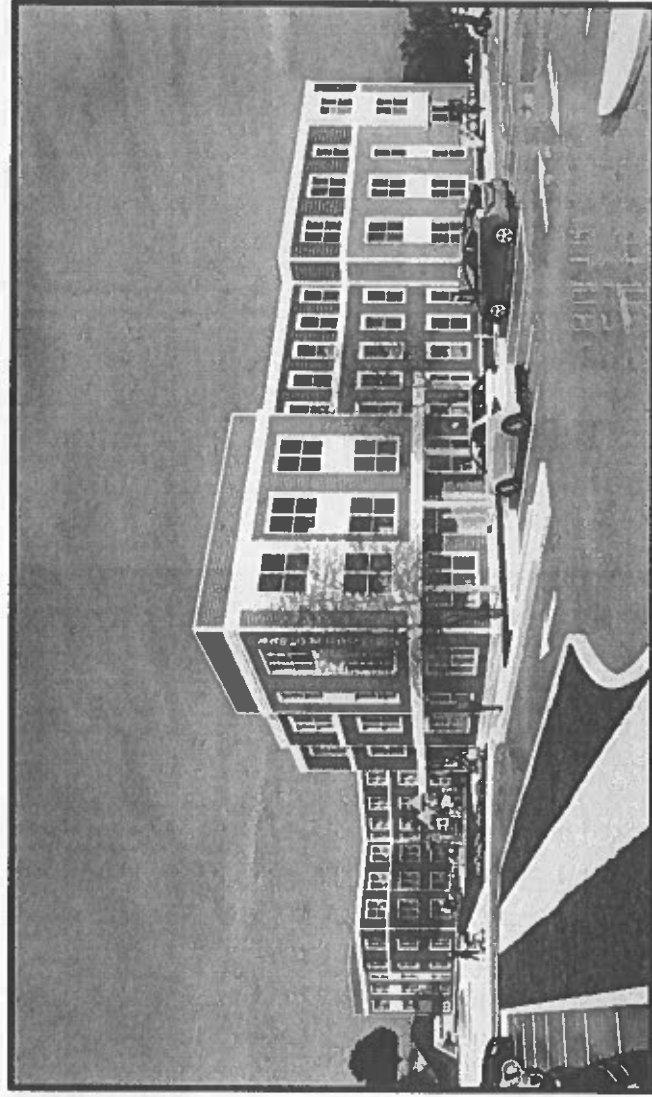
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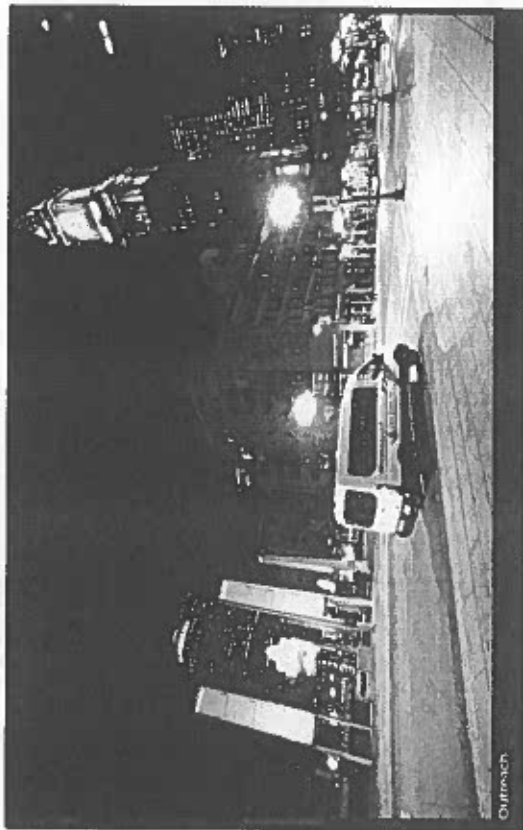
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CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDER FOR A STUDY ON CITY WAGES AND SERVICES FOR THE LOWEST PAID MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES

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BOSTON CITY COUNCIL

Committee on City Services & Innovation Technology

Kenzie Bok, *Chair*

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE CHAIR

April 24, 2023

Dear Councilors:

The Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology was referred the following docket for consideration:

Docket #0521, Order for a study on city wages and services for the lowest paid municipal employees.

This matter was sponsored by Councilors Ruthzee Louijeune, Tania Fernandes Anderson, and Kenzie Bok and referred to the committee on March 8, 2023.

Summary of Legislation

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Summary of Amendments

Based on discussion between the Administration, the lead Sponsor, and the Chair, the order is amended to establish a deadline of July 1, 2023 for the required report, with the understanding that the Administration will endeavor to provide an intermediate snapshot of the underlying data at a sooner date to the greatest extent practicable.

Committee Chair Recommended Action

As Chair of the Committee on City Services and Innovation Technology, I recommend moving the listed docket from the Committee to the full Council for discussion and formal action. At this time, my recommendation to the full Council will be that this matter **OUGHT TO PASS IN A NEW DRAFT.**

Kenzie Bok, Chair

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ORDERED, That the City of Boston conduct a review of all city employee salaries and incomes, focusing on our lowest wage workers and exploring the creation of a minimum municipal wage standard, and produce a written report of its findings to be filed in City Council no later than July 1, 2023, with an intermediate data snapshot to be provided to the Council prior to that date to the extent possible, and the final report to be subsequently discussed at a public Council hearing.

Filed in Council: March 8, 2023



CITY OF BOSTON - MASSACHUSETTS

MICHELLE WU
MAYOR

April 10, 2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an order appropriating one million four hundred thousand dollars (\$1,200,000.00) from the income of the George Francis Parkman Fund. The funds are to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation for the maintenance and improvement of Boston Common and Parks in existence of January 12, 1887.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order as expeditiously as possible so that the funds can be spent in accordance with Mr. Parkman's Bequest.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston


**CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL**

**AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE BOSTON PARKS AND RECREATION
DEPARTMENT TO UTILIZE FUNDS FROM THE GEORGE FRANCIS PARKMAN
FUND**

ORDERED:

That the sum of ONE MILLION TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,200,000) be,
and the same hereby is, appropriated from the income of the George Francis Parkman Fund to be
expended in Fiscal Year 2024 at the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation as
follows:

For the general care and maintenance of the Boston Common
and Parks in existence as of January 12, 1887..... \$1,200,000

**APPROVED AS TO FORM
LAW DEPARTMENT**
BY 
**ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL**



CITY OF BOSTON - MASSACHUSETTS

MICHELLE WU
MAYOR

April 10, 2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an order appropriating from the income of the 21st Century Fund, also known as the Public, Educational, or Governmental (PEG) Access and Cable Related Fund.

Pursuant to Section 53F 3/4 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, the funds may be used to support PEG access services, to monitor compliance with the cable franchise agreement, and for preparation of renewal of the franchise license.

I respectfully request your favorable action on the Fiscal Year 2024 appropriation for the 21st Century Fund.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

ONE CITY HALL PLAZA, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS 02201

**CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL**


AN ORDER ESTABLISHING THE AMOUNT THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF INNOVATION AND TECHNOLOGY MAY EXPEND FROM PUBLIC, EDUCATIONAL, AND GOVERNMENTAL FUND IN FISCAL YEAR 2024.

ORDERED:

That the sum of four million, five hundred thousand dollars (\$4,500,000) be and the same hereby is appropriated as follows, said sum to be met from available funds in the PEG Access and Cable Related Fund pursuant to Section 53F 3/4 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and the same is hereby appropriated to the PEG Access and Cable Related Grant for cable related purposes consistent with the franchise agreement between the cable operator and the city, including but not limited to: (i) supporting public, educational or governmental access cable television services; (ii) monitoring compliance of cable operator with the franchise agreement; or (iii) preparation of renewal of the franchise license.

PEG Access and Cable Related Funds

\$4,500,000

**APPROVED AS TO FORM
LAW DEPARTMENT
BY 
ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL**

Offered by Councilors Bok and Flynn



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

IN THE YEAR TWO THOUSAND TWENTY THREE

HOME RULE PETITION

- WHEREAS:* The Beacon Hill Historic District ("District") was created by Chapter 616 of the acts of 1955 (the "Enabling Act"), originally encompassing only the South Slope of Beacon Hill of Boston, with the intent of protecting historically important architectural features on Beacon Hill, and thereafter the Enabling Act was amended several times to enlarge the District to include more areas of Beacon Hill, including the entire Flat of Beacon Hill but only part of the North Slope of Beacon Hill; *and*
- WHEREAS:* When almost all of Beacon Hill's North Slope was added to the District by Chapter 622 of the Acts of 1963, a section of the North Slope was not included in the District, specifically an approximately 40-foot-wide area running from Charles Circle to Bowdoin Street along the Beacon Hill side of Cambridge Street ("40-Foot-Wide Area"); *and*
- WHEREAS:* There are numerous historically significant buildings in the 40-Foot-Wide Area, including the 1896 Puffer Building, located at 214-218 Cambridge Street; *and*
- WHEREAS:* In 1963, there was some concern that an expanded District encompassing the entire North Slope might interfere with the City of Boston's plans at that time to build a new fire station on the Beacon Hill side of Cambridge Street, to accommodate Engine Company 4 and Ladder Company 24, which has since been constructed at 200 Cambridge Street; *and*
- WHEREAS:* Especially given the significant new development project proposed by Massachusetts General Hospital expected to begin construction shortly, it is now important that the District be extended all the way down the North Slope of Beacon Hill to Cambridge Street, so as to bring those historic buildings that remain on the Beacon Hill side of Cambridge Street into the architectural protections afforded by the District and discourage their future demolition; *and*
- WHEREAS:* Another change being proposed would give the Beacon Hill Architectural Commission ("BHAC") the specific authority to levy fines for violations of the Enabling Act, as the Enabling Act currently provides for such fines to be imposed on violators of the historic preservation rules set forth therein, but does not specifically state that the BHAC can levy such fines, for which reason the BHAC does not currently levy fines to punish violations of the Enabling Act and the Beacon Hill Architectural Guidelines ("Guidelines"); *and*
- WHEREAS:* A further proposed change would require that any reconstruction that is done to an exterior historic architectural feature in the District after it is fully or partially altered or demolished for any reason of public safety must be done within the architectural requirements of the Enabling Act and Guidelines; ***NOW THEREFORE BE IT***

ORDERED: That a petition to the General Court, accompanied by a bill for a special law relating to the City of Boston to be filed with an attested copy of this Order be, and hereby is, approved under Clause One (1) of Section Eight (8) of Article Two (2), as amended, of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to the end that legislation be adopted precisely as follows, except for clerical or editorial changes of form only.

PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE: AN ACT TO MAKE CERTAIN UPDATED CHANGES IN THE LAW RELATIVE TO THE HISTORIC BEACON HILL DISTRICT.

SECTION 1. Chapter 616 of the acts of 1955, as amended by chapters 314 and 315 of the acts of 1958, chapter 622 of the acts of 1963, chapter 429 of the acts of 1965, chapter 741 of the acts of 1975, and chapter 450 of the acts of 2008, is hereby amended by striking section 1C as appearing in chapter 622 of the acts of 1963 and inserting in place thereof the following section:

“Section 1C: The Historic Beacon Hill District, created by section one and enlarged and extended by sections one A and one B, is hereby further enlarged and extended to include an area contiguous thereto bounded as follows: -northerly by the southerly sideline of Cambridge street; easterly by Bowdoin street; southerly by Derne and Myrtle streets; westerly by Irving street; generally southerly by the northerly, easterly and westerly boundaries of the area defined in section one B; southerly by Revere street; westerly and northerly by Embankment road; and northerly by the southerly sideline of Charles street circle and Cambridge street; and including the traffic island in Charles street circle; and all estates therein, including the estates located at 131 and 141 Cambridge street and 2-16 Lynde street; but excluding the sidewalks along Cambridge street running from Bowdoin street to West Cedar street.”

SECTION 2. The first paragraph of section 11 of chapter 616 of the acts of 1955, as amended by chapter 314 of the acts of 1958 and chapter 429 of the acts of 1965, is hereby further amended by adding at the end the following sentence:

“The commission may levy such fine or fines on whoever violates this act, after due notice and public hearing.”

SECTION 3. Said chapter 616 of the acts of 1955, as amended by chapters 314 and 315 of the acts of 1958, is hereby further amended by striking section 9 and inserting in place thereof the following section:

“Section 9. *Exclusions.* – Nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent any ordinary maintenance or repair of an exterior architectural feature now or hereafter in the historic Beacon Hill district which involves no change in design, material, color or outward appearance thereof, nor shall anything in this act preclude the full or partial alteration, demolition or reconstruction by or at the direction of the City of Boston, of the sidewalks running along the south side of Cambridge street, nor shall anything in this act be construed to prevent the full or partial alteration or demolition of any feature, which the building commissioner shall certify to the commission, with such advance notice as practicable, is immediately required on an emergency basis because of an imminent unsafe or dangerous condition; provided, however, that any reconstruction after full or partial alteration or demolition shall be otherwise subject to all of the requirements of this act.”

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon passage.

Filed on: April 24, 2023



OFFERED BY COUNCILOR ED FLYNN

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDER FOR A HEARING TO DISCUSS THE CREATION OF AN OFFICE OF PEST CONTROL IN THE CITY OF BOSTON

- WHEREAS:** Pest control is critical to our residents' quality of life, as rats and rodents are not only a nuisance, but they also impact public health, the sanitization of our neighborhoods, and the maintenance of our properties; *and*,
- WHEREAS:** There is a big rise in rodent and pest activities in our neighborhoods in the past few years, especially during the years of the pandemic, with residents and businesses reporting about the increase of rats and other rodents on our streets and homes, which deeply impacted their quality of life; *and*,
- WHEREAS:** It is important that the city has measures in place to adequately deal with the increase in rodent activities, including increase in inspections, public awareness campaigns and public outreach; *and*,
- WHEREAS:** We also need to address illegal dumping as we look to address pest control and sanitation issues, as trash that are not properly disposed of can attract rodents and cause other public health issues; *and*,
- WHEREAS:** Currently, pest control is cross-departmental effort in the City of Boston, with Inspectional Services, Public Works, Boston Water and Sewer Commission being the main points of contact on this issue, and 14 inspectors covering the city; *and*,
- WHEREAS:** As residents continue to deal with the increase of rats and pests, we need to ensure that our city departments are coordinated in their work on pest control, and that there is ample resources and personnel dedicated to this effort; *and*,
- WHEREAS:** Recently, New York City has appointed its first Director of Rodent Mitigation, also known as the "Rat Czar", a position tasked with coordinating across government agencies, the private sector, and community organizations to strategize on pest control and reduce the rat population; *and*,
- WHEREAS:** Having a dedicated position and office on pest control would allow us to better address the issue, allow for a more streamlined and coordinated process in reducing pests, and come up with more innovative ways in prevent pest infestations; *and*,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED:

That the appropriate Committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to discuss the possibility of creating an Office of Pest Control in the City of Boston. Representatives from the Inspectional Services Department, Code Enforcement Police, Public Works, as well as other relevant and interested parties shall be invited to attend.

Filed in City Council: April 26, 2023

OFFERED BY COUNCILORS KENZIE BOK AND ED FLYNN



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION DESIGNATING A CITIZEN SQUARE AT
THE INTERSECTION OF BOYLSTON AND DARTMOUTH
STREET IN BACK BAY IN RECOGNITION OF LT. COL.
ENOCH “WOODY” WOODHOUSE

- WHEREAS,** Lt. Col. Enoch “Woody” Woodhouse was born on January 14, 1927 in Roxbury, grew up in Mission Hill, and attended Boston Public Schools; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Lt. Col. Woodhouse, on his 17th birthday, enlisted into the U.S. Army Air Corps in an all black segregated unit in 1944 following the attack on Pearl Harbor; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Lt. Col. Woodhouse was assigned to the 322 Fighter Wing at Moton Field, Tuskegee, Alabama, known as the “Tuskegee Airmen” where he was honored for distinguished service; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Lt. Col. Woodhouse – despite clear racist challenges he faced during his military service – served honorably, was discharged from active duty in 1949, and joined the Air Force Reserves until retiring in 1997; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Lt. Col. Woodhouse went on to graduate from Yale University in 1952 and Boston University School of Law in 1955 before practicing law at his own firm; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Lt. Col. Woodhouse further distinguished himself as a Department of State Diplomatic Courier in Europe, the Middle East, and was on the last flight out of Havana, Cuba, in 1959; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Lt. Col. Woodhouse has since been awarded the Congressional Gold Medal by President George W. Bush in 2007, and was appointed to the State Militia with the rank of Brigadier General by Governor Charlie Baker in 2022; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Lt. Col. Woodhouse has been a longtime champion and advocate for veterans and military families throughout his life; ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT***
- RESOLVED:** That the Boston City Council honors Lt. Col. Woodhouse for his service and sacrifice by designating a Citizen Square at the intersection of Boylston and Dartmouth Street in Back Bay

Filed on: April 21, 2023

Offered by Councilors Kenzie Bok and Ruthzee Louijeune



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MAY AS NATIONAL PRESERVATION MONTH

WHEREAS: Boston is one of America's most historic cities, with a built environment that holds the memories and bears the marks of many critical moments in our country's history, from revolution to abolition to diverse immigration stories; *and*

WHEREAS: Due to the proposal of Donald T. Sheehan of the National Trust, the first National Preservation week was in 1973 during the second week of May in an effort to draw attention to the benefits of local, state, and national preservation; *and*

WHEREAS: On February 15, 1973, Senator Henry M. Jackson (D-Wash.) introduced a Joint Congressional Resolution to designate May 6 through 12, 1973 as National Preservation Week, which was signed into law on May 5, 1973; *and*

WHEREAS: In 2005, the National Trust expanded National Preservation Week into Preservation Month in an effort to draw more attention to our historic places and to promote heritage tourism; *and*

WHEREAS: The City of Boston is home to a great number of historic places, which should be recognized, protected, and celebrated not only for the sake of the economic benefits of historic tourism, but because of the social and educational benefits of preserving our diverse and unique heritage and the sites that are important to all of Boston's communities; *and*

WHEREAS: The City of Boston should bring greater equity to our preservation efforts, by investing in resources for the Boston Landmarks Commission to proactively preserve historic sites in all neighborhoods of the city, by reforming preservation processes, and by supporting reforms to state-level legislation governing preservation; *NOW THEREFORE BE IT*

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council recognizes May as National Preservation Month and affirms its commitment to preserving our rich, diverse historic resources in a way that celebrates and protects historic sites important to all of Boston's vibrant communities.

Filed on: April 21, 2023

OFFERED BY COUNCILORS RUTHZEE LOUIJEUNE AND KENZIE BOK



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION URGING MASS GENERAL BRIGHAM TO DEMONSTRATE A COMMITMENT TO LABOR HARMONY FOR A FAIR NLRB ELECTION PROCESS

WHEREAS, Interns, residents, and fellow physicians employed by Mass General Brigham (MGB) have majority support of their unit to unionize with the Committee of Interns and Residents/SEIU; *and*

WHEREAS, Interns, residents, and fellows are organizing because they are keenly aware of the gaps in care and the root causes of the issues their patients face, yet currently have no say in their working conditions; *and*

WHEREAS, Interns, residents, and fellows regularly work eighty or more hours per week and are only guaranteed one day off in seven; *and*

WHEREAS, These “housestaff” are organizing for safe and healthy working and learning conditions, including universal coverage of necessary workplace equipment (e.g. surgical loupes, lead for radiation protection), improved conditions in the physical workplace environment, necessary protection for personal health needs and adequate support for educational career development; *and*

WHEREAS, Housestaff are also fighting for improved compensation commensurate with the local cost of living, improved health insurance coverage, and access to services that promote housestaff well-being; *and*

WHEREAS, Training programs should never be an opportunity to exploit workers, so a union can help secure residency and fellowship programs that allow participants to focus on becoming the best physicians they can be for the community without worrying about affording basic needs such as rent; *and*

WHEREAS, Housestaff deserve to be in environments where they can implement the best practices for patients because they have the time and tools to do so, and a union can help secure a better healthcare system where everyone has what they need to make our hospitals run better; ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT***

RESOLVED: The Boston City Council goes on record in solidarity with the MGB housestaff and urges MGB, in a spirit of labor harmony, to enable a fair, transparent NLRB election process for interns, residents, and fellow physicians.

Filed on: April 24, 2023

OFFERED BY COUNCILORS JULIA MEJIA AND COUNCILOR GABRIELA COLETTA



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION CALLING FOR NON-DISCRIMINATORY AND QUALITY HEALTHCARE FOR IMMIGRANTS AND COMMUNITIES OF COLOR

- WHEREAS,** The Boston City Council has an obligation to ensure that all Bostonians have equal access to quality and affordable healthcare services; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Racial and ethnic disparities in health care are widespread and pervasive resulting in significantly higher rates of heart failure, stroke hospitalization, and diabetes-related death in communities of color than their white counterparts; *and*
- WHEREAS,** The City of Boston is celebrated for its high-quality health care system, but the City is not immune to persistent racial and ethnic inequalities; *and*
- WHEREAS,** The East Boston Neighborhood Health Clinic (EBNHC) is the largest community health center in Massachusetts and one of the largest in the nation. EBNHC provides healthcare services to many families and children in Boston’s immigrant communities; *and*
- WHEREAS,** In March of 2022, Centro Presente raised concerns surrounding EBNHC’s quality of care for immigrants, particularly Spanish-speaking low-income immigrant women on MassHealth insurance; *and*
- WHEREAS,** The treatment of Centro Presente’s members is just one example of a much larger trend of health inequity. High quality health care should be provided equally to all residents regardless of race, national origin, socioeconomic status, immigration status, age, gender, or sexual orientation; ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT***
- RESOLVED:** That the Boston City Council urges all community health centers to commit to thoroughly examining and reforming treatment policies to guard against misdiagnosis and substandard care and to improve translation/interpretation services to ensure language is not a barrier to quality healthcare and ensure all healthcare and administrative staff receive cultural-competency and trauma-informed care training to better serve Boston’s diverse communities.

Filed on: April 26, 2023

OFFERED BY COUNCILOR JULIA MEJIA



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION CALLING ON BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT AND FULL TRANSPARENCY IN THE ONGOING EFFORTS TO CLOSE AND MERGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WHEREAS, The Green New Deal for Boston Public Schools (BPS) is a long-term facilities action plan that includes major capital projects that will affect at least 20 school communities. These district-wide initiatives intend to address environmental concerns within our school facilities and expand educational opportunities for our students; *and*

WHEREAS, The City of Boston has contracted with 1) Bureau Veritas Technical Assessments to complete a Facilities Condition Assessment (FCA) to indicate the building conditions and offer recommendations for repair, replacement, and renovation; and 2) DLR Group, Inc., Jonathan Levi Architects, and St. Fleur Communications to complete a School Design Study that also create standards for future school construction and renovation projects; *and*

WHEREAS, Some of the capital projects include closing and merging several public schools in the next few years. The process to merge schools has begun with the Sumner and Philbrick schools in Roslindale, the Shaw and Taylor schools in Dorchester and Mattapan, and the Hyde Park-based Boston Community Leadership Academy (BCLA) and the Dorchester-based McCormack school; *and*

WHEREAS, BPS will likely continue to consolidate small school communities into larger new or renovated buildings, necessitating more school closures and mergers. Such decisions impact our school communities greatly and it is the responsibility of BPS to communicate any proposal to close or merge schools and make public the reasons these schools, and not other schools, should be closed or consolidated. Moreover, in the event that schools are to be closed or consolidated in anticipation of better facilities for students, construction projects should be complete before schools are closed or merged; *and*

WHEREAS, The City of Boston has committed to 1) using the Racial Equity Planning Tool (REPT) to analyze how District policies and proposals impact students and communities with the greatest needs and 2) building a Dashboard that integrates data from the SY22 Opportunity Index and information on each school building's capital assets and environmental conditions; *and*

WHEREAS, In the absence of an elected School Committee, there is no governance body for BPS that is directly accountable to families. Therefore, direct communication and engagement with school communities is imperative at a system wide level. Fair, equitable decisions cannot be made piecemeal, as each school is a part of an interlocking system of schools impacting one another; *and*

WHEREAS, It is the responsibility of the Boston City Council to ensure the City of Boston and Boston Public Schools are engaging the community in the decision-making process and offering full transparency to the changes; ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT***

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council calls on the Boston Public Schools for community engagement and full transparency in the ongoing efforts to close and merge public schools. This includes: 1) provide a listing of all school closings since 2010 by neighborhood, type of school, size, student demographics, the reason for closing, and the impact on marginalized students, as specified in the REPT; 2) data on the students attending any school proposed for closure or merger who have experienced the trauma of a previous school closing, as included in the equity impact analysis; and 3) all school community meetings about closures and consolidation must be advertised at least ten days in advance and conducted in multiple languages and child care must be provided.

Filed on: April 26, 2023

BOSTON CITY COUNCIL
CITY COUNCIL

April 19, 2023

Councilor Flynn
(Councilor Bok)

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, June 10, 2023 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 16, 2023.

BiWeekly Payroll

Maccon Bonner	Secretary(Seasonal)	\$7,200.00	full time
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Boston City Council

Legislative Calendar for the April 26, 2023 Session

Sixty Day Orders

The following ordinances, appropriations and/or orders recommended by the Mayor for passage by the City Council become effective after the date specified unless previously acted upon¹

¹Section 17E of Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948 (as amended):

The mayor from time to time may make to the city council in the form of an ordinance or loan order filed with the city clerk such recommendations as he may deem to be for the welfare of the city. The City Council shall consider each ordinance or loan order so presented and shall either adopt or reject the same within sixty days after the date when it is filed as aforesaid. If such ordinance or loan order is not rejected within sixty days, it shall be in force as if adopted by the city council unless previously withdrawn by the mayor.

In effect after June 14, 2023, in accordance with Section 15 of Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982, as amended.

Orders for the FY24 Operating Budget, including annual appropriations for departmental operations, annual appropriation for the School Department, and appropriation for other post-employment benefits (OPEB). (Dockets #0760-0762).

In effect after June 9, 2023, in accordance with Section 15 of Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982, as amended.

Orders for appropriations from the Capital Grant Fund. (Dockets #0763 #0765 #0766)

In effect after June 9, 2023, in accordance with Section 1.17E of Chapter 376 of the Acts of 1951, as amended.

Orders for the FY24 Capital Budget, including loan orders and lease-purchase agreements. (Dockets #0764, 0767-0768)

Assigned for Further Action

On the Table

Unanswered Section 17F Orders²

4/5/2023- Order requesting certain information under section 17F re: Legal Counsel, Witnesses and Experts Hired to Defend Redistricting Case for Boston City Council. (Docket #0758)

4/12/2023- Order requesting certain information under Section 17F re: Moakley Bridge light poles and infrastructure. (Docket #0793)

4/12/2023- Order requesting certain information under Section 17F re: How Boston Public Schools has been spending and will spend supplemental Federal Funds. (Docket #0811)

2 - Section 17F of Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948 (as amended):

The city council may at any time request from the mayor specific information on any municipal matter within its jurisdiction, and may request his presence to answer written questions relating thereto at a meeting to be held not earlier than one week from the date of the receipt of said questions, in which case the mayor shall personally, or through a head of a department or a member of a board, attend such meeting and publicly answer all such questions. The person so attending shall not be obliged to answer questions relating to any other matter.

Home Rule Petitions Not Responded to by the Mayor³

³Section 22 of Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982:

Every order of the city council approving a petition to the general court pursuant to Clause (1) of Section 8 of Article 2 of the amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth shall be presented to the mayor who shall forthwith consider the same, and, within fifteen days of presentation, either approve it, or file with the city council a statement in detail of his reasons for not approving the same, including any objection based on form, on content, or both; provided, that no such order shall be deemed approved or in force unless the mayor affixes his signature thereto.

Matters in Committee

The following matters were previously filed with the City Council and have been referred to a committee. Matters in committee can be brought back before the City Council pursuant to City Council Rule 24. The following *definitions* describe different types of matters in committee:

- Ordinances:*** Local laws enacted by the Boston City Council and the Mayor that become part of the City Code of Ordinances.
- Loan Orders:*** Authorization for the City of Boston to incur debt and expend money for projects, purchases, or other obligations.
- Orders:*** Directives that authorize action. Orders are legally binding but are not part of the City Code of Ordinances.
- Home Rule Petitions:*** Requests for special acts that concern a particular municipality. Home Rule Petitions require approval of the Boston City Council and Mayor, as well as passage by the state legislature.
- Order for a Hearing:*** A formal request sponsored by a councilor that a committee of the Boston City Council conduct a hearing about a particular matter, issue, or policy that impacts the City of Boston. An Order for a Hearing is not a law and is not voted on by the City Council. The only action concerning an Order for a Hearing that can be taken at a City Council meeting is the administrative action of placing it on file.
- Legislative Resolution:*** A recommendation concerning policy issues that may urge action on particular matters. Legislative resolutions have no legal effect. Legislative resolutions represent a particular position or statement by a Councilor, Councilors, or the City Council as a whole.

2023 MATTERS IN COMMITTEE

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
Arts, Culture & Special Events	0335	Worrell	Flynn, Louijeune	Order for a hearing to bring the 2026 NBA All-Star Weekend to Boston.	2 /1 /2023		
Arts, Culture & Special Events	0334	Lara		Order for a hearing regarding winter placemaking and Boston as a 'Winter City'.	2 /1 /2023	3/21/23	3/22/23 Remains in Committee
Arts, Culture & Special Events	0675	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Four Million Six Hundred One Thousand Five Hundred Eighty-Nine Dollars (\$4,601,589.00) in the form of a grant for the Government Center Garage/Hub on Causeway Arts and Placemaking Fund, awarded by the Boston Planning Development Agency to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture. The grant will fund public art and placemaking, including seed funding for City Hall Plaza programming.	3 /29/2023		
Arts, Culture & Special Events	0784	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) in the form of a grant for the Cultural Facilities Fund grant from the Massachusetts Cultural Council. The grant will support construction of the 1965 Freedom Plaza on the Boston Common, which will commemorate the leaders who worked for social and racial equity alongside Coretta Scott King and Dr. Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr.	4 /12/2023		
Arts, Culture, & Special Events	0260	Coletta	Breadon, Fernandes	Order for a hearing to address the loss of rehearsal spaces for musicians in the City of Boston.	1 /25/2023	3/7/23	3/8/23 remains in committee
Boston's COVID-19 Recovery	0159	Bok	Breadon, Worrell	Order for a hearing regarding a review of COVID-19 recovery funds.	1 /11/2023	3/6/23	3/8/23 remains in committee
Boston's COVID-19 Recovery	0162	Bok	Worrell, Coletta	Order for a hearing regarding enhancing Boston's COVID recovery via competitive federal grants provided by the B.I.L. and I.R.A.	1 /11/2023	4/14/23	

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
City Services & Innovation Technology	0144	Flynn	Breadon	Order for a hearing to discuss pest control in the City of Boston.	1 /11/2023	4/11/23	4/12/23 Remains in Committee
City Services & Innovation Technology	0145	Flynn	Flaherty	Order for a hearing to discuss the safety of light poles, bridges, and other public infrastructure in the City of Boston.	1 /11/2023	4/4/23	4/5/23 Remains in Committee
City Services & Innovation Technology	0146	Coletta	Flynn	Order for a hearing regarding the coordination of construction and utility permits.	1 /11/2023	4/19/23	
City Services & Innovation Technology	0154	Louijeune	Flaherty, Breadon	Order for a hearing on fire and emergency disaster relief services in the City of Boston.	1 /11/2023	4/3/23	4/5/23 Remains in Committee
City Services & Innovation Technology	0160	Bok	Worrell	Order for a hearing regarding the supplemental sidewalk clearance program during snowstorms in Boston.	1 /11/2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0258	Fernandes Anderson	Arroyo, Worrell	Order for a hearing to explore a digital marketplace pilot program.	1 /25/2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0259	Fernandes Anderson		Order for a hearing to discuss renaming the Roxbury branch of the Boston Public Library to the Nubian Library.	1 /25/2023	4/19/23	
City Services & Innovation Technology	0340	Lara		Order for a hearing to discuss the rise in public consumer energy costs.	2 /1 /2023		3/28/23 Hearing (canceled) 3/29/23 remains in committee
City Services & Innovation Technology	0378	Fernandes Anderson	Flaherty, Flynn	Order for a hearing to increase the pay for Municipal Officers.	2 /8 /2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0416	Bok	Breadon, Lara	Order for a hearing to discuss city services in regard to composting and the need of composting capacity in new construction and large buildings in Boston.	2 /15/2023		

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
City Services & Innovation Technology	0417	Bok	Flynn, Mejja	Order for a hearing to discuss digital equity and municipal broadband in relation to affordable housing in the City of Boston.	2 /15/2023	3/31/23	
City Services & Innovation Technology	0629	Worrell	Louijeune, Coletta	Order for a hearing regarding providing technical assistance to civic associations.	3 /22/2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0711	Mayor		Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Armino Goncalves, as a member of the Boston Water and Sewer Commission for a term expiring on January 4, 2027.	4 /5 /2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0724	Coletta	Flaherty	Order for a hearing to discuss the digitization and tracking of parking regulations.	4 /5 /2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0725	Mejja		Order for a hearing on contract and payroll implementation for unions in Boston Public Schools.	4 /5 /2023		
City Services & Innovation Technoloty	0443	Bok	Louijeune, Flaherty	Order for hearing to discuss trash contracts and procedures in Boston.	2 /15/2023	4/11/23	4/12/23 Remains in Committee
City Services & Innovative Technology	0519	Mejja	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing addressing data privacy, security, and control at City of Boston agencies.	3 /8 /2023		
City Services & Innovative Technology	0521	Louijeune	Anderson, Bok	Order for a study on city wages and services for the lowest paid municipal employees.	3 /8 /2023		
Civil Rights & Immigrant Advancement	0155	Louijeune		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.	1 /11/2023		
Civil Rights & Immigrant Advancement	0158	Louijeune	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing on the needs and services for migrant populations.	1 /11/2023		

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Civil Rights & Immigrant Advancement	0164	Louijeune	Fernandes Anderson, Bok	Order for a hearing on discrimination in lending and appraisals.	1 /11/2023	3/23/23	
Civil Rights & Immigrant Advancement	0168	Louijeune	Worrell, Fernandes	Order for a hearing on the civil rights and liberties of returning citizens and re-entry into their Boston communities.	1 /11/2023		
Community Preservation Act	0783	Mayor		Message and order approving an appropriation of One Million Two Hundred Sixty-Nine Thousand One Hundred Seventeen Dollars (\$1,269,117.00) for the administrative and operating expenses of the City of Boston Community Preservation Committee ("CPC") for the Fiscal Year 2024 and a further appropriation order in the amount of Thirty-Seven Million Two Hundred Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Fourteen Dollars (\$37,214,514.00) from the Community Preservation ("the Fund") estimated annual revenues for Fiscal Year 2024, to be appropriated and reserved for future appropriation. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023		
Education	0142	Worrell		Order for a hearing regarding a cradle-to-career educational data tracking system.	1 /11/2023		
Education	0147	Coletta	Lara, Louijeune	Order for a hearing to establish a climate change and environmental justice curriculum in Boston Public Schools.	1 /11/2023	3/14/23	3/15/23 remains in committee
Education	0163	Mejia	Worrell	Order for a hearing addressing sexual harassment in Boston Public Schools.	1 /11/2023		
Education	0167	Mejia		Order for hearing on government transparency and accountability towards COVID safety in Boston Public Schools.	1 /11/2023	2/14/23	2/15/23 Remains in Committee
Education	0173	Mejia	Lara	Order for a hearing on "Green New Deal for BPS" plans, specifically the plan to merge six schools into three and split each of them onto two campuses.	1 /11/2023		

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Education	0244	Mejia		Order for a hearing on establishing a mental health curriculum in Boston Public Schools.	1 /25/2023	3/21/23	3/22/23 Remains in Committee
Education	0245	Mejia	Lara, Arroyo	Order for a hearing examining the implementation and outcomes of restorative justice practices in the Boston Public Schools	1 /25/2023	2/16/23	
Education	0247	Lara	Mejia	Order for a hearing to discuss the Academic Performance and Social-Emotional Well-Being of LGBTQ+ Students in Boston Public Schools.	1 /25/2023	3/16/23	
Education	0254	Fernandes Anderson	Mejia, Louijeune	Order for a hearing to discuss how the Boston Public Schools can more effectively support the needs of its Muslim students.	1 /25/2023		
Education	0255	Fernandes Anderson	Mejia, Louijeune	Order for a hearing to discuss how Boston Public Schools are addressing the needs of the parents of English language learner students.	1 /25/2023		
Education	0380	Louijeune	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing to address the mental health needs of our students with a focus on guidance counselors.	2 /8 /2023		
Education	0457	Arroyo	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing to discuss Boston Public Schools' lack of religious and dietary requirements for Jewish, Muslim and plant based students.	3 /1 /2023		
Education	0722	Lara	Mejia	Order for a hearing to review the Good Food Purchasing Program for Boston Public Schools.	4 /5 /2023		
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0149	Coletta	Bok, Breadon	Order for a hearing regarding a tree mitigation fund for the City of Boston.	1 /11/2023		3/10/23 Hearing (canceled)
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0250	Lara	Arroyo, Fernandes	Order for a hearing on Installing Adjustable Height Basketball Hoops in the City of Boston Parks.	1 /25/2023		3/23/23 Revised to WS

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Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0251	Lara	Bok, Coletta	Order for a hearing to Discuss Establishing A Walking City Trail Connecting Urban Green Spaces Across Boston Neighborhoods.	1 /25/2023	3/2/23	
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0679	Worrell		Order for a hearing to create indoor playgrounds in the City of Boston.	3 /29/2023		
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0791	Lara	Arroyo	Order for a hearing regarding the Potential Usage of City-Owned Land For Off Leash-Dog Parks.	4 /12/2023		
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0165	Mejia	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing on government transparency and accountability towards service provision and spending on ELL students.	1 /11/2023		
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0169	Mejia		Order for a hearing on government accountability, transparency, and accessibility of decision-making protocols in city government.	1 /11/2023		
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0170	Mejia	Coletta, Louijeune	Order for a hearing on government accountability and transparency around the Clougherty Pool closure in Charlestown.	1 /11/2023		
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0241	Mejia	Lara	Order for a hearing regarding the Boston Public Schools Transportation system.	1 /25/2023		
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0242	Mejia	Lara, Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing on an audit for Boston Public School's Special Education services and return on investment.	1 /25/2023		
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0243	Mejia	Arroyo	Order for a hearing on government transparency and accountability towards surveillance equipment.	1 /25/2023		
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0253	Mejia	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing to audit the City of Boston's procurement processes, procedures and progress.	1 /25/2023	3/27/23	2/23/23 Hearing Postponed 3/29/23 remains in committee

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Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0341	Murphy		Order for a hearing to discuss the payroll concerns of many of our Boston Public School teachers who are owed back pay.	2 /1 /2023		3/24/23 Hearing (canceled)
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0520	Mejia		Order for a hearing to audit how the Boston Police Department responds to Latino Spanish-speaking residents in the City of Boston.	3 /8 /2023		
Government Accountability, Transparency, &	0238	Mejia	Flynn, Arroyo	Order for a hearing on accountability and acessibility of language access services in the City of Boston.	1 /25/2023		
Government Operations	0100	Mayor		Message and order for your approval an Ordinance establishing the Office of Participatory Budgeting, amending the City of Boston Code V, with the insertion of a new Section 5-1.11.	12/14/2022	1/30/23	2022-1520, 2/7/23 working session, 2/8/23 Not Passed
Government Operations	0135	Arroyo	Mejia	A Petition for a Special Law re: An Act Relative to Reorganization of the Boston School Committee.	1 /11/2023		1/24/23 working session, 1/25/23 Remains in Committee, 2/6/2023 working session, 2/8/23 Remains in Committee
Government Operations	0136	Arroyo		An Ordinance Creating a Municipal Identification Card in the City of Boston	1 /11/2023		4/3/23 hearing (canceled)
Government Operations	0137	Arroyo	Breadon, Lara	An Ordinance Establishing Protections for the City of Boston Tree Canopy.	1 /11/2023	3/13/23	4/20/23 working session,3/15/23 Remains in Committee
Government Operations	0138	Louijeune	Arroyo, Bok	An Ordinance regulation and enforcement of keeping honey bees.	1 /11/2023	3/20/23	3/22/23 Remains in Committee
Government Operations	0139	Louijeune	Bok, Arroyo	Text amendment to the Boston zoning code with respect to honey bees.	1 /11/2023	3/20/23	3/22/23 Remains in Committee
Government Operations	0237	Fernandes Anderson		Ordinance and Amendment to the Boston Municipal Code in Regard to Measuring Racial Equity in Affordable Housing.	1 /25/2023		

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Government Operations	0319	Mayor		Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Vivian Leonard as a member of the Municipal Lobbying Compliance Commission.	1 /25/2023	3/9/23	3/15/23 placed on file
Government Operations	0320	Mayor		Notice was received from the Mayor of the re-appointment of Sammy Nabulsi as a member of the Municipal Lobbying Compliance Commission.	1 /25/2023	3/9/23	3/15/23 placed on file
Government Operations	0321	Mayor		Notice was received from the Mayor of the re-appointment of Vivien Li as a member of the Municipal Lobbying Compliance Commission.	1 /25/2023	3/9/23	3/15/23 placed on file
Government Operations	0410	Breadon	Louijeune, Bok	Petition for a Special Law re: An Act increasing the maximum amount of fines which may be imposed for violations of ordinances and authorizing the City of Boston to place municipal charge liens on certain properties in the City of Boston for nonpayment of any local charges, fees or fines.	2 /15/2023		
Government Operations	0452	Breadon	Louijeune	Ordinance providing remote access to meetings of municipal public bodies.	3 /1 /2023	3/30/23	
Government Operations	0454	Arroyo	Coletta	Ordinance formally creating the Office of Food Justice and establishing a food recovery program in the City of Boston.	3 /1 /2023	4/28/23	
Government Operations	0455	Flynn	Worrell	Ordinance amending the City of Boston code relating to the study and report on the trafficking of illegal firearms.	3 /1 /2023		
Government Operations	0625	Breadon	Louijeune, Bok	Ordinance establishing a "Scofflaw Property Owner List".	3 /22/2023		
Government Operations	0626	Breadon		Ordinance amending City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Section 16-1.9G, to prohibit the sale of guinea pigs in pet shops.	3 /22/2023		
Government Operations	0710	Mayor		Message and order for your approval an Ordinance Governing Construction and Demolition Operations in the City of Boston.	4 /5 /2023		4/13/23 hearing (canceled)

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Housing & Community Development	0157	Louijeune	Bok, Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing regarding the state of anti-displacement as to Boston's Acquisition Opportunity Program.	1 /11/2023	2/9/23	
Housing & Community Development	0161	Bok		Order for a hearing regarding increasing public housing in the City of Boston.	1 /11/2023		
Housing & Community Development	0240	Mejia	Lara, Worrell	Order for a hearing on workforce development housing for City of Boston employees.	1 /25/2023		
Housing & Community Development	0249	Lara	Fernandes Anderson	Oder for a hearing to discuss the Impact Of Inequitable Housing Code Enforcement of Boston's Proactive Rental Inspection Program.	1 /25/2023	3/14/23	3/15/23 remains in committee
Housing & Community Development	0337	Worrell	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing regarding efforts to increase housing affordability for long-term residents.	2 /1 /2023		
Housing & Community Development	0412	Lara		Order for a hearing to create a Renters' Bill of Rights for the City of Boston.	2 /15/2023	3/30/23	
Housing & Community Development	0456	Fernandes Anderson	Louijeune, Lara	Order for a hearing to restrict up-front rental costs for tenants.	3 /1 /2023		
Housing & Community Development	0607	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Seventeen Million Five Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Five Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars (\$17,535,525.00) in the form of a grant, for the Federal FY 23 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), awarded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund housing, economic development and social services programs. The award amount is estimated from prior years.	3 /22/2023	4/13/23	

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Housing & Community Development	0608	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Six Million Two Hundred Thirty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Six Dollars (\$6,235,976.00) in the form of a grant, for the Federal FY23 Home Investment Partner grant awarded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund the production of new affordable rental and homeownership housing, and also provide operating support for community development corporations. The award amount is estimated from prior years.	3 /22/2023	4/13/23	
Housing & Community Development	0609	Mayor		Message and orders authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Three Million Seven Hundred Thirty-Four Thousand Five Hundred Thirty-Three Dollars (\$3,734,533.00) in the form of a grant, for the Federal FY23 Housing for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA), awarded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund services for income-eligible individuals and families affected by AIDS. The award amount is estimated from prior years.	3 /22/2023	4/13/23	
Housing & Community Development	0610	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Million Five Hundred Seventeen Thousand Nine Hundred Sixty-Six Dollars (\$1,517,966.00) in the form of a grant, for the Federal FY23 Emergency Solutions Grant, awarded by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing. The grant will fund the street outreach, emergency shelter, homelessness prevention, rapid re-housing assistance, and shelter services. The award amount is estimated from prior years.	3 /22/2023	4/13/23	
Labor, Workforce, & Economic Development	0153	Louijeune	Worrell, Fernandes	Order or a hearing regarding biannual review of the Boston Employment Commission and Boston Residents Jobs Policy.	1 /11/2023	4/7/23	
Labor, Workforce, & Economic Development	0628	Worrell	Mejia	Order for a hearing to explore workforce development via scholarships for BPS students to increase access to all forms of higher education.	3 /22/2023		
Labor, Workforce, & Economic Development	0338	Worrell	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing regarding equity in city contracts.	2 /1 /2023		

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PILOT Agreements, Institutional & Intergovernmental	0256	Fernandes Anderson	Louijeune, Mejia	Order for a hearing to discuss ways of creating a partnership between colleges and high schools to create jobs and academic support for children.	1 /25/2023		
PILOT Agreements, Institutional & Intergovernmental	0414	Breadon	Bok, Louijeune	Order for a hearing regarding targeted coordination of community benefits in the payment in lieu of taxes (PILOT) program.	2 /15/2023	4/21/23	
Planning, Development & Transportation	0101	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant from the Planning and Development Agency in the amount not to exceed Two Million Five Hundred Sixty-Two Thousand, Two Hundred Ninety-Seven Dollars (\$2,562,297.00) for the costs related to transportation improvement projects.	8 /10/2022		2022-0930
Planning, Development & Transportation	0102	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Seven Million Five Hundred One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$7,501,200.00) in the form of a grant for the Federal Highway Administration Grant from the Massachusetts Department of Transportation, Highway Division, to be administered by the Boston Transportation Department and the Boston Public Works Department. The grant will fund a portion of the design cost for the Sullivan Square/Rutherford Avenue project.	9 /28/2022		2022-1166
Planning, Development & Transportation	0104	Mayor		Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Alaa Mukahhal as a member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring May 1, 2024.	9 /28/2022		2022-1174
Planning, Development & Transportation	0105	Mayor		Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Theodora Massouh as an alternate member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring May 1, 2024.	9 /28/2022		2022-1175
Planning, Development & Transportation	0150	Coletta		Order for a hearing regarding a comprehensive, district-wide planning process for Boston's waterfront.	1 /11/2023		
Planning, Development & Transportation	0342	Lara	Baker	Order for a hearing to discuss the recovery and revitalization of the taxi industry.	2 /1 /2023	4/11/23	4/12/23 Remains in Committee

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Planning, Development & Transportation	0343	Fernandes Anderson	Lara	Order for a hearing regarding calling for a moratorium on all development on all city owned land in district seven prior to the request for proposal process.	2 /1 /2023	4/18/23	
Planning, Development & Transportation	0379	Fernandes Anderson	Mejia, Louijeune	Order for a hearing calling for District Increment Financing (DIF) to be Utilized in District Seven.	2 /8 /2023	3/16/23	
Planning, Development & Transportation	0413	Baker		Order for a hearing to discuss District Improvement Financing (DIF) from Kosciuszko Circle through Morrissey Boulevard Corridor.	2 /15/2023	3/16/23	
Planning, Development & Transportation	0583			Communication was received from the City Clerk transmitting a communication from the Boston Landmarks Commission for City Council action on the designation of The First Church in Roxbury, 160 Roxbury Street, Boston, MA, as a Landmark (In effect after April 5, 2023 if not acted upon).	3 /15/2023		
Public Health, Homelessness, & Recovery	0148	Coletta	Louijeune, Arroyo	Order for a hearing regarding contraception and menstrual product vending machines in the City of Boston.	1 /11/2023	4/4/23	4/5/23 Remains in Committee
Public Health, Homelessness, & Recovery	0156	Louijeune	Mejia, Coletta	Order for a hearing to discuss regulation of limited service pregnancy centers and crisis pregnancy centers in the City of Boston.	1 /11/2023		4/13/23 Hearing (canceled)
Public Health, Homelessness, & Recovery	0248	Lara	Arroyo	Order for a hearing to discuss the Disproportionate Criminalization of the LGBTQ+ Community and Their Health And Well-Being While Incarcerated.	1 /25/2023		
Public Health, Homelessness, & Recovery	0257	Fernandes Anderson		Order for a hearing to discuss the need for a health center in Nubian Square.	1 /25/2023	5/12/23	
Public Health, Homelessness, & Recovery	0585	Mejia	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing to create more transparency into reporting and accessibility into addressing the drug overdose crises in the City of Boston.	3 /15/2023		

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Public Safety & Criminal Justice	0151	Coletta	Louijeune, Bok	Order for a hearing to address contaminated beverages in clubs and bars.	1 /11/2023		3/7/23 WS Canceled, Rescheduled for 2/28/23 WS, 3/1/23 Remains in Committee
Public Safety & Criminal Justice	0140	Murphy		Order for a hearing on efforts to proactively combat summer violence in the City of Boston.	1 /11/2023	4/6/23	
Public Safety & Criminal Justice	0143	Worrell	Fernandes Anderson,	Order for a hearing to address gun violence	1 /11/2023		
Public Safety & Criminal Justice	0166	Murphy	Flaherty	Order for a hearing to ensure that the Boston Police and Schools Safety officers work together to ensure a safe environment for all our students and staff in the Boston Public Schools.	1 /11/2023	5/5/23	2/7/23 Hearing Canceled, 2/8/23 Remains in Committee, 3/30/23 Hearing Canceled
Public Safety & Criminal Justice	0252	Flaherty	Murphy	Order for a hearing regarding public safety measure recommendations for Boston Public Schools and Boston Police.	1 /25/2023	5/5/23	3/30/23 Hearing Canceled
Public Safety & Criminal Justice	0458	Worrell	Anderson, Murphy	Order for a hearing to Assess Expanded Hospital & Community-Centric Violence Prevention and Intervention.	3 /1 /2023		
Redistricting	0792	Murphy		Order for a hearing to address possible violations of the Redistricting Committee.	4 /12/2023		
Rules & Administration	0339	Flynn		Order for a meeting to review he Boston City Council rules.	2 /1 /2023		
Rules & Administration	0405	Fernandes Anderson		Order for an Ordinance to increase the Allocated Budget for City Council Staff.	2 /8 /2023		4/10 23 WS, 4/12/23 Remains in Committee
Rules & Administration	0627	Fernandes Anderson		Ordinance to make the Boston City Council's web-page on the Boston City website more resourceful and accessible.	3 /22/2023		

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Rules & Administration	0809	Bok	Arroyo, Breadon	Ordinance amending the City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Section 2-9.2 in regard to Council District Eight.	4 /12/2023		
Small Business & Professional Licensure	0141	Worrell	Mejia	Order for a hearing regarding barriers to small businesses.	1 /11/2023		
Small Business & Professional Licensure	0171	Mejia		Order for a hearing diversifying cannabis business models.	1 /11/2023	4/20/23	
Small Business & Professional Licensure	0239	Mejia	Arroyo	Order for a hearing on expanding access for minority business enterprises into high volume commercial centers.	1 /25/2023		
Small Business & Professional Licensure	0263	Fernandes Anderson	Worrell	Resolution to request Walgreens to postpone all closures of Boston locations.	1 /25/2023		
Small Business & Professional Licensure	0459	Arroyo		Order for a hearing to discuss challenges Latino owned businesses and entrepreneurs face when accessing government and corporate contracts.	3 /1 /2023		
Small Business & Professional Licensure	0630	Arroyo		Order for a hearing to discuss the ban of miniature alcohol bottles (NIPS) in the City of Boston.	3 /22/2023	4/3/23	4/5/23 Remains in Committee
Strong Women, Families & Communities	0122	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the Age Strong Universal Fund, awarded by the Donor Group to be administered by the Age Strong Commission. The grant will fund senior center programs and services for older adults in Boston through small contributions from various donors in the amount not to exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00).	1 /11/2023		
Strong Women, Families & Communities	0246	Lara	Flaherty, Louijeune	Order for a hearing to assess the need for a Senior Center in the neighborhood of West Roxbury.	1 /25/2023	2/2/23	

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Strong Women, Families & Communities	0377	Flynn	Lara	Order for a hearing to discuss increasing access to swimming lessons and awareness of water safety.	2 /8 /2023		
Strong Women, Families & Communities	0415	Murphy	Baker	Order for a hearing for the possible closing of several Boston public schools and BCYF community centers this summer.	2 /15/2023	3/7/23	3/8/23 remains in committee
Strong Women, Families & Communities	0575	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Three Hundred Forty Thousand Dollars (\$340,000.00) in the form of a grant, for the Strengthening Child Care Programs, awarded by the Boston Planning & Development Agency to be administered by the Office of Early Childhood. The grant will fund sub-grants to strengthen child care programs based on the needs of providers.	3 /15/2023		
Strong Women, Families & Communities	0790	Mejia		Order for a hearing to discuss youth outreach and engagement in Boston Public Libraries.	4 /12/2023		
Strong Women, Families, & Communities	0261	Murphy		Order for a hearing to discuss the results of last year's youth summer jobs programs and the social emotional benefits of summer employment.	1 /25/2023	3/27/23	3/29/23 remains in committee
Ways & Means	0152	Louijeune	Fernandes Anderson, Bok	Order for a hearing to explore municipal bonds and other fiscal options to increase affordable housing and community investments.	1 /11/2023		
Ways & Means	0322	Fernandes Anderson	Louijeune	Order for a hearing regarding the City Budget.	1 /25/2023	3/28/23, 4/10/23	4/10/23-WS (10 am-revised), 4/10/23 WS (2pm-canceled), 4/13/23-WS (canceled), 3/29/23 remains in committee, 4/12/23 Remains in Committee
Ways & Means	0760	Mayor		Message and order for Annual Appropriation and Tax Order for FY2024. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10,2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	

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Ways & Means	0761	Mayor		Message and order for Annual Appropriation for the School Department for FY2024. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0762	Mayor		Message and order approving an appropriation of Forty Million Dollars (\$40,000,000.00) to the Other Post-Employment Benefits (OPEB) Liability Trust Fund established under Section 20 of Massachusetts General Law Chapter 32B. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0763	Mayor		Message and order approving an appropriation of One Million Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,800,000.00) from the City's Capital Grant Fund to address the impact of transportation network services on municipal roads, bridges, and other transportation infrastructure or any other public purpose substantially related to the operation of transportation network services in the city. Such funds will be transferred and credited to the Capital Grant Fund from revenue received from the Commonwealth Transportation Infrastructure Enhancement Trust Fund. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0764	Mayor		Message and order for your approval an order authorizing the City of Boston to enter into one or more leases, lease-purchase or installment sales agreements in Fiscal Year 2024 in an amount not to exceed Thirty Nine Million Dollars (\$39,000,000.00). These funds are to be used by various City departments for the acquisition of equipment in furtherance of their respective governmental functions. The list of equipment includes: computer equipment (hardware and software), motor vehicles and trailers, ambulances, firefighting equipment, office equipment, telecommunications equipment, photocopying equipment, medical equipment, school and educational equipment, school buses, parking meters, street lighting installation, traffic signal equipment and equipmet functionally related to and components of the foregoing. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0765	Mayor		Message and order approving an appropriation of Twenty-Nine Million Four Hundred Five Thousand Dollars (\$29,405,000.00) from the City's Capital Grant Fund in order to provide funding for various transportation and public realm improvements. The funds shall be credited to the Capital Grant Fund from the Parking Meter Fund.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	

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Ways & Means	0766	Mayor		Message and order authorizing an appropriation order in the amount of Twenty Seven Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$27,500,000.00) from Surplus Property Disposition Fund, credited to the Capital Fund for planning, design, and construction, for projects, the Animal Shelter, Old State House, BHA decarbonization, and Harrison Avenue BWSC Operations. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0767	Mayor		Message and order for your approval an appropriation order in the amount of Six Hundred Fifty-Seven Million One Hundred Ten Thousand Dollars (\$657,110,000.00) for various capital improvement purposes for city departments including the Boston Center for Youth and Families, Department of Innovation and Technology, the Environment, Fire, Parks and Recreation, Police, Property Management, Public Works, and Transportation departments, Mayor's Office of Housing, Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture, Boston Public Library, Boston Housing Authority, Boston Planning and Development Agency, and the Boston Public Health Commission. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0768	Mayor		Message and order authorizing an appropriation order in the amount of Three Hundred Twenty-Eight Million One Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars ((\$328,160,000.00) for various capital improvement purposes for the Boston Public Schools. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0769	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Law Department revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to purchase goods and services for repairs to city property. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from recoveries for damages to city property caused by third parties. The Law Department will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	

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Ways & Means	0770	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Mayor's Office of Tourism revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to purchase goods and services to support events and programming on and around City Hall Plaza to advance tourism and promote participation in public celebrations, civic and cultural events. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from payments for the use of City Hall Plaza pursuant to City of Boston Code, Ordinance, 11-7.14. The Mayor's Office of Tourism will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at One Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$150,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0771	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to purchase goods and services to support the operation of the Strand Theatre. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from rental fees for the use of the Strand Theatre. The Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0772	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to purchase goods and services to support public art to enhance the public realm throughout the City of Boston. This revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from easements within the public way granted by the Public Improvement Commission. The Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at Eight Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$800,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
Ways & Means	0773	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Distributed Energy Resource Revolving Fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to facilitate the purchase of offsets of greenhouse gas emissions which shall be associated with a portion of the electricity consumed by the City annually; and to operate, maintain, monitor and expand the City's existing solar arrays and Boston Public Schools' combined heat and power facilities. This revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts from the sale of renewable and alternative energy certificates and demand response program revenues produced by combined heat and power units located at Boston Public Schools sites and solar renewable energy certificates produced by the City's photovoltaic arrays. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund shall not exceed One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0774	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Environment Conservation Commission revolving fund for the Fiscal Year 2024 for the purpose of securing outside consultants including engineers, wetlands scientist, wildlife biologists or other experts in order to aid in the review of proposed projects to the Commission, per the city's ordinance protecting local wetland and promoting climate change adaptation. The revolving fund shall be funded by receipts from fees imposed by the Commission for the purpose of securing outside consultants. The Environment Department will be the only department authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$50,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0775	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Boston Centers for Youth and Families (BCYF) revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the City Hall Child Care. This revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts from tuition paid by parents or guardians for children enrolled at the center. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund shall not exceed Nine Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$900,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
Ways & Means	0776	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Boston Public Schools revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to repair and purchase Boston Public Schools computer technology, including computers, mobile devices, and instructional software. This revolving fund shall be credited with any and all receipts from equipment sales and repair fees for Boston Public School technology. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund shall not exceed One Million Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$1,750,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0777	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Boston Public Schools revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to support the maintenance and repair for BPS facilities, including custodial and utility costs for extended building time, floor refinishing, landscaping and building repairs. Receipts from Lease, Permit for Use and Parking Fees for BPS facilities will be deposited in the fund. BPS will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall not exceed Two Million Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,200,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0778	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Boston Public Schools revolving fund for the Fiscal Year 2024 for Boston Public School Transportation cost, including bus and public transportation costs. This revolving fund shall be credited with revenue received by Boston Public School Department for the provision of transportation to groups and entities for field trips and activities other than transportation to and from school. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund shall not exceed One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0779	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Boston Police Department revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to pay salaries and benefits of employees and to purchase supplies and equipment necessary to operate the Police Department Fitness Center. Revenue for this fund is derived from monthly membership fees. Receipts and resulting expenditures from this fund shall not exceed One Hundred Twenty Five Thouand Dollars (\$125,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	

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Ways & Means	0780	Mayor		Message and order authorizing a limit for the Boston Police Department revolving fund for Fiscal Year 2024 to support the Canine Unit's training program for officers and police dogs from non-City of Boston law enforcement agencies. The Special Operating Division will charge tuition and other fees to outside law enforcement agencies for the Canine Unit. The tuition and other fees by outside agencies will be used to purchase training equipment, certify instructors, update facilities and provide funds for other training needs not otherwise budgeted. The Special Operations Division will be the only unit authorized to expend from the fund and such expenditures shall be capped at One Hundred Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$125,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0781	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the appropriation of One Million Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$1,200,000.00) from the income of the George Francis Parkman Fund. The funds are to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Parks and Recreation for the maintenance and improvement of Boston Common and Parks in existence since January 12, 1887.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Ways & Means	0782	Mayor		Message and order approving an appropriation of Four Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$4,500,000.00) from the 21st Century Fund, also known as the Public Educational, or Governmental (PEG) Access and Cable Related Fund. Pursuant to Section 53F 3/4 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, the funds may be used to support PEG access services, to monitor compliance with the cable franchise agreement, and for preparation of renewal of the franchise license. Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	
Whole	0789	Flynn		Order for special preliminary municipal election for District Eight City Councilor on June 27, 2023 and special municipal election on July 25, 2023	4 /12/2023		

City of Boston

IN

CITY COUNCIL

Official Resolution

presented by

**Council President Ed Flynn &
Councilor At-Large Michael Flaherty**

**Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
Extends its Recognition to**

Boston Police Officer Robert "Bobby" Lucas

In recognition of:

Your 34 years of dedicated public service to the City of Boston and the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. We commend your long-time service to our community, from working as a Corrections Officer at Deer Island, walking the beat at Broadway in South Boston, to assisting our neighbors. We also honor and recognize your service with the U.S. Army. Thank you for always being responsive and available to the community. Congratulations on your retirement from the Boston Police Department and we wish you all the best in this new chapter with your family!

and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

By: Edward M. Flynn
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: [Signature]

Date: _____

CITY OF BOSTON
IN THE
BOSTON CITY COUNCIL

Official Resolution

presented by

Council President Ed Flynn

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extends its recognition to

Gold Star Wives of America, Inc

In recognition of

We honor the memory of your spouses who made the supreme sacrifice, and recognize the incredible pain of your losing a loved one. We commend your tireless dedication to the mission of preserving and enhancing benefits to surviving United States Military spouses and children. Thank you for the important work that you do in support of our surviving spouses, children and our military families. We extend our deepest appreciation for your efforts and advocacy.

and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

Clerk of the City of Boston

Edward M. Flynn
Boston City Council President

City of Boston
IN
CITY COUNCIL



Official Resolution

presented by

Councilor Erin J. Murphy

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extended its Congratulations to:

Anna Coleman

In Recognition of:

Your 102nd Birthday and being the oldest living resident
of Mattapan

and be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its
best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly
signed by the President of the City Council and attested to a copy
thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

By: _____
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City Council

Offered by: _____

Date: _____

OFFERED BY COUNCILOR MICHAEL FLAHERTY



**CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL**

**IN RECOGNITION OF THE BOSTON RENEGADES
WOMEN’S FOOTBALL TEAM**

WHEREAS, The Boston Renegades are the premier women’s tackle football team in New England; *and*

WHEREAS, The Boston Renegades are the defending national champions; *and*

WHEREAS, The Boston Renegades have won four straight national championships; *and*

WHEREAS, The tradition of the Boston Renegades runs deep having been born of the legacies of prior teams such as the Boston Militia, New England Intensity, Bay State Warriors, Boston Rampage and Massachusetts Mutiny; *and*

WHEREAS, The Boston Renegades are comprised of some of the best athletes in New England and off the field are educators, entrepreneurs, trainers, public safety officers, business owners and many more professionals; *and*

WHEREAS, The Boston Renegades are currently owned by former player Molly Goodwin and operated in partnership with local business professional Michelle McDonough; *and*

WHEREAS, The Boston Renegades are currently managed by a team comprised of former NFL players and coaches, skilled medical professionals and a dedicated army of volunteers; *and*

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED: We celebrate her amazing success and dedication of the entire Boston Renegades organization;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOVLED THAT: That the Boston City Council, in meeting assembled, extends sincere congratulations and admiration for the success, hard work and dedication of the entire Boston Renegades organization.

Filed on: March 31, 2023

City of Boston
IN
CITY COUNCIL



Official Resolution

presented by

Councilor Erin J. Murphy

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extended its Congratulations to:

Dennis A. Woodbury

In Recognition of:

Your well-deserved retirement, service, and commitment to
the City and all your hard work at the Boston Fire Department

and be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its
best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly
signed by the President of the City Council and attested to a copy
thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

By: _____
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City Council

Offered by: _____

Date: _____

Dennis A Woodbury (Name used for Resolution Copy)

Edward A Anderson
Henry Baston
William F. Benevelli
Stephen P Bradley
John M Caljouw
John P Cavaleri
Gregory P Conlan
Mark Corwin
Michael E Davis
Dwayne E Daye
Ralph T Dean
Marcus A Dennis
John P Dorian
Vincent L Easterling
Joseph M Fleming
Gerald L Garris
William M Gillis
Rodney E Gillum
Edward A Godinho
Willie K Harris
Robert J Hawe
Kevin M Hoar
Mark Jones
Dennis L Keeley
Paul Kelly
John P. Kelly
Edward P Kenney
James L King
Joseph E Lohan
Dennis A MacDonald
Stephen V Marks
Kevin F McNiff
Daniel S Mullen
Joseph W Murphy
Les E Murrell
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Charles J Popp
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Valerie Watson
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Fredrick C. Adams
Kevin Bailey
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David J. Bergdoll.
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John Dempsey
Eddie Echevarria
Reynaldo Estremera
Gregory J. Fall
Thomas D. Farrell
James C. Feeney
John J. Finn
Joseph J. Finnigan
John F. Fitzpatrick
Frank J. Fortes
Richard F. Fullam
Paul G Glora
Edward Gottwald
Bernard Harper
Ronald A Harrington
David Hayes
Joseph E. Higgins
Dennis E. Keith
Edward M. Kelly
Douglas T. King
Santiago Lasa
Kennedy L. Lightfoot
Michael C. Lozanne
Gregory Magee
Daniel J. Mahoney
William F. McCarthy
William J. McCarthy
Joseph G McMahan
Richard L Mercer
John T Morrissey
Edward O'Donnell
Christopher A Serra
Thomas F. Stanton
James E Sullivan
Christopher Tillman
Paul F Vinard
Alex E. Wright
Keith T. Wyzard
Allan M. Young
John G. Jackson
Robert V. Vazquez

Total=100

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Official Resolution

Presented by

Councilor At-Large Ruthzee Louiseune

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extends its Congratulations to

Tom Barryman

In Recognition of:

**Your steadfast support and volunteering on behalf of East Boston Community
Soup Kitchen.**

Thank you for your unwavering dedication.

and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued
success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested
to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

By: *David M. Flynn*
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: _____

Date: _____

Pastor Don Nanstad
Pastor Fred Pucillo
Pastora Kaitlin Givens
Julie Abreau Araujo
Christianne Oliveira
Henry Long
Gregory Huang
Gregory Mangan
Hadeal Ayoud
Hamilton Swartwood
Nicholas Silvestro
Paulina Batisda-Yale
Beatriz Yanez
Marcos Ramos
Karen Acone
Mina Akdim
David Aiken
Andres Atero
Tom Berryman and Joan Ellersick
Francesco Bruno
Lila Greiner
Aiden Castillo
Kim Ciampa
Mary Corso
Maricel Aparicio
Scott Eranio
Mike Fitzgerald
Kevin Flores
Evelyn Gomez
Marianella Gonzales
Moises Gasper
Megan Johnson
Carlotta Jones
Gustavo Flores
Devin MacGoy
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Marco Ramos
Noemy Rodriguez
Pamela Ross
Salvadoran Consulate - Mr. Abelino Chika
Kyle Verhoy
Rigoberto Herbert
Hector Rodriguez
Susan Huang

Santiago Nova
Brittany Di Copua
Nicolas Argueta
Ann Canzano
Siste Burt
Sister Blair Minster
Elder Martinez
Elder Carlson
Juana Sanchez
Ashley Maldonado
Jorge Ivan Henao
Arline Olivero (Staff)
Alan Yu (Staff)
Naomi J Zuckerman
Alisson Santos
Luis Pineda
Emanuel Henao
Oseas Flores
Xiomara Nicole Martinez
Daniel Landaverde
Jazmine Moreno Solano
Yariel Mejia
Victoria Alvarez Maldonado
Raven Conway
Bryan Pineda Sosa
Anthony Pineda Sosa
Mohamad Kandil
Wynter Stevenson
Tesoro Market
Channel Fish / Empower East Boston
La Casa Del Pandebono
Food for Free
Montecristo Restaurant
Our Saviour's Lutheran Church
YMCA of Greater Boston
East Boston YMCA
E-Z Disposal
Resurrection Church of East Boston
Gaining Ground Farm
Dignity Matters
Green Roots
Shaw's Supermarket of East Boston
Greater Boston Food Bank
Lovin Spoonsful

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Eastie Farm
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JoAnn and Michael Fitzgerald they made (
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Central Assembly of Gods Church
Air Cargo Club of New England
Jeffrey's Point Yatch Club
Freder Villa Entertainment - DJS & Exclusive
Events
PPSC Piers Park Sailing Center
Church at The Well

Happy Barbershop (Marcos Ramos owner)

East Boston Neighborhood Health
Center
Tom Barryman and
Joan Ellersick (volunteers and money
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Dante Alighieri Montessori School
Donald McKay School

East Boston Police District A-7 Station

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East Boston Police District A-7 Station

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Official Resolution

Presented by

Councilor At-Large Ruthzee Louise

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extends its Congratulations to

Rev. Marcel Victor

In Recognition of:

Thank you for your commitment and enthusiastic service to the Haitian Community and the Greater Boston.

Your tireless dedication to educate others through media is admirable.

and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

By: _____
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: _____

Date: _____

City of Boston IN CITY COUNCIL



Official Resolution

Presented by

Councilor At-Large Ruthzee Louiseune

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extends its Congratulations to

Rev. Hubermann Larose

In Recognition of:

Thank you for your dedication and service to the Haitian Community and the Greater Boston.

Your talent has impacted the lives of many people in Haiti and the Diaspora.

and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

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President of the City Council

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Clerk of the City of Boston

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Date: _____

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Official Resolution

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Councilor At-Large Ruthzee Louiseune

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extends its Congratulations to

Maestro Jean René Charles

In Recognition of:

Thank you for your dedication and service to the Haitian Community and the Greater
Boston.

Your impeccable talent has contributed to the advancement of Christian music in
Haiti and abroad.

and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued
success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested
to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

By: _____
President of the City Council

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Clerk of the City of Boston

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Date: _____

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OFFERED BY BOSTON CITY COUNCILOR

JULIA MEJIA

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council extends its Congratulations to:

Luis Rodriguez

In Recognition of:

Su gran labor y dedicación en estrechar vínculos de amistad, gestionando la cooperación internacional y las relaciones interinstitucionales, planificando, coordinando y promoviendo convenios; a fin de garantizar el enlace entre nuestras naciones.

and Be it further resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

Official Resolution

OFFERED BY BOSTON CITY COUNCILOR

JULIA MEJIA

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council extends its Congratulations to:

José Ignacio Paliza

In Recognition of:

Su aporte a la democracia y su compromiso con el servicio público y el empoderamiento de nuestra juventud.

and Be it further resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

Date:

Offered by:

Attest:
Clerk of the City of Boston

By:
President of the City Council

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL EXTENDS ITS BEST WISHES AND CONTINUED SUCCESS; THAT THIS RESOLUTION BE DULY SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL AND ATTESTED TO AND A COPY THEREOF TRANSMITTED BY THE CLERK OF THE CITY OF BOSTON

IN RECOGNITION OF:
Your continued contributions to the preservation and support of literacy education, Black history, and for your staple business in Boston, the Frugal Bookstore, located in Nubian Square. We thank you for fostering a collective environment for the Boston community to come together through your impactful events and welcoming arms.

CLARRISSA CROPPER AND LEONARD EGERTON

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
Extends its appreciation to:

OFFERED BY CITY COUNCILOR TANIA FERNANDES ANDERSON

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OFFICIAL RESOLUTION
OFFERED BY CITY COUNCILOR TANIA FERNANDES ANDERSON

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
Extends its appreciation to:

PRINCE HALL GRAND LODGE

IN RECOGNITION OF:

The 2023 Northeast Region I Conference under the direct leadership of the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Yves R. Maignan, and the Worthy Grand Matron, Heavenly R. Mitchell, of Prince Hall Grand Lodge, in the jurisdiction of Massachusetts.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL EXTENDS ITS BEST WISHES AND CONTINUED SUCCESS; THAT THIS RESOLUTION BE DULY SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL AND ATTESTED TO AND A COPY THEREOF TRANSMITTED BY THE CLERK OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

By: _____
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: _____

Date: _____

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OFFERED BY CITY COUNCILOR TANIA FERNANDES ANDERSON

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
Extends its appreciation to:

CAROL WALTON

IN RECOGNITION OF:

Your integral, transformative work within influential community organizations and public and private agencies of Boston. We commend you for your contributions in support of a thriving economic landscape, cultivating a creative and culturally inclusive economic environment, supporting the arts, and bolstering development for the district of Roxbury. Your dedication, as reflected in the versatility of your numerous roles such as that of the American City Coalition, Roxbury Cultural Network, Create Boston Program, the Menino Administration, and others, does not go unnoticed. We thank you for being the backbone and a constitutive member in furtherance of the important goals of economic development and we would like to welcome you as our guest.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL EXTENDS ITS BEST WISHES AND CONTINUED SUCCESS; THAT THIS RESOLUTION BE DULY SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL AND ATTESTED TO AND A COPY THEREOF TRANSMITTED BY THE CLERK OF THE CITY OF BOSTON

By: _____
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: _____

Date: _____

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Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extended its Congratulations to:

SAL GIARRATANI

In Recognition of:

HIS LONG-STANDING SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY OF EAST BOSTON; and
Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its
best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly
signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and
a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

By: _____
President of the City Council

Attest: _____
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: _____

Date: _____

City of Boston

IN

CITY COUNCIL



IN TRIBUTE

THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL EXTENDS ITS
DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO YOU AND YOUR
FAMILY IN THE PASSING OF YOUR LOVED ONE

GEORGE FARRO

IN WHOSE MEMORY ALL MEMBERS STOOD
IN TRIBUTE AND REVERENCE AS
THE COUNCIL ADJOURNED ITS MEETING OF

April 26th, 2023

SINCERELY,

CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Attest

Presented By

Debra Colletti

City of Boston
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Official Resolution Recognizing Polish Constitution Day

OFFERED BY CITY COUNCILOR AT-LARGE ERIN J. MURPHY

- WHEREAS,** Polish Constitution Day is celebrated on May 3rd each year and commemorates the signing of the Constitution of 3 May 1791, which was one of the first modern constitutions in the world and an important moment in the history of Poland; *and*
- WHEREAS,** After gaining independence in 1918, May 3rd became a holiday in Poland. This holiday, like many holidays, was not celebrated during the time of the communist government. Following the collapse of the Soviet Union, the holiday was restored by Poland in 1990; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Polish immigrants have made significant contributions to the culture, politics, and education of Boston, and their legacy continues to thrive in the city today. Today, Polish Americans continue to contribute to our city and country in business, government, politics, religion, the U.S. military, building trades, and organized labor. They also contribute immensely to our arts and culture, as well as sports. The Polish community is strong in Boston, especially in Dorchester's Polish Triangle; ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT***

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council recognizes May 3rd as Polish Constitution Day in the City of Boston. In recognition, the Boston City Council ordered the Property Management Department to raise the Polish flag at 11:00 am on May 3rd, 2023.

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Clerk of the City Council

City of Boston
IN
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Official Resolution

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
extended its Congratulations to:
**EAST BOSTON HIGH SCHOOL JETS
BASEBALL TEAM AND THEIR COACHING TEAM**

In Recognition of:

BECOMING THE 2022 CITY CHAMPIONS FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 31 YEARS ; and
Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its
best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly
signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and
a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.



By: Edward M. Flynn
President of the City Council

Attest: Ally Grant
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: Lalala Collette

Date: April 26, 2023

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Official Resolution

OFFERED BY BOSTON CITY COUNCILOR

JULIA MEJIA

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council extends its Congratulations to:

Dalila Vargas

In Recognition of:

Your ownership of Toasted Flats Inc. Further, in recognition of your entrepreneurial spirit and commitment to maintaining a quality woman-owned businesses in the City of Boston. Thank you for serving our community and contributing to our city's growth and prosperity.

and Be it further resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.



By: Edward M. Flynn
President of the City Council

Attest: Alex Gonsky
Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: Julia Mejia

Date: _____