



ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR MATTERS PRESENTED TO THE CITY CLERK PRIOR TO 10:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, MAY 1, 2023 FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING IN THE CHRISTOPHER IANNELLA CHAMBER ON WEDNESDAY, MAY 3, 2023 AT 12:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

COMMUNICATIONS FROM HER HONOR, THE MAYOR:

- 0864** Message and order for your approval of the receipt of a Preservation Restriction on the Hayden Building, 681-683 Washington Street, Boston, Massachusetts, 02111-1611.
- 0865** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Thirty-Six Thousand One Hundred Nineteen Dollars (\$36,119.00) in the form of a grant, from the Federal FY22 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement Formula Allocation, awarded by the United States Department of Justice, passed through the Massachusetts State Police/ Crime Laboratory, to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund training and continued education for forensic examiners, criminalist and laboratory personnel.
- 0866** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the in-kind donation of office furniture, equipment, and accessories, valued at Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00), a donation to the Veronica B. Smith Senior Center, Inc. located at 20 Chestnut Hill Avenue, Brighton, MA 02135. The purpose of this donation is to furnish the Veronica B. Smith Senior Center that provides services for older adults, including exercise and other recreational programs.

- [0867](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Midori Morikawa, as a member of the Zoning Commission for a term expiring May 1, 2026.
- [0868](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Aisha Miller, as a member of the Zoning Commission for a term expiring May 1, 2026.
- [0869](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Ricardo Austrich, as a member of the Zoning Commission for a term expiring May 1, 2026.
- [0870](#) Message transmitting certain information under Section 17F Relative to BPS Title 1 Spending, Docket #0811, passed by the City Council on April 12, 2023.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES

REPORTS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND OTHERS:

- [0871](#) Notice was received from the Mayor of her absence from the City from Thursday, April 27, 2023 at 9:00 A.M., returning Sunday, April 30, 2023 at 8:00 P.M.
- [0872](#) 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 April 5, 2023.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES:

- [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.

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 #0769-0782, 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, Parkman Fund, and PEG Access Fund

[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.

[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.

MOTIONS, ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS:

[0873](#) **Councilor Lara offered the following:** Resolution Recognizing May As National Bike Month.

0874 Councilor Lara offered the following: Resolution Recognizing the Sun Poem As A Powerful Tool to Ignite Change.

0875 Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution Recognizing May as Haitian Heritage Month.

0876 Councilor Lara and Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Resolution Supporting Graduate Student Worker Unionizing Efforts At Northeastern University.

0877 Councilor Murphy offered the following: Resolution Recognizing Polish Constitution Day and Flag Raising on May 3, 2023.

PERSONNEL ORDERS:

0878 Councilor Flynn for Councilor Murphy offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Ryan Clark in City Council, effective April 29, 2023.

GREEN SHEETS:

3/23 Legislative Calendar for May 3, 2023

CONSENT AGENDA:

0879 Councilor Murphy offered the following: Resolution recognizing 17 individuals for graduating from the Building Pathways Pre-Apprenticeship Program.

0880 Councilor Worrell offered the following: resolution recognizing Pastor Egobudike E. Ezedi, Jr.

0881 Councilor Arroyo offered the following: Resolution recognizing Heaven Clarke.

0882 Councilor Flaherty offered the following: Resolution recognizing The Boston Renegades Women's Football Team.

0883 Councilor Coletta offered the following: Resolution recognizing Alfredo Vilar.

0884 Councilor Coletta offered the following: Resolution recognizing three people for serving Venezuelan migrant families.

0885 Councilor Coletta offered the following: Resolution in memory of Dorothy A. "DOT" McNeil.

0886 Councilor Flaherty offered the following: Resolution in memory of George Kalabokis.

0887 Councilor Flaherty offered the following: Resolution recognizing Hellenic Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

0888 Councilor Flaherty offered the following: Resolution recognizing David Wild.

0889 Councilor Flynn, Arroyo, Baker, Bok, Breadon, Coletta, Fernandes Anderson, Flaherty, Louijeune, Mejia, Murphy, Worrell and Lara offered the following: Resolution recognizing Henry Luthin on his retirement.



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

May 1, 2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order approving the receipt of a Preservation Restriction on the Hayden Building, 681-683 Washington Street, Boston, Massachusetts, 02111-1611. The Hayden Building has historic significance to the City, and the owner, Hayden Building LLC, has conveyed a historic preservation restriction on the exterior features of the building to Historic Boston, Inc., a local charitable corporation. Historic Boston will work to preserve the historic significant of the Hayden Building pursuant to the preservation restriction.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order, which approves the preservation restriction pursuant to G.L. c. 184, § 32, as expeditiously as possible to preserve and protect this significant building in perpetuity and ensure that the historic character of the building, specifically its exterior features, retain their integrity.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER APPROVING A PRESERVATION RESTRICTION ON THE HAYDEN BUILDING LOCATED AT 681-683 WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS

WHEREAS: Pursuant to G.L. c. 184, § 32, the City of Boston is hereby empowered to approve preservation restrictions for historically significant structures located in the city; and

WHEREAS: The Hayden Building located at 681-683 Washington Street, Boston, Massachusetts, 02111-1611 (the "Historically Significant Property") is a structure that is historically significant with respect to its architecture, associations, and/or archaeology and is therefore appropriate for preservation; and

WHEREAS: The owner of the Historically Significant Property, Hayden Building LLC, has conveyed a historic preservation restriction to the exterior features of the Historically Significant Property to Historic Boston, Inc., a charitable corporation exempt from taxation under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, by agreement through a permanent restriction ("the Preservation Restriction"); and

WHEREAS: The Boston Landmarks Commission, as the preservation planning agency of the City of Boston, voted on March 14, 2023 to recommend approval of the Preservation Restriction.

NOW THEREFORE, be it ordained by the City of Boston as follows:

ORDERED: That pursuant to G.L. c. 184, § 32, the Preservation Restriction on the Hayden Building, 681-683 Washington Street, Boston, Massachusetts, as set forth in the attached instrument be, and the same hereby is, approved.

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

BY


ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL

TJB

APPROVAL OF PRESERVATION RESTRICTIONS

Pursuant to General Laws, Chapter 184, Section 32

**HAYDEN BUILDING
681-683 WASHINGTON
STREET
BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS**

The undersigned Mayor of the City of Boston, Massachusetts, hereby certifies that the foregoing preservation restrictions on the Hayden Building located at 681-683 Washington Street, Boston, Massachusetts, being more particularly described in Exhibit A attached hereto and in that certain deed, recorded with the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds in Book 49091, Page 189 together with all improvements thereon have been approved pursuant to Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 184, Section 32.

In approving these restrictions, the City of Boston assumes no responsibility, nor accepts any liability for enforcement.

Michelle Wu, Mayor

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

County of Suffolk, ss.

On this ____ day of _____ 2023, before me, the undersigned notary public, personally appeared Michelle Wu, Mayor, proved to me through satisfactory evidence of identification, which were _____, to be the person whose name is signed on the preceding or attached document, and acknowledged to me that he signed it voluntarily for its stated purpose as Acting Mayor for the City of Boston.

Notary Public

My commission expires:



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

05-01-2023

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 THIRTY-SIX THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED NINETEEN DOLLARS **(\$36,119.00)** in the form of a grant, Federal FY22 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement formula allocation, awarded by United States Department Of Justice, passed through the Massachusetts State Police / Crime Laboratory, to be administered by the Police Department.

The grant would fund training and continuing education for forensic examiners, criminalists and laboratory personnel.

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 FY22 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement formula allocation FUNDS, AWARDED BY United States Department Of Justice AND Massachusetts State Police / Crime Laboratory.

WHEREAS, the United States Department Of Justice and Massachusetts State Police / Crime Laboratory, are being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of THIRTY-SIX THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED NINETEEN DOLLARS (**\$36,119.00**) would fund training and continuing education for forensic examiners, criminalists and laboratory personnel. Therefore be it

ORDERED: that the Mayor, acting on behalf of the City of Boston be, and hereby is authorized, pursuant to section 53A of chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend the United States Department Of Justice, and Massachusetts State Police / Crime Laboratory' Federal FY22 Paul Coverdell Forensic Science Improvement formula allocation award not to exceed the amount of THIRTY-SIX THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED NINETEEN DOLLARS (**\$36,119.00**).

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

May 1, 2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend an in-kind donation of office furniture, equipment, and accessories, valued at Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00), a donation by the Veronica B. Smith Senior Center, Inc. located at 20 Chestnut Hill Avenue, Brighton, MA 02135.

The purpose of this donation is to furnish the Veronica B, Smith Senior Center that provides services for older adults, including exercise and other recreational programs.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order as expeditiously as possible, so that the City may receive the funds and expend them to advance the purposes of the project.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

**CITY OF BOSTON
IN CITY COUNCIL**

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND THE DONATION OF FURNITURE FROM VERONICA B. SMITH SENIOR CENTER, INC. VALUED AT TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00).

ORDERED: That the City of Boston, acting by and through the Age Strong Commission, be, and hereby is, authorized, in accordance with Section 53A of Chapter 44 of the Massachusetts General Laws, to accept and expend a donation from the Veronica B. Smith Senior Center, Inc. in the form of donated furniture in an amount that shall not exceed Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) for the purpose of furnishing the Veronica B. Smith Senior Center, a center for older adults run by the Age Strong Commission in the Alston/Brighton neighborhood.

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

BY _____

**ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL**

TJB



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

May 1, 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 Midori Morikawa of 93A Wachusett Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 as a member of the Zoning Commission, for a term expiring on May 1, 2026. I am appointing Midori Morikawa pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956, as amended by Chapter 461 of the Acts of 1993. Subject to your confirmation, Midori Morikawa will serve as an at-large member.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Midori Morikawa as a member of the Zoning Commission.

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 MIDORI MORIKAWA TO THE ZONING COMMISSION

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1956, c. 665, as amended by St. 1993, c. 461 the appointment of Midori Morikawa of 93A Wachusett Street, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130 as an at-large member of the Zoning Commission, for a term expiring on May 1, 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**

TJB



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

May 1, 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 Aisha Miller of 41 Lorna Road, Mattapan, Massachusetts 02126 as a member of the Zoning Commission, for a term expiring on May 1, 2026. I am appointing Aisha Miller pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956, as amended by Chapter 461 of the Acts of 1993. Subject to your confirmation, Aisha Miller will serve as a representative of a residential neighborhood organization.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Aisha Miller as a member of the Zoning Commission.

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 AISHA MILLER TO THE
ZONING COMMISSION**

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1956, c. 665, as amended by St. 1993, c. 461 the appointment of Aisha Miller of 41 Lorna Road, Mattapan, Massachusetts 02126 as a residential neighborhood organization member of the Zoning Commission, for a term expiring on May 1, 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**

TJB



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

May 1, 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 Ricardo Austrich, 843 South St, Roslindale, MA 02131 of as a member of the Zoning Commission, for a term expiring on May 1, 2026. I am appointing Ricardo Austrich pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 665 of the Acts of 1956, as amended by Chapter 461 of the Acts of 1993. Subject to your confirmation, Ricardo Austrich will serve as the member nominated by the Boston Society of Landscape Architects.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Ricardo Austrich as a member of the Zoning Commission.

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 RICARDO AUSTRICH TO THE ZONING COMMISSION

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1956, c. 665, as amended by St. 1993, c. 461 the appointment of Ricardo Austrich, the nominee of the Boston Society of Landscape Architects, of 843 South St, Roslindale, MA 02131 as a member of the Zoning Commission, for a term expiring on May 1, 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 TJB
CORPORATION COUNSEL



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

May 1, 2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear City Councilors:

In Response to a 17F request filed by your Honorable Body on April 12, 2023, Docket #0811.
Re: Relative to the BPS Title I Spending.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston



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Dr. Linda Chen, Senior Deputy Superintendent of Academics

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Boston City Council
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Boston City Hall
Boston, MA 0220

April 26, 2023

Re: 17F

Dear City Councilors,

Attached please find responses to Docket 0811. This 17F order requesting information on Boston Public Schools Title I spending was filed by City Councilor Gabriela Coletta on Wednesday, April 12, 2023.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Linda Chen".

Dr. Linda Chen
Senior Deputy Superintendent of Academics
Boston Public Schools



MEMORANDUM

TO: Boston City Councilor Gabriela Coletta
FROM: Dr. Linda Chen, Senior Deputy Superintendent of Academics
Boston Public Schools
DATE: Wednesday, April 26, 2023
SUBJECT: BPS Title I Funding

The following is the Boston Public Schools' response to a Rule 17F request for information from City Councilor Gabriela Coletta regarding Boston Public Schools Title I spending received on Monday, April 3, 2023.

Questions

1. Copies of the FY21 Title I for ELs Budget Monitoring Checklists for each school that received Title I ESAA funds during SY 2021-2022.

Response: The District is currently finalizing the Title I Checklists from SY21-22 and will supplement this response accordingly. The District has provided the 2021 Title I Checklists from SY20-21 herein.

2. Copies of the FY24 Title I for English Learners Budget Plan for each school for SY 2023-2024 including any preliminary version and the final version following Probable Org.

Response: The District is still in the process of drafting the Title I SY24 budget for schools and will consult with counsel for Plaintiffs on the SY24 Title I budget consistent with the Successor Settlement Agreement in *Boston Parents Advisory Council, et al. v. Boston School Committee, et al.* Docket No. USDC 91-11725. The District's Title I SY24 application is filed in or around August each year and presented to the Boston School Committee for approval in the fall. Accordingly, the District expects to finalize the Title I SY24 budget in or around September 2024. Upon finalization of the Title I budget for SY24, BPS will supplement this response.

3. Copies of Title I District dollars targeted to ELs SY20-21, SY21-22 and SY22-23 to date.

Response: Title I Spending for ELs

4. For SY19-20, SY20-21, SY21-22 and SY22-23 (to date):

a. The total of Title I ESAA centrally directed dollars spent (or which will be spent) for each of the following: After School Programs, Summer Review Programs, Extended or Expanded Learning Time, Early Learning Services, Enrollment Services, Academics and Professional Learning, Opportunity Gap, Welcome Services, Family and *Community Advancement, Engagement Funds, Academic Content Directors/Turnaround, Achievement Gap, Partners and Transition.*

Response: Data here

b. For each category of centrally directed Title I ESAA dollars the amount budgeted and amount spent, the total number of all students participating, the total number of English Learner students participating, the total number of ELD Level 1 or 2 students participating;

Response: The District does not collect data in a manner that is responsive to this request. Information on Title I spending for ELs can be found in the Title I Spending for ELs, which was provided in response to request #3.

c. For each category of centrally directed Title I ESAA dollars spent that involves parents of BPS students, the total number of parents participating and the total numbers of parents of English Learner students participating;

Response: The District does not not collect data in a manner that is responsive to this request.

d. For each category of centrally directed Title I ESAA dollars that involves contracting with or hiring of teachers, tutors or other personnel who work with students or parents, the number of such teachers, tutors or other personnel engaged and whether they are proficient in languages other than English;

Response:

School Year	Speaks another language	Does not speak another language	Total
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SY 19-20	125	163	288
SY 20-21	113	136	249
SY 21-22	89	103	192
SY 22-23	90	125	215

This data represents employees as of approximately 10/1 for each reported school year, staff members who self-report reading, speaking, signing, or writing a language other than English and whose positions are at least partially funded with Title I ESSA dollars.

e. For each category of centrally directed Title I ESAA dollars a list of the schools and/or neighborhoods in which the activities programs or activities took place including the numbers of total students and parents and number of ELL students and parents participating.

Response: The District does not collect data in a manner responsive to this request. To the extent this request seeks the expenditure of centrally directed Title I funds, those expenditures are detailed in the District's response to Request No. 4(b).



City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
MICHELLE WU

April 26, 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 Thursday April 27th from 9:30 a.m. returning Sunday April 30th at 8:00 pm.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston





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, April 5, 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**

03-20-2023

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 SEVENTEEN MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (**\$17,535,525.00**) in the form of a grant, Federal FY23 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), awarded by the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing.

The grant would fund housing, economic development and social service programs. The award amount is estimated from prior years.

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 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) FUNDS, AWARDED BY the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development.

WHEREAS, the the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Mayor's Office of Housing; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of SEVENTEEN MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (**\$17,535,525.00**) would fund housing, economic development and social service programs. The award amount is estimated from prior years. 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 the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development, Federal FY23 Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) award not to exceed the amount of SEVENTEEN MILLION FIVE HUNDRED THIRTY-FIVE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS (**\$17,535,525.00**).

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



Boston City Council
Committee on Housing and Community Development
Councilor Kendra Lara, *Chair*

April 26, 2023

Dear Councilors:

The Boston City Council's Committee on Housing and Community Development to which was referred the following:

Docket #0607 - 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 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.

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Docket #0609 - 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.

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City of Boston
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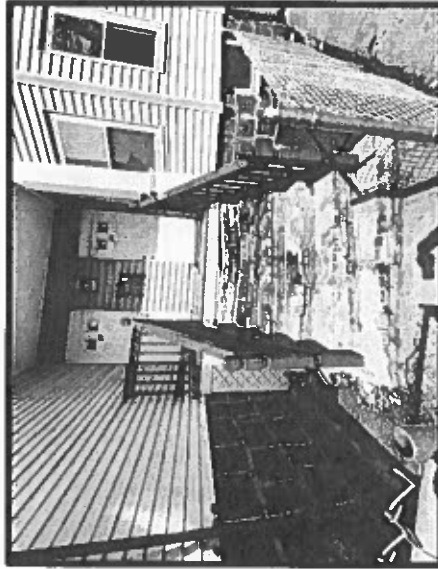
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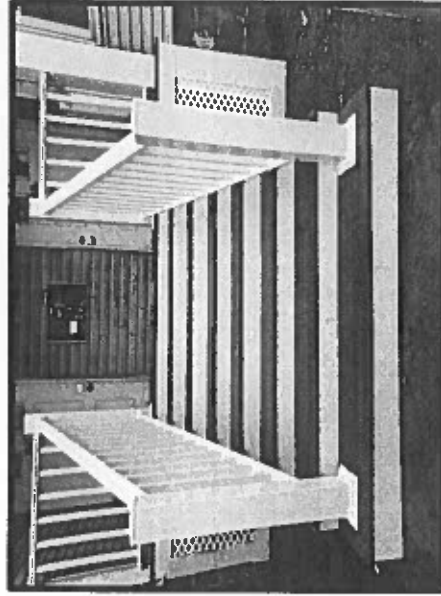
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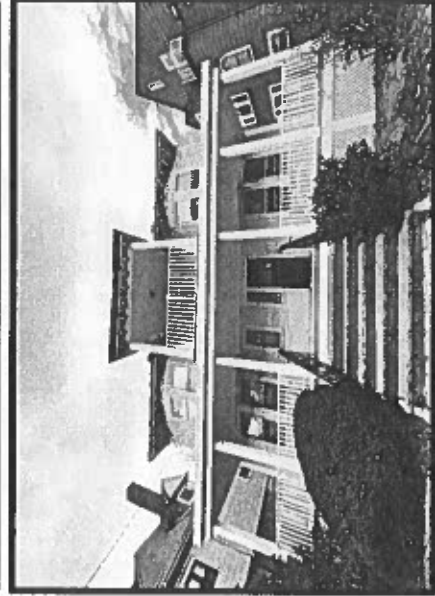
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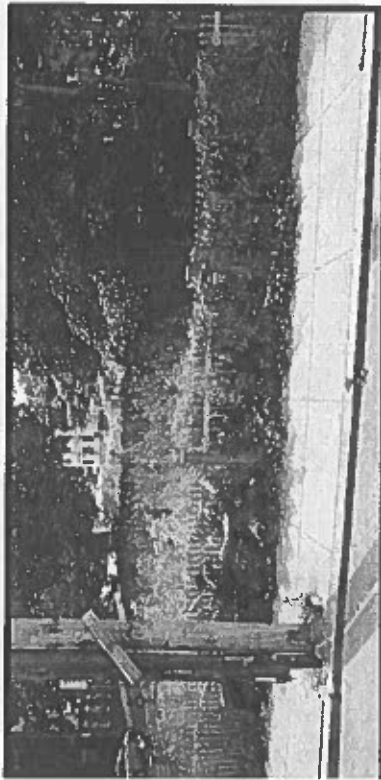


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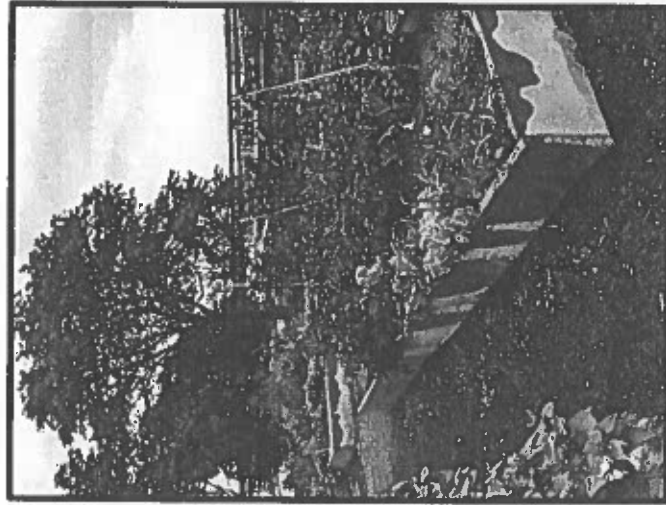
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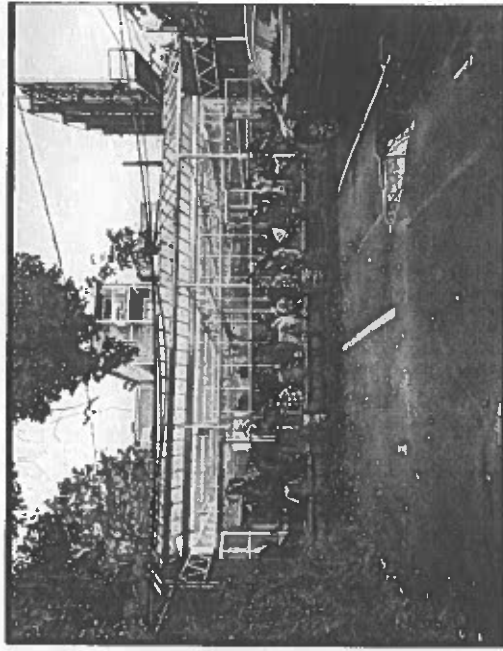


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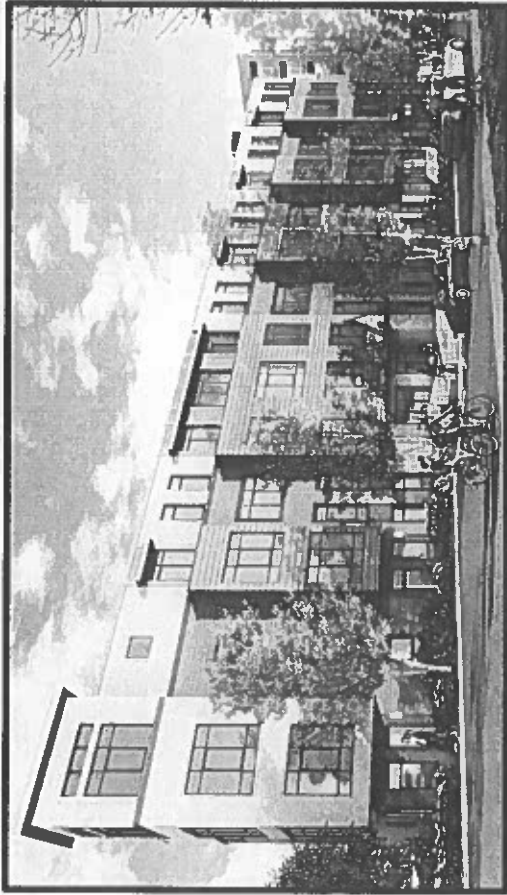
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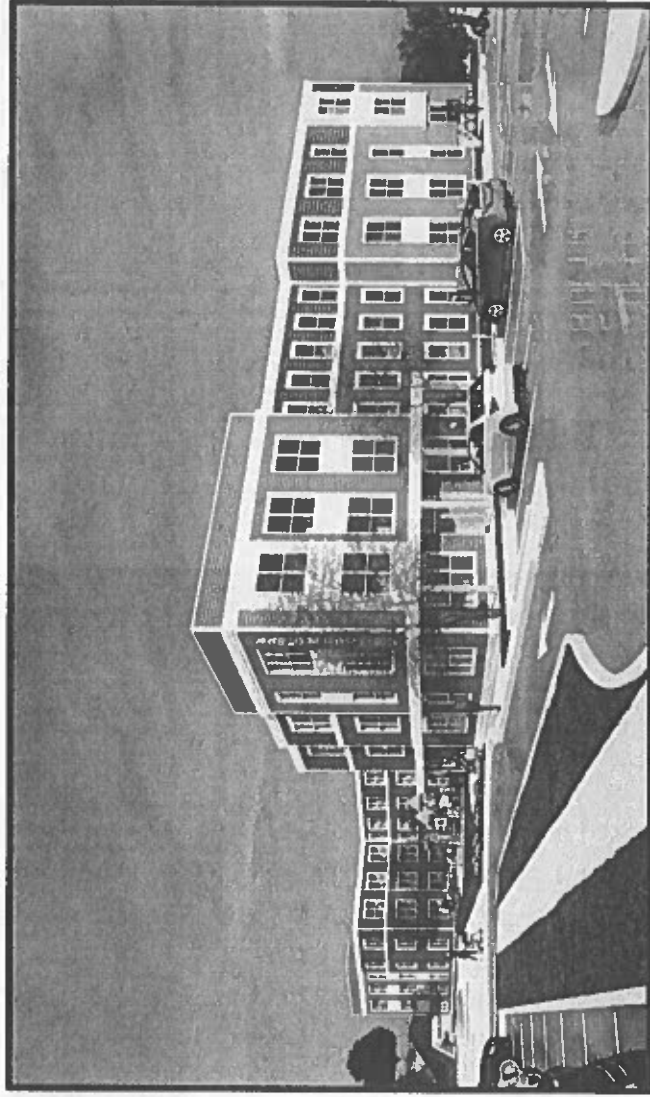
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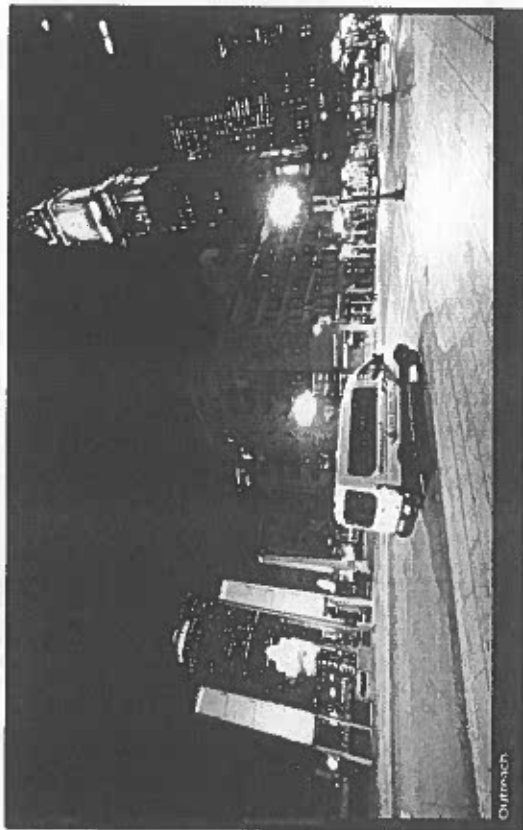
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03-20-2023

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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
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City Council Order

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**In City Council
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Mayor

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

by *Adam Cederbaum*

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Boston City Council
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April 26, 2023

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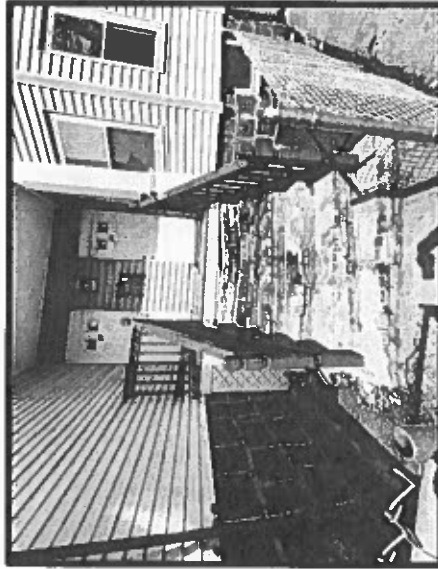
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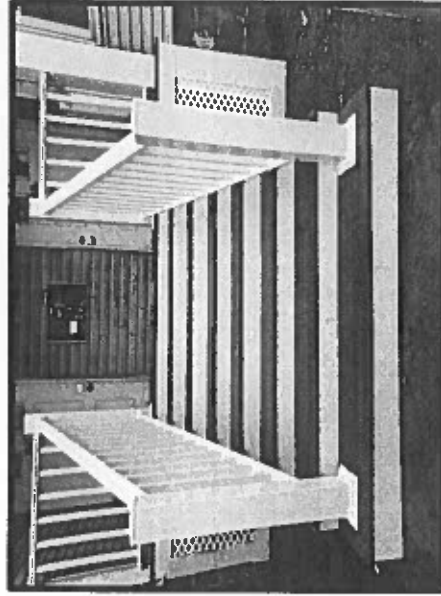
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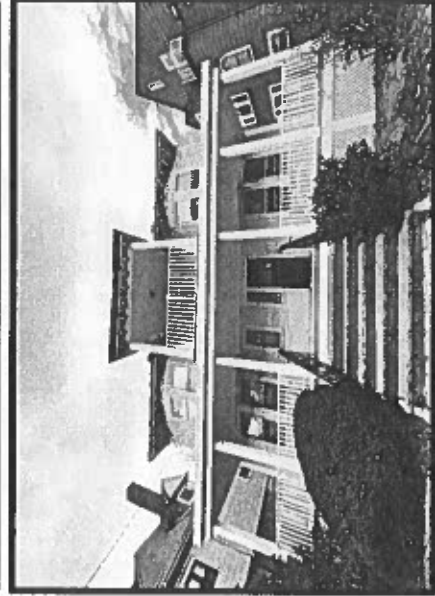
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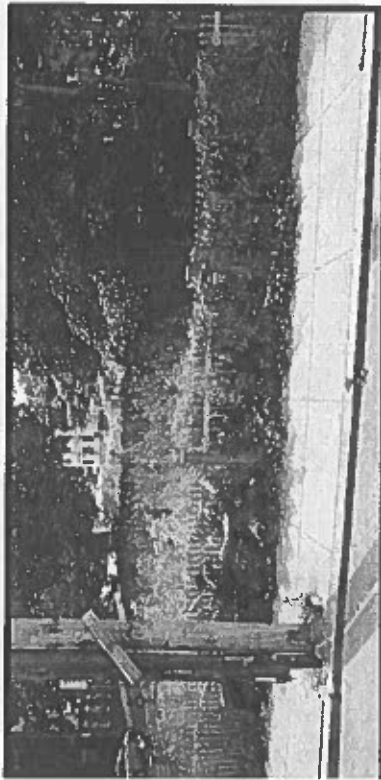
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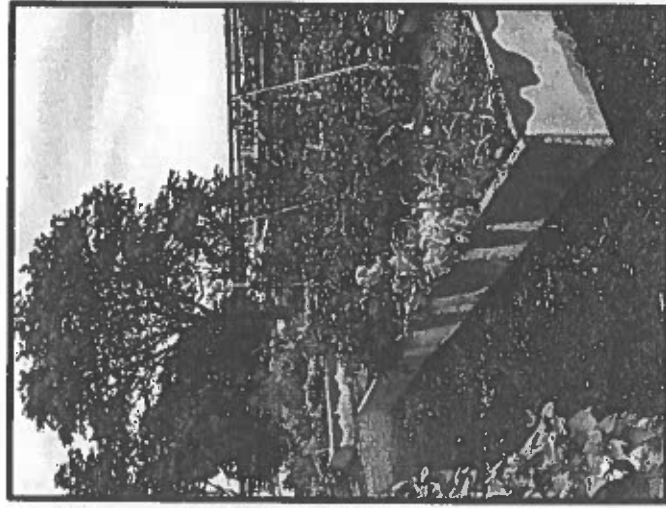


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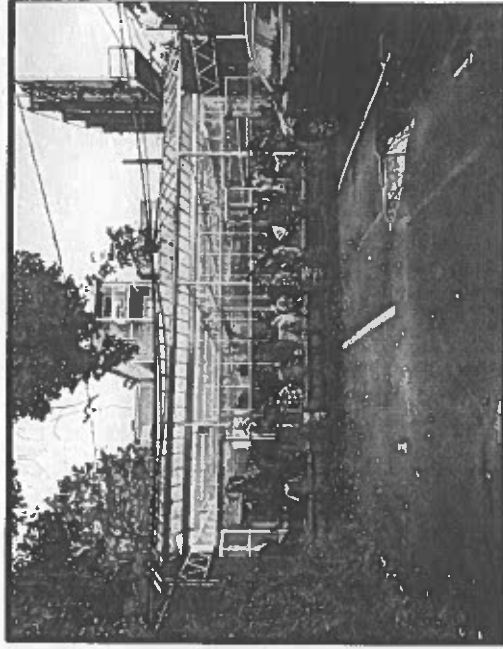


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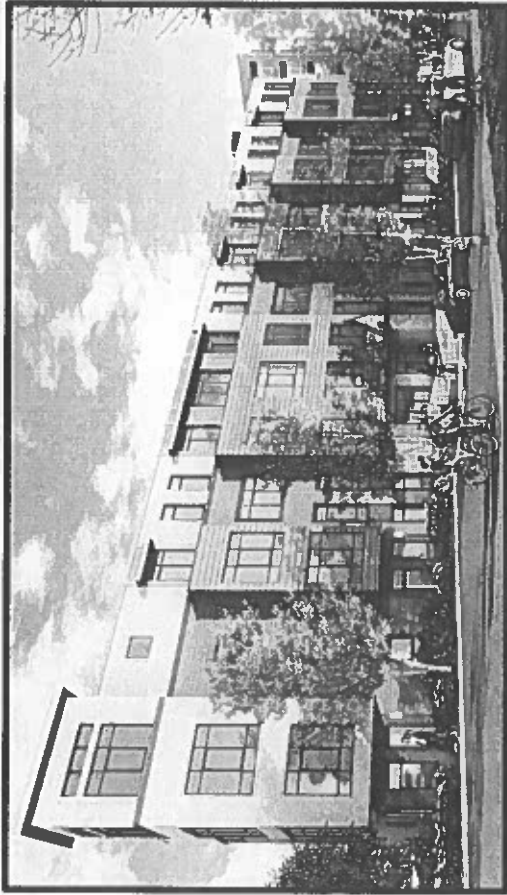
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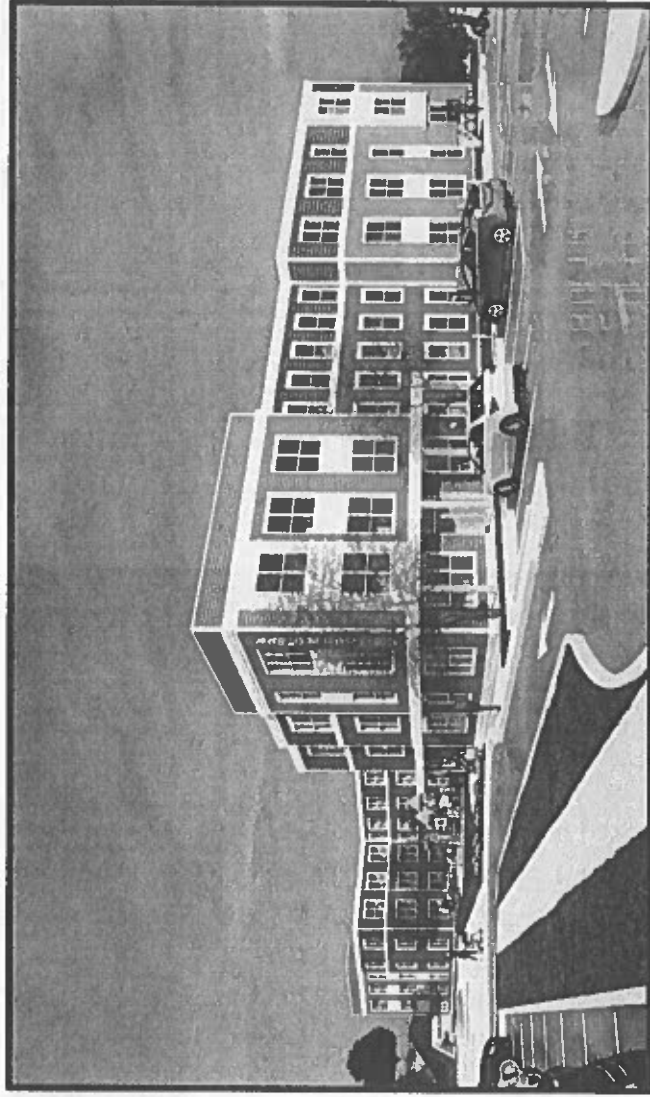
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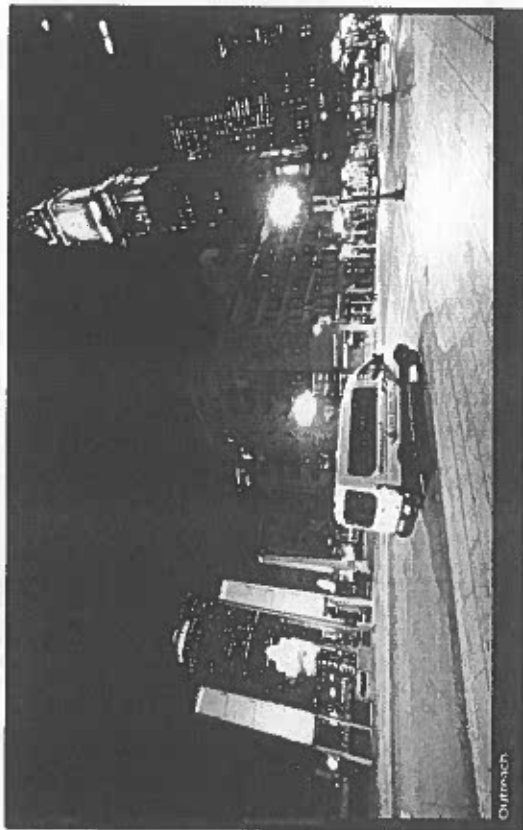
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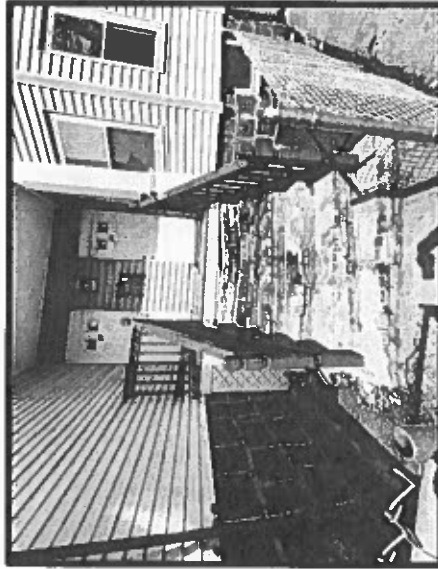
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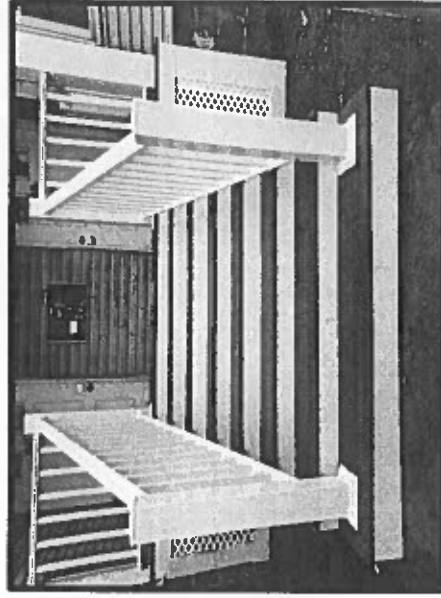
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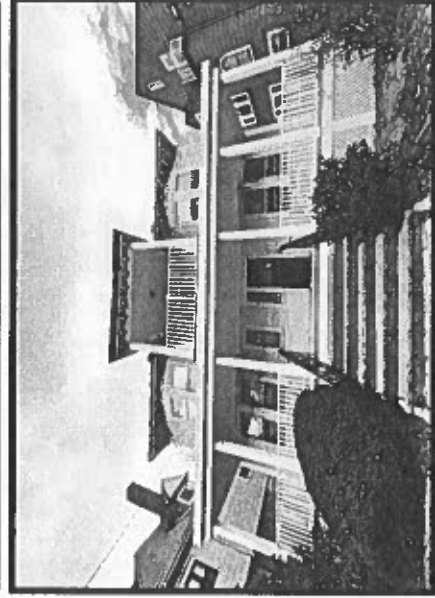
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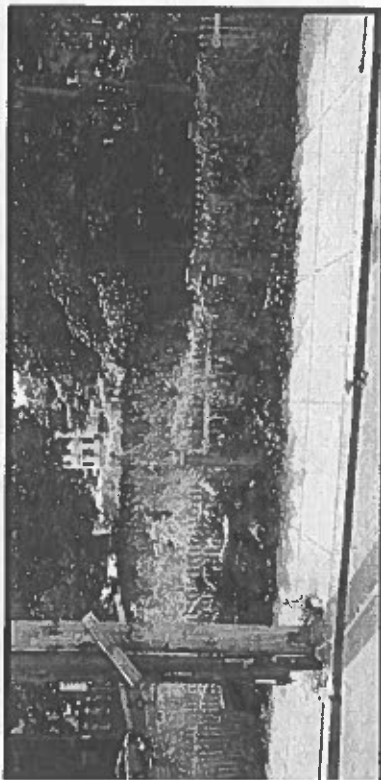


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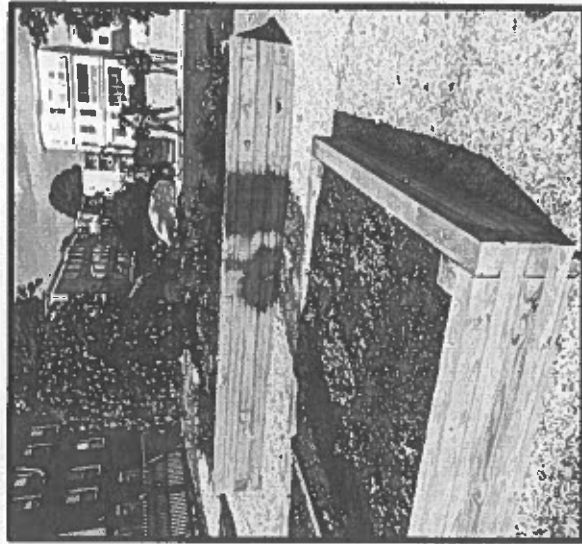
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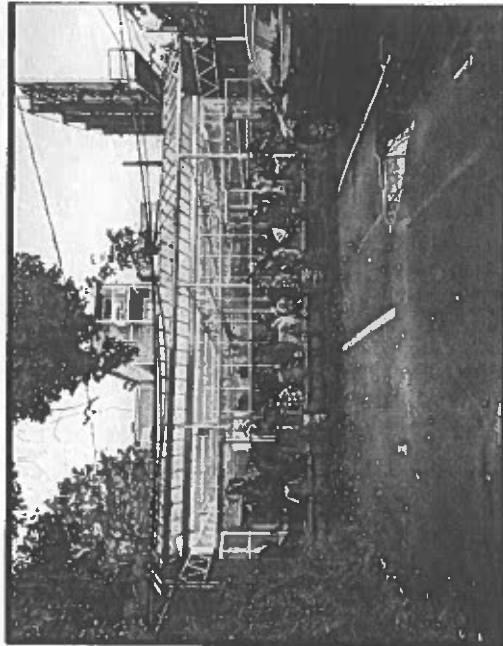
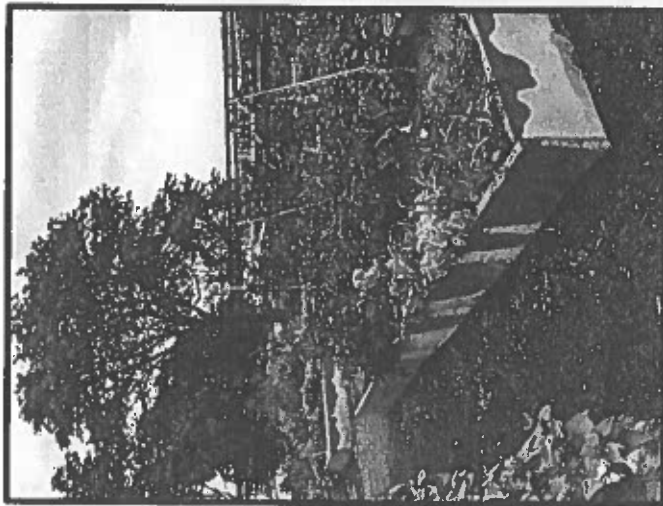


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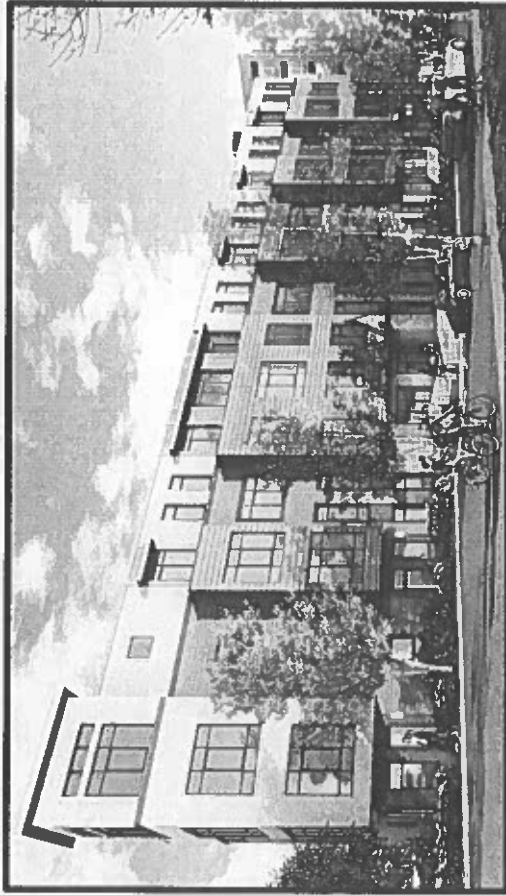
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Primary Uses: Production of new affordable rental and homeownership housing.

Income Targeting: HOME funds must be used to provide housing for households with incomes under 80% of the Boston Metropolitan Area Median Family Income. For rental housing, at least 90% of the units must serve households with incomes up to 60% of the Median Income (\$75,720 for a family of 3).

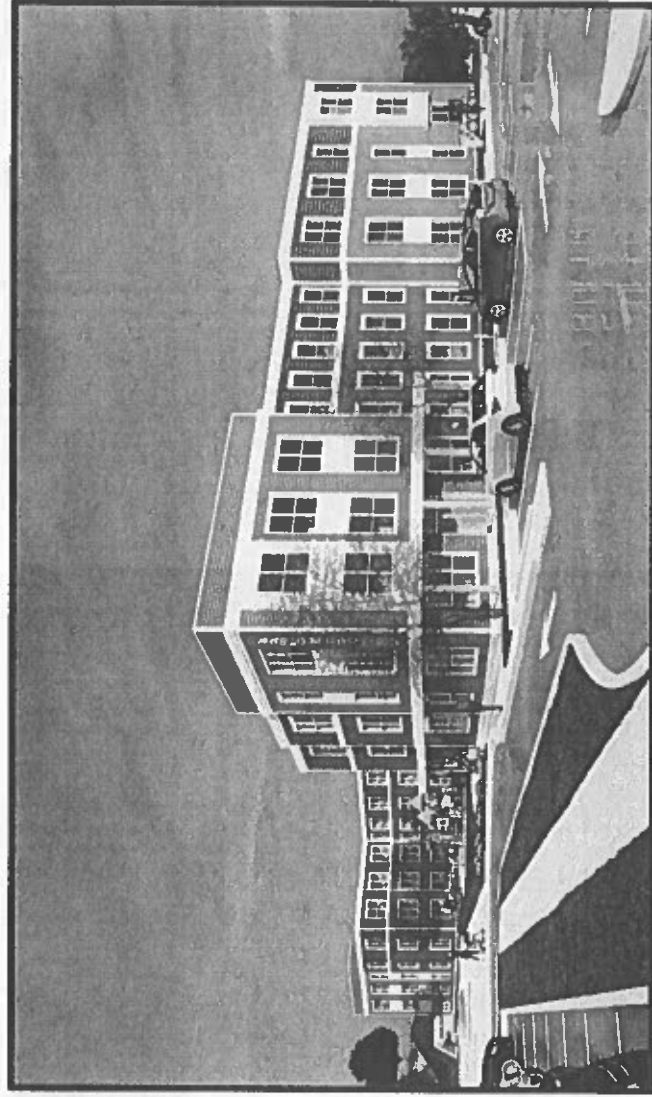
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Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG)

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FY24 ESG Allocation: \$1,517,966

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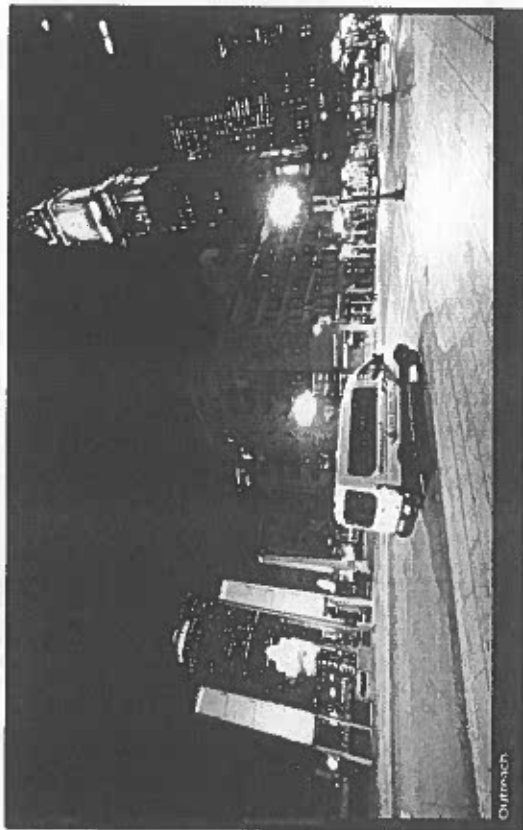
Eligible Activities: ESG funds may be used for five program components: Street Outreach, Emergency Shelter, Homelessness Prevention, Rapid Re-housing, and the Homeless Management Information System (HMIS).

Income Targeting: ESG funds may only be used for persons who are homeless or at-risk of becoming homeless as defined by HUD. Participants seeking assistance under the homelessness prevention component must have income below 30% of the area median income (AMI), currently \$37,850 for a family of 3.

Targeted Population:

- Chronically homeless individuals and families
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ESG Funds: Homeless Street Outreach



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Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)

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FY24 HOPWA Allocation: \$3,734,533

Administration: The Mayor's Office of Housing (MOH) administers all HOPWA funds for all of Norfolk, Plymouth, and Suffolk counties.

Eligible Activities: construction or rehab of housing for persons with AIDS, tenant-based rental assistance, supportive services, housing information services, permanent housing placement services, STRMU (short-term rent, mortgage and utility assistance), and technical assistance.

Primary Uses: tenant-based rental assistance; short term mortgage, rental and utility assistance, housing information and counseling services, and permanent housing placement.

Income Targeting: HOPWA funds must primarily be used to provide housing for households with HIV/AIDS and incomes up to 80% of the Boston Metropolitan Area Median Family Income (currently \$100,950 for a family of 3).

Proposed FY24 HUD Allocations by Program Area
Including program income and prior year funding



PROGRAM AREAS	CDBG	HOME	ESG	HOPWA
Home Repair, Deleading, Homebuyer Assistance	\$6.3 M			
Development and Preservation of Affordable Housing	\$4M	\$10.2 M		
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Workforce Development	\$2.7 M			
Public Facilities (Grassroots, Partners with Nonprofits, Property Management)	\$2.2 M			
Fair Housing	\$0.5 M			



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

03-20-2023

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTEEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX DOLLARS (**\$1,517,966.00**) in the form of a grant, Federal FY23 Emergency Solutions Grant, awarded by the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Housing.

The grant would fund street outreach, emergency shelter, homelessness prevention, rapid re-housing assistance, and shelter services. The award amount is estimated from prior years.

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.

WHEREAS, the the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Mayor's Office of Housing; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTEEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX DOLLARS **(\$1,517,966.00)** would fund street outreach, emergency shelter, homelessness prevention, rapid re-housing assistance, and shelter services. The award amount is estimated from prior years. 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 the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development, Federal FY23 Emergency Solutions Grant award not to exceed the amount of ONE MILLION FIVE HUNDRED SEVENTEEN THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX DOLLARS **(\$1,517,966.00)**.

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



Boston City Council
Committee on Housing and Community Development
Councilor Kendra Lara, *Chair*

April 26, 2023

Dear Councilors:

The Boston City Council's Committee on Housing and Community Development to which was referred the following:

Docket #0607 - 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 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.

Docket #0608 - 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.

Docket #0609 - 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.

Docket #0610 - 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 amounts are estimated from prior years.

These matters are sponsored by the Mayor and were referred to the Committee on Housing and Community Development on March 22, 2023.

The Committee on Housing and Community Development held a public hearing on April 13, 2023, to take testimony and consider the same.

Councilors Present: Chair - Councilor Kendra Lara, Councilor Liz Breadon and Council President Ed Flynn

Administration Officials: Rick Wilson, Deputy Director for Administration and Finance - Mayor's Office of Housing (MOH) and Amelia Naijar, Interim Deputy Director for Policy Development and Research - Mayor's Office of Housing (MOH) - attended the hearing, made a presentation regarding these grants and funds and responded to questions from Councilors.

The presentation by the Administration Officials included: Background and funding history, eligible recipients and activities, the processes of distribution and uses of the funds, and the various other particulars for each of these grants and funds. (Copy of the presentation and pertinent fact sheets are attached)

Based on the testimony and information presented at the hearing and having considered the same I respectfully recommend that these matters ought to Pass.



**Councilor Kendra Lara, Chair
Committee on Housing and Community Development**

Accept and Expend Annual HUD Funding

**Boston City Council
Committee on Housing and Community Development**

April 13, 2023

Orders: 0607, 0608, 0609 & 0610



City of Boston
Mayor Michelle Wu



Mayor's Office
of Housing

FY24 HUD Allocations



Every year, the City of Boston receives grants from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) from the following programs:

Program	FY24 Amount	Change from FY23	Percent Change
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)	\$17,535,525	\$264,220	1.5%
HOME Investment Partnerships Initiative (HOME)	\$6,235,976	-\$185,952	-2.9%
Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG)	\$1,517,966	\$31,903	2.1%
Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS (HOPWA)	\$3,734,533	\$352,756	10.4%
Total	\$29,024,000	\$462,927	1.6%

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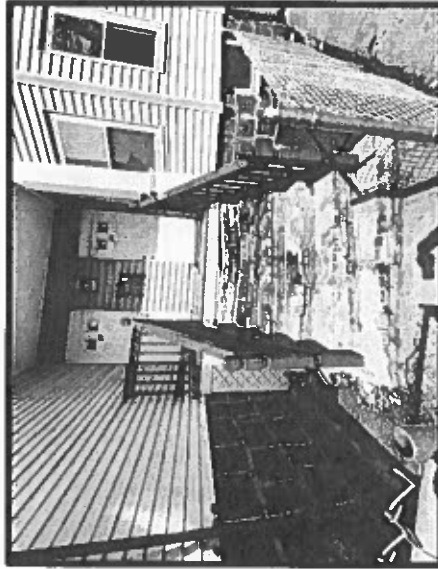
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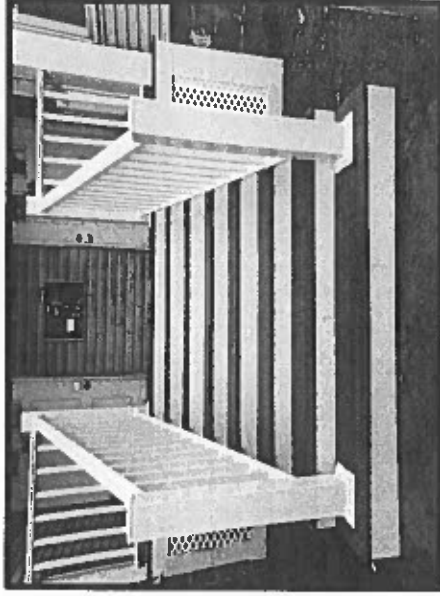
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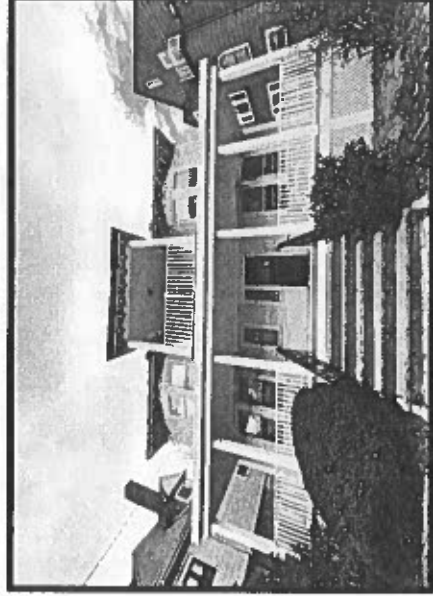
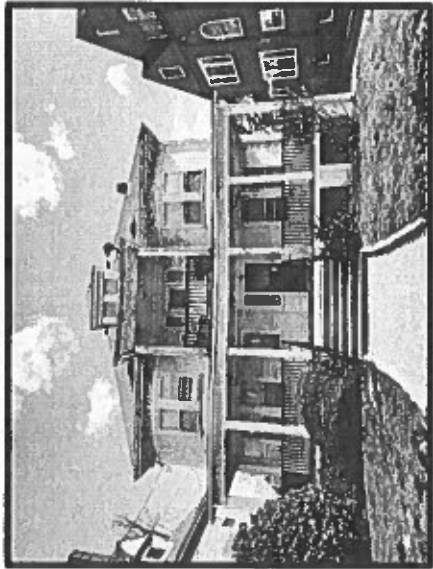
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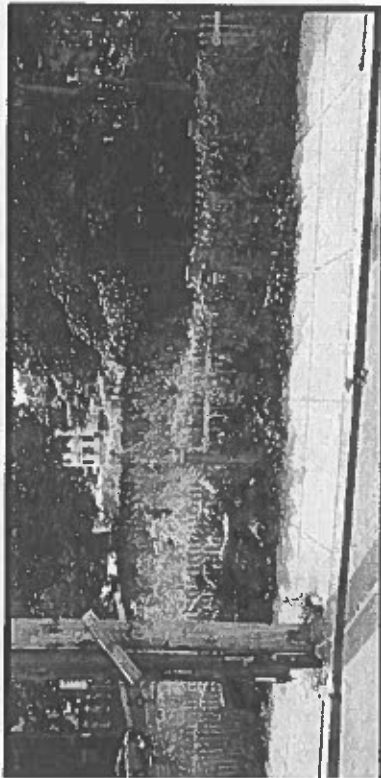


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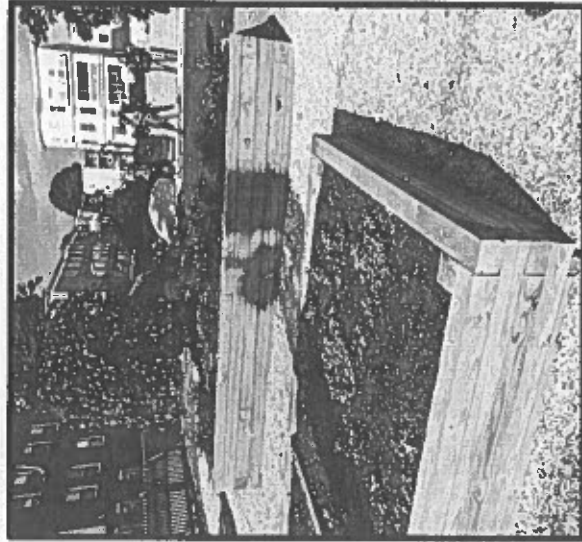
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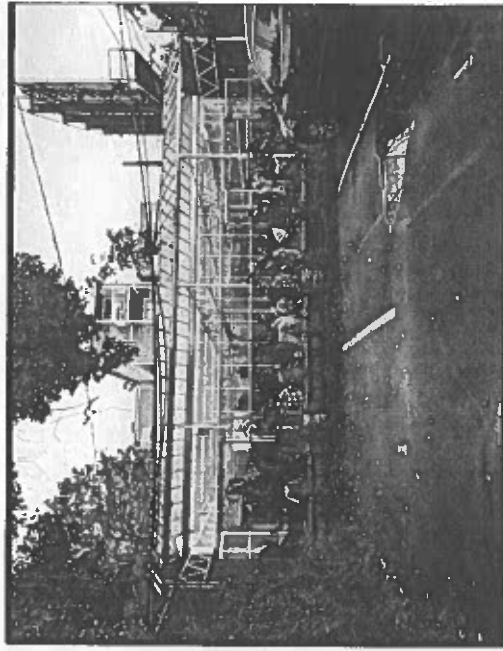
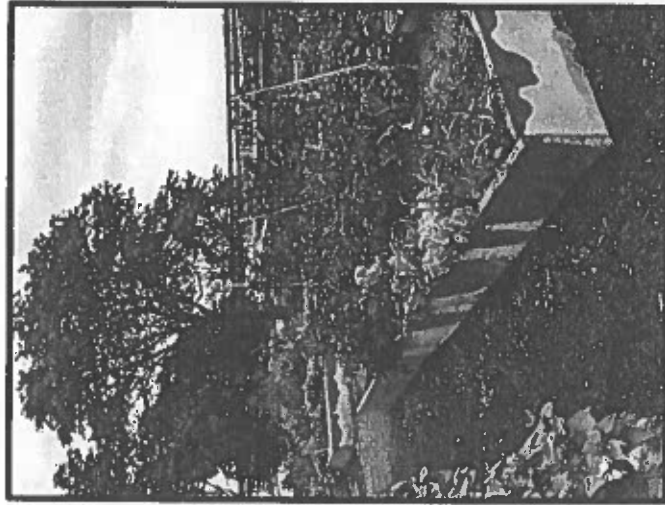


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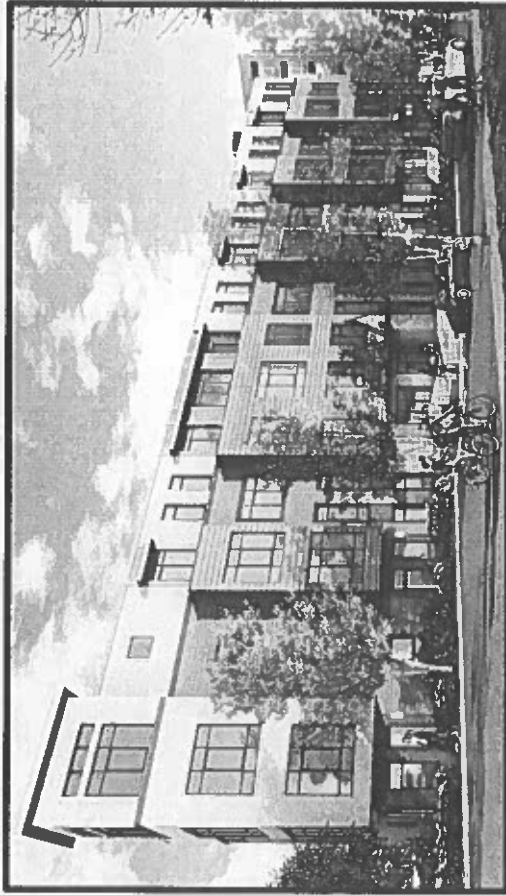
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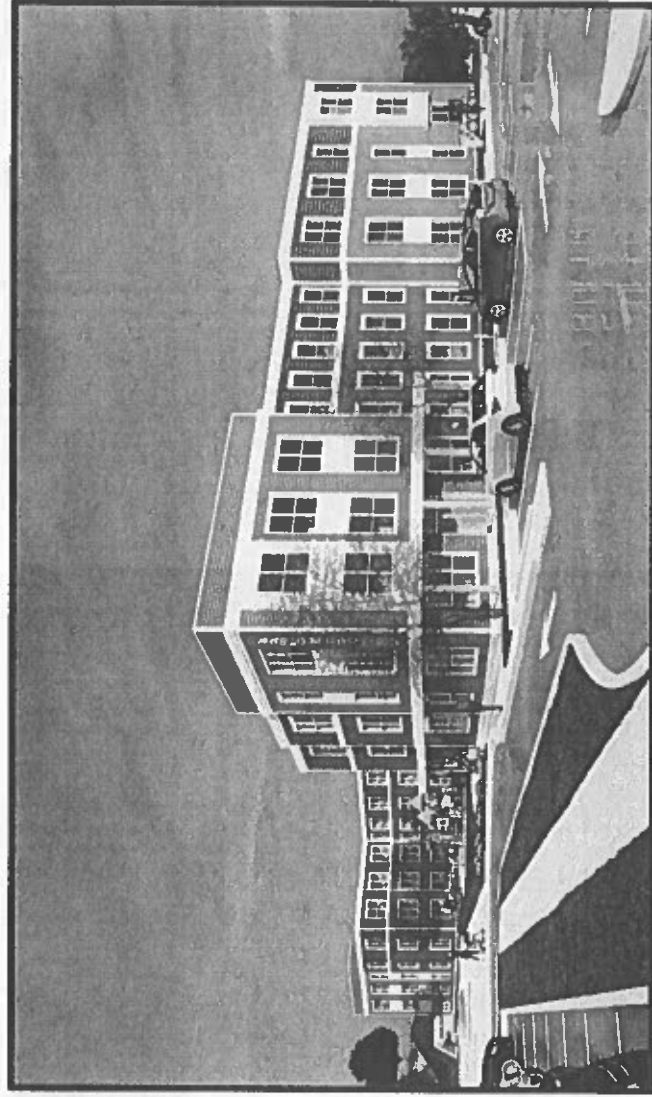
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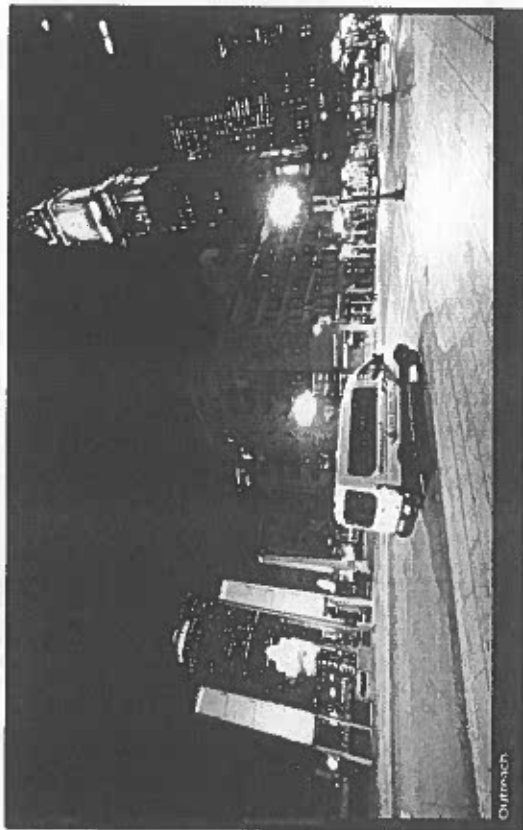
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City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

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
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN
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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 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**

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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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City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
Michelle Wu

April 24, 2023

The Honorable Alex Geourmtas
Office of the City Clerk
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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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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 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.

**I HEREBY CERTIFY
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN
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City of Boston, Massachusetts
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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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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.

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

BY _____


**ADAM CEDERBAUM
CORPORATION COUNSEL**

OFFERED BY COUNCILORS KENDRA LARA



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MAY AS NATIONAL BIKE MONTH

WHEREAS, In the United States, since 1956, May has been recognized as National Bike Month; *and*

WHEREAS, A recent study performed by ARRIS Composite ranked Boston as the #4 most bike-friendly city in the U.S.; *and*

WHEREAS, Boston currently has 59 miles of off-street paths, 17.5 miles of separated bike lanes and 8 miles of neighborhood routes; *and*

WHEREAS, Bluebike in 2021 reported 2,954,624 total trips in the Greater Boston area, which covered 6,627,760 miles in total; *and*

WHEREAS, During the fall 2022 shutdowns of the Green and Orange Line, Bike ridership in the Boston area increased by 53% in comparison to the same period in 2021, according to Commonwealth Magazine; *and*

WHEREAS, Community-based organizations like Bikes, not Bombs and the Boston Cyclists Union are responding to the rise in ridership and are committed to making biking safer and more accessible to all our residents; *and*

WHEREAS, The city of Boston, Boston's Bike initiative has outlined five objectives they aim to achieve over the next three years:

- Expand our bike network so that 50% of residents will be a 3-minute walk from a safe and connected bike route
- Grow our public bike share by 40%, adding more than 100 new stations
- Build speed humps in 30 more community zones, starting with ten next year
- Add 75 raised crosswalks at parks, libraries, community centers, and schools
- Help 600 women gain confidence in riding bikes; *and*

WHEREAS, To reach our Vision Zero goal of eliminating severe and fatal traffic crashes in the city by 2030, creating a safe bike infrastructure that increases bike ridership and decreases fatalities, **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT**

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council recognizes May as National Bike Month.

Filed on: May 3, 2023

OFFERED BY COUNCILOR KENDRA LARA



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE SUN POEM AS A POWERFUL TOOL TO IGNITE CHANGE

- WHEREAS,** The fabric of our City is made up of diverse communities, cultures, and identities; *and*
- WHEREAS,** There is strength in racial and cultural diversity, which builds justice, equity, and community; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Reducing discrimination in social and professional settings throughout the City is a core priority in building a safer and more vibrant City; *and*
- WHEREAS,** In 1985, The Sun Poem was shared by activist Sara Ting across the City of Boston as part of a campaign to promote racial and ethnic harmony; *and*
- WHEREAS,** The Sun Poem, which reads, “Are you greater than the sun that shines on everyone...Black, Brown, Yellow, Red, and White the sun does not discriminate”, speaks of the value in diversity and the importance of a shared sense of community; *and*
- WHEREAS,** Beginning in 1986, organizers have held Sun Poem Workshops as a space to use poetry, creative writing, and oral expression as a way of educating students in public and private schools to appreciate differences and understand the role diversity and equity play in our City; *and*
- WHEREAS,** The poem and the work of organizers across the City in public and private schools is a powerful reminder of the change that can come from working across intersectional identities towards a just community; ***NOW THEREFORE BE IT***
- RESOLVED:** That the Boston City Council hereby recognizes Sara Ting, World Unity Inc., and the “Sun Poem” for their work to build a diverse, intersectional, and equitable City of Boston.

Filed on: April 28, 2023

OFFERED BY COUNCILOR RUTHZEE LOUIJEUNE



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MAY AS HAITIAN HERITAGE MONTH

WHEREAS, Haitian Heritage Month is celebrated annually across the globe during the month of May to recognize the rich history, culture, and contributions of Haitians to society, and to promote awareness and understanding of the Haitian-American community; *and*

WHEREAS, Haiti is the only country founded from a slave revolt, the first free Black republic in the world, the first independent state in the Caribbean and the second independent state in the Western Hemisphere after the United States; *and*

WHEREAS, Haitian Americans have also made significant contributions to the fields of medicine, science, education, and business, among others, and have enriched the fabric of American society with their culture and traditions; *and*

WHEREAS, Haiti has experienced a significant increase in violence and insecurity in recent years, including political unrest, gang violence, and human rights abuses, resulting in a humanitarian crisis that has left many Haitians vulnerable and in need of assistance; *and*

WHEREAS, We call on all levels of government, and the international community, to support Haiti in its efforts to address this crisis, including providing humanitarian aid, promoting accountability for human rights abuses, and supporting efforts to strengthen democratic institutions and the rule of law, while providing refuge and assistance to Haitian migrants; *and*

WHEREAS, We encourage everyone throughout Boston to participate in activities and events throughout the month that celebrate Haitian culture, including the Heritage Month Panel & Reception at the U.S.S. Constitution Museum (5/3), Day of Service with Immigrant Family Services Institute at Madison Park High School (5/6), Story Time at Boston Public Library (5/9), City Hall flag raising (5/18), and Flag Day Parade along Blue Hill Avenue through Dorchester and Mattapan (5/21); *and*

WHEREAS, Boston has a proud tradition of embracing and welcoming immigrants by celebrating and honoring their achievements and contributions; **NOW, THEREFORE BE IT**

RESOLVED: That the City of Boston recognize May as Haitian Heritage Month, and encourage all residents to join in celebrating the rich culture and history of the Haitian community in Boston.

Filed in Council: May 3, 2023



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING GRADUATE STUDENT WORKER UNIONIZING EFFORTS AT NORTHEASTERN UNIVERSITY

WHEREAS, The success and global prestige enjoyed by Northeastern hinges on the work performed by their graduate employees in research, teaching, grading, and administrative assistance; *and*

WHEREAS, Graduate student workers at Northeastern University filed for a union election with the National Labor Relations Board on February 6th, 2023, as part of an organizing effort stretching back to 2016, with a majority of students signing cards at the time of filing; *and*

WHEREAS, Graduate student workers at Northeastern are fighting for better pay following the high cost of living in Boston, dental care, overwork protections, equity for international and domestic students, protections from racial and sexual discrimination, and other necessary improvements to working conditions; *and*

WHEREAS, Northeastern Administrators have untruthfully stated during the NLRB process that the workers who do work at the university are not workers and therefore do not have the rights of workers, and the law firm arguing on Northeastern's behalf to the NLRB has stated that all graduate students across the country should be undemocratically denied their union representation at private universities in what would be a ruinous precedent for labor organizing; *and*

WHEREAS, Northeastern is attempting to manipulate the NLRB process to obstruct and delay as long as possible the ability of graduate workers to hold an election and assert their democratic right to form a union; *and*

WHEREAS, Northeastern, while refusing to bargain without limit, has repeatedly attempted to coerce graduate workers out of organizing and has demeaned graduate workers during the NLRB hearings process, all in an attempt to interfere with graduate workers' collective right to bargain; *and*

WHEREAS, Boston is a city that recognizes the contributions that union workers have brought and respects the critical gains that unions have achieved for all workers. The city also acknowledges the work of graduate student workers and their well-being as vital for Boston to continue being a hub of innovation and research; ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT***

RESOLVED: That the Boston City Council condemns the anti-union behavior of Northeastern University and calls upon the university to allow all working masters and doctoral graduate students to vote in an election this semester and stop disenfranchising graduate student workers.

Filed on: April 28, 2023

City of Boston
IN
CITY COUNCIL



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

Council President

BOSTON CITY COUNCIL
CITY COUNCIL

May 1, 2023

Councilor Flynn
(Councilor Murphy)

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, April 29, 2023 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 23, 2023.

BiWeekly Payroll

Ryan Clark	Secretary	\$12,500.00	full time
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Boston City Council

Legislative Calendar for the May 3, 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, 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 Law. (Docket #0812)

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

Unanswered Section 17F Orders²

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	

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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		

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City Services & Innovation Technology	0417	Bok	Flynn, Mejia	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	0724	Coletta	Flaherty	Order for a hearing to discuss the digitization and tracking of parking regulations.	4 /5 /2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0725	Mejia		Order for a hearing on contract and payroll implementation for unions in Boston Public Schools.	4 /5 /2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0813	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0832	Flynn	Coletta	Order for a hearing to discuss the creation of an Office of Pest Control in the City of Boston.	4 /26/2023		
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	Mejia	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing addressing data privacy, security, and control at City of Boston agencies.	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		
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0817	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023		
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0818	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023	5/2/23	
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0819	Mayor		Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Kai Palmer-Dunning, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.	4 /26/2023	5/2/23	
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0820	Mayor		Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Lee Matsueda, as a member of the Building Emissions Reduction and Disclosure (BERDO) Review Board for a term expiring April 24, 2026.	4 /26/2023	5/2/23	
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0821	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023	5/2/23	
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0822	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023		
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0823	Mayor		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	4 /26/2023		

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0824	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023	5/2/23	
Environmental Justice, Resiliency & Parks	0825	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023	5/2/23	
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
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)

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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 Accountabiliy, Transparency, &	0238	Mejia	Flynn, Arroyo	Order for a hearing on accountability and acesibility 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 Eshablishing 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		
Government Operations	0319	Mayor		Notice was received from the Mayor of the appontment of Vivian Leonard as a member of the Municipal Lobbying Compliance Commission.	1 /25/2023	3/9/23	3/15/23 placed on file

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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 "Scafflaw 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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Government Operations	0812	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023		
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		
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	

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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		
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

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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
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	

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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		
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

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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		
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	0814	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023		
Strong Women, Families & Communities	0815	Mayor		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.	4 /26/2023		
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

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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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee

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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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee

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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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee

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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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee

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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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee

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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 Thousand Dollars (\$125,000.00).	4 /12/2023	See Budget Schedule	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee
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	4/26/23 Remains in Committee

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Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council
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Chris Alfaro

In Recognition of:

Graduating from The Building Pathways Pre-Apprenticeship
Program and moving to a registered Union apprenticeship program to
develop further skills

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: _____

Chris Alfaro (Used in Resolution copy)

Mandy Bennett

Bryan Bonilia

Xiomara Boyce

Jesse Deburgo

Jodie Fernald

Jahia Matthews

Jumonai Mobley

Abdul Jame Morris

Lucien O'Rourke

Juan Quintero

Xena Rocha

Alex Rodriguez

Sofine Seekins

Jessica Tartt

Sarah Valmond

Roosevelt Wilkins

OFFICIAL RESOLUTION

OFFERED BY CITY COUNCILOR

BRIAN WORRELL

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council Extends its Commendation and
Recognition of:

Pastor Egobudike E. Ezedi, Jr.

for

His hard work and dedicated service to the Dorchester community and the followers of the Empowerment Christian Church. Egobudike has received numerous awards and honors and serves on the Board of Directors of several community-based organizations and is actively involved with community initiatives. An accomplished author, conference speaker and workshop leader, Egobudike spends much of his time equipping people of all ages and backgrounds with the tools they need to live a successful lifestyle.

And be it resolved that the Boston City Council hereby expresses its gratitude, congratulations, and best wishes for your 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 City of Boston.

City of Boston IN CITY COUNCIL



Official Resolution of Councilor Ricardo Arroyo

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

Heaven Clarke

In Recognition of:

**Her Title as the 2023 USA Olympics Women's Gymnastics
Region 6 All Around Champion**

Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council recognizes Heaven Clarke in celebration for placing first in USA Olympics Women's Gymnastics Region 6 competition, earning the title of 2023 Region 6 All Around Champion. A resident of Hyde Park, her hardwork and dedication in the sport of gymnastics is duly recognized. Be it further Resolved that the Council extends its best wishes for her 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: Dassie Bheachan
Asst. Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: [Signature]

Date: April 26, 2023



Official Resolution

Offered by

Councilor At-Large Michael J Flaherty

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

The Boston Renegades

Women's Football Team

In Recognition of:

Their amazing success and dedication of the entire Boston Renegades
organization

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.

City of Boston
IN
CITY COUNCIL



Official Resolution

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

ALFREDO VILAR

In Recognition of:

his years of service to North End youth and the North End Athletic Association _____; 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

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

MICHELLE OZUNA

In Recognition of:

YOUR COMMITMENT TO SERVING VENEZUELAN MIGRANT
FAMILIES WITH THE VENEZUELAN ASSOCIATION IN MASSACHUSETTS. ; 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: Laura Colletti

Date: _____

Resolution in recognition of:

- Michelle Ozuna
- Sherry Flashman
- Father Gerry Ostermann

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

DOROTHY A. "DOT" McNEIL

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

SINCERELY,

CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT

Attest

Presented By

Debra Collette

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 Kalambokis

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

City of Boston
IN
CITY COUNCIL



Official Resolution
Offered by

Councilor At-Large Michael F Flaherty

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

Hellenic Nursing and Rehabilitation Center

A Legacy of Care, 1973-2023

In Recognition of:

Your 50th Anniversary of providing Outstanding Health Care Services,
Rehabilitation and Long Term Nursing Care to our Community

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

Offered by

Councilor At-Large Michael J Flaherty

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

David Wild

In Recognition of:

Your completion of the 127th Boston Marathon on April 17th, 2023

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 THE
BOSTON CITY COUNCIL



OFFICIAL RESOLUTION

**BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL
EXTENDS ITS APPRECIATION TO:**

HENRY LUTHIN

IN RECOGNITION OF:

YOUR DECADES OF SERVICE WITH THE CITY OF BOSTON, ESPECIALLY AS AN INVALUABLE MEMBER OF OUR CITY'S LAW DEPARTMENT; YOUR WORK, INTEGRITY, KINDNESS, AND LEGAL KNOWLEDGE SERVE AS A STANDARD AND INSPIRATION TO MANY; AND BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL EXTENDS ITS BEST WISHES TO YOU AS YOU RETIRE, AND BE IT RESOLVED 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.

Boston City Council President

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Clerk of the City of Boston