



**Ways and Means Committee Hearing on Dockets #0760-0768, #0774, #0781,
FY24 Budget: Parks, Environment, Food Justice**

- 0760** Message and order for Annual Appropriation and Tax Order for FY2024.
Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.
- 0761** Message and order for Annual Appropriation for the School Department for
FY2024.
Filed in the Office of the City Clerk on April 10, 2023.
- 0762** 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.
- 0763** 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.

0764 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 equipment functionally related to, and components of the foregoing.

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0765 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 form the Parking Meter Fund.

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

0766 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.

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0767 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.

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0768 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.

0774 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).

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