

OFFERED BY COUNCILOR HENRY SANTANA



CITY OF BOSTON

IN THE YEAR TWO THOUSAND TWENTY FIVE

HOME RULE PETITION

WHEREAS, Tianna Taylor-Roseney is a dedicated resident of Boston, Massachusetts, who has had the sincere and honorable dream to serve as a Boston Police Officer since childhood, and possesses a sincere desire to be part of positive change in the community; *and*

WHEREAS, Ms. Taylor-Roseney was hired by the Boston Police Department in 2019, but had to withdraw due to childbirth, not knowing she could have stayed in her graduating police academy class; *and*

WHEREAS, Ms. Taylor-Roseney has taken and passed the Massachusetts Civil Service examination yearly since 2019, demonstrating both her preparedness and sincere commitment to joining the Boston Police Department; *and*

WHEREAS, Ms. Taylor-Roseney's dedication to public service and longstanding commitment to community safety would make her an asset to the Boston Police Department and to the communities it serves. ***NOW, THEREFORE BE IT***

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

**PETITION FOR A SPECIAL LAW RE:
AN ACT DIRECTING THE CITY OF BOSTON POLICE DEPARTMENT
TO WAIVE THE MAXIMUM AGE REQUIREMENT FOR POLICE OFFICERS
FOR TIANNA TAYLOR-ROSENEY**

SECTION 1.

Notwithstanding any general or special law to the contrary, including the provisions of Chapter 43 of the Acts of 2007, the City of Boston Police Department shall waive the maximum age requirement for original appointment of police officers for Tianna Taylor-Roseney. If Tianna Taylor-Roseney meets all other requirements set forth by the Boston Police Department, she shall be eligible to have her name certified for original appointment to the position of police officer.

SECTION 2.

The provisions of this act shall take effect upon its passage.

Filed in Council: October 8, 2025