



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

01-08-2026

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 TWO HUNDRED NINETEEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT DOLLARS AND THREE CENTS (**\$219,178.03**) in the form of a grant, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Funding, awarded by MA Executive Office for Administration & Finance to be administered by the Office Workforce Development.

The grant would fund the Center for Working Families' Boston Tax Help Coalition in assisting low-income taxpayers with personal income tax filings for the 2026 tax season.

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*  
Michelle Wu  
Mayor of Boston



## City Council Order

---

**AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND** Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Funding FUNDS, AWARDED BY MA Executive Office for Administration & Finance.

**WHEREAS**, the MA Executive Office for Administration & Finance, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Office Workforce Development; and

**WHEREAS**, the funds in the amount of TWO HUNDRED NINETEEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT DOLLARS AND THREE CENTS (\$219,178.03) would fund the Center for Working Families' Boston Tax Help Coalition in assisting low-income taxpayers with personal income tax filings for the 2026 tax season. 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 MA Executive Office for Administration & Finance, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Funding award not to exceed the amount of TWO HUNDRED NINETEEN THOUSAND ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-EIGHT DOLLARS AND THREE CENTS (\$219,178.03).

**Docket #** \_\_\_\_\_

**In City Council  
Passed** \_\_\_\_\_

**City Clerk** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Mayor** \_\_\_\_\_

**Approved** \_\_\_\_\_