



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

06-26-2025

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 SIX HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY-EIGHT DOLLARS **(\$644,458.00)** in the form of a grant, USFS Inflation Reduction Act, awarded by USDA Forest Service Urban and Community Forestry to be administered by the Office Workforce Development.

The grant would fund to grow an accessible, inclusive, and resilient urban forest.

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 USFS Inflation Reduction Act FUNDS, AWARDED BY USDA Forest Service Urban and Community Forestry.

WHEREAS, the USDA Forest Service Urban and Community Forestry, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Office Workforce Development; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of SIX HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY-EIGHT DOLLARS **(\$644,458.00)** would fund to grow an accessible, inclusive, and resilient urban forest. 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 USDA Forest Service Urban and Community Forestry, USFS Inflation Reduction Act award not to exceed the amount of SIX HUNDRED FORTY-FOUR THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED FIFTY-EIGHT DOLLARS **(\$644,458.00)**.

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