



City of Boston, Massachusetts  
Office of the Mayor  
**MICHELLE WU**

March 16, 2026

**TO THE CITY COUNCIL**

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith a supplemental appropriation order for the Property Management Department for FY26 in the amount of thirty three thousand, seven hundred fifty nine dollars (\$33,759).

This Order is necessary to cover the FY26 cost items contained within the collective bargaining agreement between the City of Boston and New England Police Benevolent Association, Local 174. The terms of the contracts are July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2026 and July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2027. The major provisions of the contracts include a market rate adjustment to wage scales, effective July 2025, as well as increases to the detail rate.

As originally presented to you, the FY26 budget request included a Reserve for Collective Bargaining - a separate appropriation to fund projected collective bargaining increases. A separate order has been filed to reduce that appropriation to support this supplemental request.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this Order expeditiously.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu  
Mayor of Boston

**CITY OF BOSTON  
IN CITY COUNCIL**

**AN ORDER APPROPRIATING THIRTY THREE THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY NINE DOLLARS (\$33,759) TO COVER THE FY26 COST ITEMS CONTAINED WITHIN THE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF BOSTON AND THE NEW ENGLAND POLICE BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION, LOCAL 174.**

**ORDERED:** That in addition to the appropriations heretofore made, to meet the current operating expenses of the fiscal period commencing July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026, the sum of THIRTY THREE THOUSAND, SEVEN HUNDRED FIFTY NINE DOLLARS (\$33,759) be, and the same hereby is appropriated as follows, said sum to be met from available funds and taxation pursuant to Section 23 of Chapter 59 of the General Laws:

180000	Property Management Department	Personnel Services	\$33,759
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**I HEREBY CERTIFY  
THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN  
THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN  
ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.**

**BY** \_\_\_\_\_ **MICHAEL FIRESTONE  
CORPORATION COUNSEL**

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