



ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR MATTERS PRESENTED TO THE CITY CLERK PRIOR TO 10:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 2026 FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING IN THE CHRISTOPHER IANNELLA CHAMBER ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 2026 AT 12:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF THE JULY 22, 2026 CITY COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES

COMMUNICATIONS FROM HER HONOR, THE MAYOR:

- 1513** Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$130,000.00) in the form of a grant, the HBS Leadership Fellow Grant, awarded by Harvard Business School to be administered by the Mayor's Office. The grant would fund the HBS Leadership Fellow position which will provide 1 year of support to the Mayor's Office.
- 1514** Message and order to declare surplus City-owned property currently under the management of the Mayor's Office of Housing and transfer the care, custody, control and management thereof to the Public Facilities Commission. The Property comprises two (2) unnumbered parcels located at Melnea Cass Boulevard in the Roxbury District (Ward 09, Parcel #02225000, 02240000). The surplus vote will allow the City to later transfer the land to the Boston Planning and Development Agency ("BPDA") pursuant to a 2002 Memorandum of Agreement between the City, BPDA, and MassDOT.
- 1515** Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Giovanni Valencia, as a Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2027.

- [1516](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Katie Whewell, as a Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2027.
- [1517](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Alan E. Langham, as a Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2028.
- [1518](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Sherry Dong, as a Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2029.
- [1519](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Shamaiah Turner, as a Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2029.
- [1520](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Jeanne Pinado, as an Alternate Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2027.
- [1521](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of David Collins, as an Alternate Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2028.
- [1522](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Carla Monteiro, as an Alternate Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2028.
- [1523](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Patrick Walsh, as an Alternate Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on November 1, 2028.
- [1524](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of William Masterson, as an Alternate Member of the Zoning Board of Appeal for a term expiring on May 1, 2029.
- [1525](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of renewal constables authorized to serve civil process upon the filing of their bonds for the period commencing May 1, 2026 and ending April 30, 2029.
- [1526](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of a new Inspectional Services constable, Carl C. Horner, authorized to serve civil process upon the filing of his bond for the period commencing May 1, 2025 and ending April 30, 2028.

REPORTS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND OTHERS:

- 1527** Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Ava Callender Concepcion as a Member of the City of Boston Licensing Board, for a term expiring June 7, 2032.
- 1528** Notice was received from the City Clerk in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979 regarding action taken by the Mayor on papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of July 8, 2026.
- 1529** Notice was received from the City Clerk in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979 regarding action taken by the Mayor on papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of July 22, 2026.
- 1530** Notice was received from the Auditing Department providing the Fiscal Year 2027 Payroll Allotment Schedules for all City Departments.
- 1531** Notice was received from Robert Allison regarding his resignation as a Member of the Commemoration Commission, effective July 9, 2026.
- 1532** Communication was received from Councilor Flynn regarding the selling of stolen goods and food, including meat, in the City of Boston.
- 1533** Communication was received from Councilor Flynn regarding increases in phone theft, financial, and related scams.
- 1534** Communication was received from Councilor Culpepper regarding the Medical Examiner's homicide determination in the death of Shacoby Kenny and the accompanying letter to the Acting Suffolk County Sheriff.
- 1535** Communication was received from Councilor Murphy regarding a request for independent state oversight of Boston Public Schools transportation and Transdev.
- 1536** Communication was received from Councilor Murphy regarding the requested briefing on Boston's Summer Public Safety Plan.
- 1537** Communication was received from the Law Department regarding an Open Meeting Law complaint filed in City Council on July 8, 2026, Docket #1327.
- 1538** Communication was received from Council President Liz Breadon to address an Open Meeting Law complaint and respond accordingly on behalf of the Boston City Council.

- [1539](#) Communication was received by the City Clerk from the Boston Landmarks Commission for City Council action on the designation of The New England Conservatory, 290 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA, as a Landmark (in effect after August 28, 2026 if not acted upon).

MATTERS RECENTLY HEARD-FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

- [1223](#) Message and order for your approval an Ordinance authorizing the City of Boston, acting through its Environment Department, to amend the Distributed Energy Resource Revenue Revolving Fund, 30396E. The current language for 30396E is limited in its use, and the changes proposed will allow for proper usage of 30396E while maintaining its original purpose. The amended language will allow the fund to properly capture revenues and expenditures, ensuring an enhanced and seamless financial process for current City energy activities. These amendments will properly capture demand response revenue and allow for the further development of the City's demand response program, increasing energy savings, and reduce the City's greenhouse gas emissions produced by emissions not addressed through the City's distributed energy resources.

- [1316](#) Message and order for the confirmation of the appointment of Felicia Jacques as a member of the Boston Planning and Development Agency Board, for a term expiring August 15, 2029.

MOTIONS, ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS:

- [1540](#) Ordinance to Address Street Takeovers in the City of Boston.
- [1541](#) Ordinance Establishing Minimum Training Requirements For Unarmed Security Guards.
- [1542](#) Order for a hearing to review safety of the operation of heavy commercial vehicles and potential measures to protect pedestrians and cyclists in the City of Boston.
- [1543](#) Order for a hearing on traffic enforcement of blocked bike lanes and crosswalks.
- [1544](#) Order for a hearing to discuss the future of Boston's nighttime economy.
- [1545](#) Order for a hearing to explore a pilot program allowing the Boston Police Department to deploy noise cameras.

- [1546](#) Order for a hearing to examine services provided by the City of Boston to families of victims of violent crime and homicide.
- [1547](#) Order for a hearing to study a waiver from the residency requirement and allow for transfers from other municipalities to the Boston Police Department.
- [1548](#) Resolution in support of allowing retired police officers the opportunity to work paid details.
- [1549](#) Resolution in support of waiving the residency requirement to allow for transfers from other municipalities to the Boston Police Department.
- [1550](#) Resolution calling for the Suffolk County Sheriff's Department to adopt critical-incident administrative leave standards in light of the Medical Examiner's homicide determination in the death of Shacoby Kenny.
- [1551](#) Resolution in support of S.2959, An Act Regarding Fair Housing Practices in the Commonwealth.
- [1552](#) Resolution calling for an immediate housing stabilization response system for Boston residents who involuntarily lose work authorization due to federal changes in immigration policy.
- [1553](#) Resolution recognizing the importance of Teen Dating Violence awareness.
- [1554](#) Resolution supporting state and federal oversight of Transdev safety records and calling for greater transparency and accountability in Boston Public Schools transportation.
- [1555](#) Resolution recognizing National Farmers Market Week.
- [1556](#) Resolution recognizing National Health Center Week and honoring Boston's community health centers.
- [1557](#) Resolution recognizing August 6 as Jamaica Independence Day in the City of Boston.
- [1558](#) Resolution recognizing August 16, 2026 as Dominican Cultural Day.

GREEN SHEETS:

[5/26](#) Legislative Calendar August 5, 2026.

CONSENT AGENDA:

- [1559](#) Resolution recognizing 2026 Sox for Socks.
- [1560](#) Resolution recognizing James "Jimmy" Taylor.
- [1561](#) Resolution recognizing Commonwealth Shakespeare Company.
- [1562](#) Resolution recognizing Natalia Torbina.
- [1563](#) Resolution declaring July 25, 2026 as "Mission Main Family Fun Day" in the City of Boston.
- [1564](#) Resolution recognizing Susan L. Curry.
- [1565](#) Resolution in memory of William John Yamarick.
- [1566](#) Resolution in memory of Marek Eugeniusz Konka.
- [1567](#) Resolution recognizing Cecilia Abraham.
- [1568](#) Resolution recognizing Caribbean Carnival Contributors.
- [1569](#) Resolution recognizing John Jackson.
- [1570](#) Resolution recognizing Mary Ellen McCormack Community.
- [1571](#) Resolution recognizing Gallivan Boulevard Residents and Community.
- [1572](#) Resolution recognizing Gordon Thompson.
- [1573](#) Resolution recognizing Moses Borders.
- [1574](#) Resolution recognizing Kool DJ Red Alert.
- [1575](#) Resolution recognizing Leland Clarke.
- [1576](#) Resolution recognizing Richard H. Peters.
- [1577](#) Resolution recognizing Gareth R. Saunders.
- [1578](#) Resolution recognizing the Johnson Hadley Williams Family.
- [1579](#) Resolution in memory of Mother Mary Louis Cain-Stampley.
- [1580](#) Resolution congratulating Nga (Jenny) Chan.
- [1581](#) Resolution in memory of William P. Marchione, Jr.
- [1582](#) Resolution congratulating ABHC Brighton Farmers Market on their 10-year anniversary.

[1583](#) Resolution recognizing Dan Cuddy.

[1584](#) Resolution declaring August 18, 2026, as Shey Peddy Day in the City of Boston.

[1585](#) Resolution recognizing the second weekend of August as "Crew Love Weekend" in the City of Boston.

[1586](#) Resolution recognizing Larry Seamans.