City of Boston, Massachusetts
Office of the Mayor
MICHELLE WU

May 4, 2026

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order to reduce the FY26 appropriation for the Reserve for Collective Bargaining by one million, nine hundred fifty one thousand, eight hundred ninety four dollars ($1,951,894) to provide funding for the Boston Police Department for the FY26 increases contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and the Boston Police Detectives Benevolent Society (BPDBS).

I respectfully request your favorable action on this important matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu
Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON

IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER REDUCING THE FY26 APPROPRIATION FOR THE RESERVE FOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING BY ONE MILLION, NINE HUNDRED FIFTY ONE THOUSAND, EIGHT HUNDRED NINETY FOUR DOLLARS ($1,951,894)

ORDERED: That the appropriation heretofore made, to meet the current operating expenses in the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2025 and ending June 30, 2026, be reduced by the following amount:

100-999000-51000	Reserve for Collective Bargaining	$1,951,894

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.

BY _____ 5/1/26

MICHAEL FIRESTONE
CORPORATION COUNSEL