

ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR MATTERS PRESENTED TO THE CITY CLERK PRIOR TO 10:00 A.M. ON MONDAY, MARCH 7, 2022 FOR CONSIDERATION BY THE CITY COUNCIL AT A REGULAR MEETING IN THE CHRISTOPHER IANNELLA CHAMBER WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9, 2022 AT 12:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

COMMUNICATIONS FROM HER HONOR, THE MAYOR:

- <u>0346</u> Message and order for your approval an order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) Statement of Interest for its Accelerated Repair Program for the following schools: the Warren-Prescott, Haley Pilot School, Curley K-8 School Lower Building, Henderson K12 Inclusion School Upper Campus, Ohrenberger School, and the English High School. The Statements of Interest describe and explain the deficiencies and the priority category for which the City of Boston may be invited to apply to the MSBA Accelerated Repair grant program in the future.
- 0347 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Two Hundred Sixty-Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$266,500.00) in the form of a grant for the FY22 Local Cultural Council Program, awarded by the Massachusetts Cultural Council to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Arts & Culture. The grant will fund innovation arts, humanities and interpretive sciences programming that enhance the quality of life in our city.

- 0348 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Two Hundred Thirty Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$237,500.00) in the form of a grant for the FY22 HazMat Earmark, awarded by the Massachusetts Department of Fire Services to be administered by the Fire Department. The grant will fund decontamination equipment, vehicle and maintenance expenses for the Hazard Response Team at Boston Fire Department.
- <u>0349</u> Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) in the form of grant, for the FY22 COVID-19 SA/DV Trust Fund, awarded by the Department of Public Health to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund two full-time Domestic Violence advocates who will work with social service agency partners at the BPHC Family Justice Center.
- 0350 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Forty Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$40,500.00) in the form of a grant, for the Adopt A Statue Endowment Fund, awarded by the Boston Foundation to be administered by the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture. The grant will fund the care and maintenance of the John Boyle O'Reilly sculpture by Daniel Chester French.
- 0351 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Thirty Six Thousand Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$36,250.00) in the form of a grant, for the Dialogue to Action, awarded by the Boston Redevelopment Authority to be administered by the Office of Resiliency & Racial Equity. The grant will fund programmatic activities to deepen participants' understanding of racism, in historical and present day forms and foster a sense of agency to change the system through actions at individual, interpersonal or systemic levels.
- 0352 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Twenty Eight Thousand Dollars and Thirteen Cents (\$28,000.13) in the form of a grant, for the FY21 Violence Against Women Act STOP grant, awarded by the United States Department of Justice, passed through the MA Executive Office of Public Safety & Security, to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund a Civilian Domestic Violence Advocate who provides services for victims in Jamaica Plain, East Boston and Charlestown.

- **0353** Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Guale Valdez, as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring on January 15, 2025.
- <u>0354</u> Message and order for the confirmation of the reappointment of Philomin Laptiste, as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health for a term expiring on January 15, 2025.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES

REPORTS OF PUBLIC OFFICERS AND OTHERS:

- 0355 Notice was received from the City Clerk in accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979 re: action taken by the Mayor on papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of February 9, 2022.
- **0356** Communication was received from Nicholas Ariniello, Assessing Commissioner, of the appointment of Walter Hyde to a position in the Commercial Unit in Assessing.

MATTERS RECENTLY HEARD-FOR POSSIBLE ACTION:

- <u>0259</u> An Ordinance Amending City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter XV, Section X and Establishing the Boston Fair Chance Act.
- **0272** Message and order for your approval an order to reduce the FY22 appropriation for the Reserve for Collective bargaining by Two Million Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Nine Dollars (\$2,016,409.00) to provide funding for various departments for FY22 increases contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and SENA.
- 0273 Message and orders for a supplemental appropriation order for various departments for FY22 in the amount of Two Million Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Nine Dollars (\$2,016,409.00) to cover the FY22 cost items contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and SENA. The terms of the contracts are October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2023. The major provisions of the contacts include base wage increases of 2%, 1.5%, and 2% to be given in October of each fiscal year of the contract term.

Filed in Office of the City Clerk on February 14, 2022.

MOTIONS, ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS:

- **<u>0357</u>** Councilor Fernandes Anderson offered the following: Order for a hearing to explore a Rent-to-Own Pilot Program.
- **<u>0358</u>** Councilor Mejia offered the following: Resolution recognizing March 13, 2022 as Essential Workers Day in the City of Boston.
- **0359** Councilor Mejia offered the following: Resolution recognizing March as National Social Worker Month.

PERSONNEL ORDERS:

- **<u>0360</u>** Councilor Flynn for Councilor Murphy offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee David Mareira in City Council, effective March 5, 2022.
- **0361** Councilor Flynn for Councilor Murphy offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee David Mareira in City Council, effective March 12, 2022.
- **0362** Councilor Flynn for Councilor Breadon offered the following: Order for the appointment of temporary employee Brenna Broderick in City Council, effective March 26, 2022.

GREEN SHEETS:

<u>9/22</u> Legislative calendar for March 9, 2022.

CONSENT AGENDA:

- **<u>0363</u>** Councilor Baker offered the following: Resolution recognizing Nancy Wass.
- **0364** Councilor Mejia offered the following: Resolution recognizing six organizations for their work uplifting and supporting essential workers during the COVID pandemic.
- **0365** Councilor Mejia offered the following: Resolution recognizing Shirley Shillingford.
- **<u>0366</u>** Councilor Mejia offered the following: Resolution recognizing Lisa Searcy.

- **<u>0367</u>** Councilor Mejia offered the following: Resolution recognizing the Black Boston COVID Coalition.
- **<u>0368</u>** Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution congratulating Ashley Armand.
- **<u>0369</u>** Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution congratulating Regine Phillipe.
- **<u>0370</u>** Councilor Louijeune offered the following: Resolution congratulating Sophia Edmé.
- **0371** Councilor Flynn, Flaherty and Baker offered the following: Resolution congratulating Owen Rogers.
- **0372** Councilor Lara offered the following: Resolution recognizing Eneido "Tony" Barros.
- <u>0373</u> Councilor Bok offered the following: Resolution recognizing Greg Galer.



City of Boston, Massachusetts Office of the Mayor MICHELLE WU

March 7, 2022

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order authorizing the City of Boston to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) Statements of Interest for its Accelerated Repair Program for the following schools:

Schools	Scope	Addresses
Warren- Prescott	Boilers, roof	50 W School St, Charlestown, MA 02129
Haley Pilot School	Boiler	570 American Legion Hwy, Roslindale, MA 02131
Curley K-8 School Lower Building	Boiler, roof	493 Centre St, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130
Burke High School	Boilers	60 Washington St, Dorchester, MA 02121
Henderson K-12 Inclusion School Upper Campus	Boilers, roof	18 Croftland Ave, Boston, MA 02124
Ohrenberger School	Roof	175 W Boundary Rd, West Roxbury, MA 02132
English High School	Roof, windows (pending)	144 McBride St, Boston, MA 02130

The Statements of Interest describe and explain the deficiencies and the priority category for which the City of Boston may be invited to apply to the MSBA Accelerated Repair grant program in the future, specifically:

Priority 5 – Replacement, renovation or modernization of school facility systems, such as roofs, windows, boilers, heating and ventilation systems, to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in a school facility.

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CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED: Having convened in an open meeting prior to March 25, 2022 the City Council of the City of Boston, in accordance with its charter, by-laws, and ordinances, has voted to authorize the Superintendent to submit to the Massachusetts School Building Authority (MSBA) the Statement of Interest Forms dated on, or before, March 25, 2022 for the following schools:

Schools	Scope	Addresses
Warren- Prescott	Boilers, roof	50 W School St, Charlestown, MA 02129
Haley Pilot School	Boiler	570 American Legion Hwy, Roslindale, MA 02131
Curley K-8 School Lower Building	Boiler, roof	493 Centre St, Jamaica Plain, MA 02130
Burke High School	Boilers	60 Washington St, Dorchester, MA 02121
Henderson K-12 Inclusion School Upper Campus	Boilers, roof	18 Croftland Ave, Boston, MA 02124
Ohrenberger School	Roof	175 W Boundary Rd, West Roxbury, MA 02132
English High School	Roof, windows (pending)	144 McBride St, Boston, MA 02130

The Statements of Interest for the facilities listed above describe and explain roof, window, and boiler deficiencies submitted under Priority # 5, which includes: replacement, renovation or modernization of school facility systems, such as roofs, windows, boilers, heating and ventilation systems, to increase energy conservation and decrease energy related costs in a school facility.

The City Council hereby further specifically acknowledges that by submitting the Statement of Interest Forms, the MSBA in no way guarantees the acceptance or the approval of an application, the awarding of a grant or any other funding commitment from the MSBA, or commits the City of Boston to file an application for funding with the MSBA.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN THE ABOVE/FORM, WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE/WITH LAW. BY ADAM CEDERBAUM **PORATION COUNSEL**



City Of Boston • Massachusetts Office of the Mayor Michelle Wu

03-07-2022

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 SIXTY-SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS **(\$266,500.00)** in the form of a grant, FY22 Local Cultural Council Program, awarded by Massachusetts Cultural Council to be administered by the Arts & Culture.

The grant would fund innovative arts, humanities, and interpretive sciences programming that enhances the quality of life in our city.

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



AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY22 Local Cultural Council Program FUNDS, AWARDED BY Massachusetts Cultural Council.

WHEREAS, the Massachusetts Cultural Council, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Arts & Culture; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS **(\$266,500.00)** would fund innovative arts, humanities, and interpretive sciences programming that enhances the quality of life in our city. 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 Massachusetts Cultural Council, FY22 Local Cultural Council Program award not to exceed the amount of TWO HUNDRED SIXTY-SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$266,500.00).

Docket #		I hereby certify that
In City Council Passed		the foregoing, if passed in the above form, will be in accordance with law. by <u>Adam Cederbaum</u> Adam Cederbaum
	City Clerk	Corporation Counsel
	Mayor	

Approved



City Of Boston • Massachusetts Office of the Mayor Michelle Wu

03-07-2022

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 THIRTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$237,500.00) in the form of a grant, FY22 HazMat Earmark, awarded by Massachusetts Department of Fire Services to be administered by the Fire Department.

The grant would fund decontamination equipment, vehicle and maintenance expenses for the Hazard Response Team at Boston Fire Department.

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



AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY22 HazMat Earmark FUNDS, AWARDED BY Massachusetts Department of Fire Services.

WHEREAS, the Massachusetts Department of Fire Services, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$237,500.00) would fund decontamination equipment, vehicle and maintenance expenses for the Hazard Response Team at Boston Fire Department. 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 Massachusetts Department of Fire Services, FY22 HazMat Earmark award not to exceed the amount of TWO HUNDRED THIRTY-SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$237,500.00).

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 Adam Cederbaum
 Adam Cederbaum

 City Clerk
 Corporation Counsel

Approved



City Of Boston • Massachusetts Office of the Mayor Michelle Wu

03-07-2022

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 ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$150,000.00) in the form of a grant, FY22 Covid-19 SA/DV Trust Fund, awarded by MA Department of Public Health to be administered by the Police Department.

The grant would fund two full-time Domestic Violence advocates who will work with social service agency partners at the BPHC Family Justice Center.

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



AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY22 Covid-19 SA/DV Trust Fund FUNDS, AWARDED BY MA Department of Public Health.

WHEREAS, the MA Department of Public Health, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$150,000.00) would fund two full-time Domestic Violence advocates who will work with social service agency partners at the BPHC Family Justice Center. 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 Department of Public Health, FY22 Covid-19 SA/DV Trust Fund award not to exceed the amount of ONE HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (**\$150,000.00**).

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	City Clerk	Adam Cederbaum Corporation Counsel
	Mayor	

Approved



City Of Boston • Massachusetts Office of the Mayor Michelle Wu

03-07-2022

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 FORTY THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$40,500.00) in the form of a grant, the Adopt A Statue Endowment Fund, awarded by The Boston Foundation to be administered by the Arts & Culture.

The grant would fund the care and maintenance of the John Boyle O'Reilly sculpture by Daniel Chester French.

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



AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND the Adopt A Statue Endowment Fund FUNDS, AWARDED BY The Boston Foundation.

WHEREAS, the The Boston Foundation, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Arts & Culture; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of FORTY THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$40,500.00) would fund the care and maintenance of the John Boyle O'Reilly sculpture by Daniel Chester French. 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 The Boston Foundation, the Adopt A Statue Endowment Fund award not to exceed the amount of FORTY THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS **(\$40,500.00)**.

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	City Clerk	Corporation Counsel
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City Of Boston • Massachusetts Office of the Mayor Michelle Wu

03-07-2022

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 THIRTY-SIX THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS **(\$36,250.00)** in the form of a grant, Dialogue to Action, awarded by Boston Redevelopment Authority to be administered by the Resiliency & Racial Equity.

The grant would fund programmatic activities to deepen participants' understanding of racism, in historical and present-day forms, and foster a sense of agency to change the system through actions at individual, interpersonal, or systemic levels.

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



AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND Dialogue to Action FUNDS, AWARDED BY Boston Redevelopment Authority.

WHEREAS, the Boston Redevelopment Authority, is being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Resiliency & Racial Equity; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of THIRTY-SIX THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$36,250.00) would fund programmatic activities to deepen participants' understanding of racism, in historical and present-day forms, and foster a sense of agency to change the system through actions at individual, interpersonal, or systemic levels. 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 Boston Redevelopment Authority, Dialogue to Action award not to exceed the amount of THIRTY-SIX THOUSAND TWO HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$36,250.00).

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	City Clerk	Corporation Counsel
	Mayor	

Approved



City Of Boston • Massachusetts Office of the Mayor Michelle Wu

03-07-2022

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 TWENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS AND THIRTEEN CENTS **(\$28,000.13)** in the form of a grant, FY21 Violence Against Women Act STOP Grant, awarded by the United States Department Of Justice, passed through the MA Executive Office Of Public Safety & Security, to be administered by the Police Department.

The grant would fund a Civilian Domestic Violence Advocate who provides services for victims in Jamaica Plain, East Boston and Charlestown.

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



AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF BOSTON TO ACCEPT AND EXPEND FY21 Violence Against Women Act STOP Grant FUNDS, AWARDED BY the United States Department Of Justice AND MA Executive Office Of Public Safety & Security.

WHEREAS, the the United States Department Of Justice and MA Executive Office Of Public Safety & Security, are being petitioned for the issuance of funds to the Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the funds in the amount of TWENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS AND THIRTEEN CENTS (\$28,000.13) would fund a Civilian Domestic Violence Advocate who provides services for victims in Jamaica Plain, East Boston and Charlestown. 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 the United States Department Of Justice, and MA Executive Office Of Public Safety & Security' FY21 Violence Against Women Act STOP Grant award not to exceed the amount of TWENTY-EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS AND THIRTEEN CENTS (**\$28,000.13**).

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	City Clerk	Adam Cederbaum Corporation Counsel
	Mayor	

Approved



City of Boston, Massachusetts Office of the Mayor **Michelle Wu**

March 7, 2022

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by The Boston Public Health Act of 1995, c. 147, s. 3(b), I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the reappointment of Guale Valdez of 589 Tremont Street, Boston, MA 02118 as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health. Guale Valdez is one of two appointments serving as a trustee, officer, or medical director of neighborhood health centers which are affiliated with the Boston Medical Center.

Guale Valdez shall serve a term ending on January 15, 2025.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the reappointment of Guale Valdez as a member of the Board of the Boston Public Health Commission.

Sincerely,

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Michelle Wu Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF GUALE VALDEZ TO THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the Boston Public Health Act of 1995, c. 147, s. 3(b), the reappointment of Guale Valdez of 589 Tremont Street, Boston, MA 02118 as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health, for a term ending January 15, 2025, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FORGOING. IF PASSED IN THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW. BY_ 1 ADAM CEDERBAUM **CORPORATION COUNSEL**



City of Boston, Massachusetts Office of the Mayor **Michelle Wu**

March 7, 2022

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by The Boston Public Health Act of 1995, c. 147, s. 3(b), I transmit herewith for your approval an Order confirming the reappointment of Philomin Laptiste of 30 Longfellow Street, Boston, MA 02122 as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health. Philomin Laptiste is one of two appointments serving as a trustee, officer, or medical director of neighborhood health centers which are affiliated with the Boston Medical Center.

Philomin Laptiste shall serve a term ending on January 15, 2025.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the reappointment of Philomin Laptiste as a member of the Board of the Boston Public Health Commission.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

AN ORDER CONFIRMING THE REAPPOINTMENT OF PHILOMIN LAPTISTE TO THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION'S BOARD OF HEALTH.

ORDERED: That, pursuant to the provisions of the Boston Public Health Act of 1995, c. 147, s. 3(b), the reappointment of Philomin Laptiste of 30 Longfellow Street, Boston, MA 02122 as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission's Board of Health, for a term ending January 15, 2025, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW. BY 1_ (1 ADAM CEDERBAUM **CORPORATION COUNSEL**



OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK *Alex Geourntas, Assistant City Clerk*

March 4, 2022

To The City Council

Councilors:

In accordance with Chapter 6 of the Ordinances of 1979, I hereby notify you of the following actions taken by the Mayor with regard to the papers acted upon by the City Council at its meeting of, February 9, 2022, viz.

0158 Message and order for your approval an order authorizing the issuance of refunding bonds in a principal amount not to exceed Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000.00). The current conditions in the municipal bond market appears to be favorable for the City to potentially realize significant saving in debt service costs by refunding certain of its outstanding general obligation bonds.

Approved by the Mayor February 14, 2022

Respectfully,

Alex Geourntas Interim City Clerk



Assessing Department Martin J. Walsh, Mayor

March 3, 2022

Alex Geourntas City Clerk Boston City Hall Room 601 Boston, MA 02201

RE: Request to Administer Oath of Office

Dear Alex Geourntas:

Pursuant to MGL Ch. 41 Sec. 29, Walter Hyde (ee id: 165911) has been appointed to the Principal Administrative Assistant position in the Commercial Unit in Assessing, effective September 6, 2021. Walter resides at 217 Beacon Street, Basement Rear Boston, MA 02116.

I respectfully request that he be administered the Oath of Office.

Patricia Marcella can arrange his availability; she can be reached at 617-635-4555.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Ariniello

Commissioner, Assessing

Boston City Hall, Room 301 | One City Hall Square | Boston, MA 02201 | T 617.635.1140 | www.boston.gov/assessing



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

Councilors MEJIA, ARROYO, FERNANDES-ANDERSON, LARA, MURPHY, BREADON, LOUIJEUNE, WORRELL, FLAHERTY, BOK and FLYNN offered the following:

An Ordinance Amending City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter XV, Section X and Establishing the Boston Fair Chance Act

- *WHEREAS*, In 2020, the Center for American Progress found that, in the public sector, Black household wealth is 37% that of white households; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Since 2016, the City of Boston has released a demographics dashboard detailing the racial and gender makeup of city employees, as well as their average pay; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, According to the demographics dashboard, as of January 2022, while white employees made up 48.9% of the total workforce, they disproportionately represented 61.6% of employees making over \$80,000/year; and
- *WHEREAS*, Even in departments with large percentages of employees of color, the top earners are predominantly white, such as in the Department of Public Works, where Black and Brown employees make up nearly half of the total workforce, but only 10% of the top 10 earners; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, The promotion gap between male and female employees, as well as between white employees and employees of color, is a major reason for this income inequality; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Many employees who have worked for the City of Boston for decades find themselves training new hires for positions above them, sending a message that they are somehow competent enough to train management but not competent enough to be management; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, In 2012, a group of Black police officers sued the city for what they felt was racism in the promotional process within the Boston Police Department because, according to department personnel numbers, of the department's 51 lieutenants, there were only two Black men and one Asian man, according to department personnel numbers; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, The City of Boston has also come under scrutiny for instances of nepotism, such as when former City Councilor Chuck Turner called for an official survey of the number of family members working throughout Boston Public Schools; *and*

- *WHEREAS*, There are countless talented employees of color in the City of Boston who are willing and able to step up and do the work if encouraged; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, The City of Boston is filled with motivated, intelligent, competent, caring, and experienced employees and the Boston City Council has an obligation to ensure that hirings and promotions are merit-based and equitable; *NOW THEREFORE*

Be it ordained by the City Council of Boston as follows:

SECTION 1.

a) Section 15-10 *Creating the Position of Municipal Affirmative Action Officer* shall be retitled "The Boston Fair Chance Act"

b) Section 15-10.1 *Declaration of Policy* shall be amended by adding the following paragraph at the end thereof:

The purpose of this ordinance is to also eliminate conflicts of interest and implicit biases in the hiring and promotional practices of covered employees and to establish rules and regulations for the hiring, employment, classification, upgrade, compensation, or promotion of covered employees to ensure that they prioritize merit, experience, and job performance.

c) Section 15-10.2 *Definitions*, shall be stricken in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"Agency" shall mean the unit of government within the structure of the City of Boston that is responsible for the application, administration and execution of the policy defined in Subsection 15-10.1.

"City" shall mean the City of Boston.

"*Minority*" shall mean a person who is Black, Hispanic, Asian American, Pacific Islander, Native American or Cape Verdean.

"*Nepotism*" shall refer to the practice of someone in a position of authority showing favor to an individual or individuals with whom they are in a family relationship.

"Family Relationship" shall refer to a relationship by blood, adoption, marriage, and domestic partnership, and includes parents, grandparents, great-grandparents, grandchildren, great grandchildren, children, uncles, aunts, nephews, nieces, first cousins, siblings and the spouses of domestic partners of each of these relatives. This definition includes any relationship that exists by virtue of marriage or domestic partnership, such as in-law and step relationships.

"Covered Employee" shall refer to any employee employed directly by the City of Boston or by any employer awarded a service contract or service subcontract.

"Anonymous Application" shall refer to a resume or CV with redacted names, addresses, education background, or any other information that may reveal one's protected class.

d) Section 15-10.3 *Creation of Position of Municipal Affirmative Action Officer; Duties* shall be stricken in its entirety and replaced with the following:

Section 15-10.3 Creation of Position of a Chief Diversity Officer

- A. There is hereby established within the Mayor's office a position to be known as Chief Diversity Officer; said position to be filled by appointment by the Mayor for a term expiring on the first Monday of January following the next biennial election who shall have the powers and perform the duties imposed by law. The Mayor shall appoint the CDO within sixty (60) days of passage of this section.
- B. The Chief Diversity Officer shall have oversight of the City's policy of nondiscrimination, equal opportunity, and affirmative action.

e) Section 15-10.4 *Duties of the Municipal Affirmative Action Officer* shall be stricken in its entirety and replaced with the following:

Section 15-10.4 Duties of the Chief Diversity Officer

The Chief Diversity Officer shall:

- A. Work with all city agencies to designate an internal Affirmative Action Officer, who shall be tasked with the creation of an Affirmative Action Plan.
- B. Work with all city agencies' Affirmative Action Officer in the creation of their Affirmative Action Plans, including but not limited to: a detailed plan for the hiring of minority employees, women employees, LGBTQ+ employees, and employees with disabilities; a detailed plan for the promotion of said employees; a detailed plan for improving workplace culture, preventing harassment, intimidation, and bullying; a detailed plan for disseminating this information to covered employees. Such a plan will be made available to the public via an online dashboard.
- C. Give final approval or disapproval of all Affirmative Action Plans prepared by such agency's Affirmative Action Officer.
- D. Conduct a yearly audit or review of Affirmative Action Plans and their implementation to ensure that they comply with such plans and the intent of this section.
- E. Establish a uniform grievance procedure which shall be available to any covered employee subject to this section to determine any and all issues arising from this section and related to Affirmative Action Plans, including protections against retaliation. This shall also apply to prospective employees and employees who have received a conditional offer of employment but have yet to begin their work.
- F. Take appropriate steps to build public awareness of the Chief Diversity Officer, in addition to awareness amongst covered employees, and of all procedures established by the office for receiving complaints. The CDO shall provide information to covered employees about the identification of nepotism, workplace discrimination, hiring and promotional discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying.
- G. Ensure that all covered employees are provided with a fact sheet about this ordinance and any other relevant workplace discrimination/anti-nepotism policies and ordinances, including contact

information for the Human Rights Commission, the Office of Human Resources, the Mayor's Office of Women's Advancement, the Mayor's Office of Immigrant Advancement, the Disability Commission, the Massachusetts Commission Against Discrimination, and other departments as needed. This fact sheet shall be posted in a conspicuous location visible to all employees.

- H. Report from time to time, but at least every three (3) months, to the Mayor and the City Council on the progress being made by the Agencies in administering their Affirmative Action Plans. The Chief Diversity Officer shall submit an annual report to the Mayor and City Council with details and figures documenting agency progress made towards realizing this section's goals. The report shall include an identification of problems and specific recommendations for increasing the City's performance.
- I. Ensure that the City's personnel system is operated in ways which provide assistance to agencies in meeting the goals set in the Affirmative Action Plans.

f) Section 15-10.5 *Additional Duties for the MAAO; Requirements of the WMBE Procurement Plan* shall be stricken in its entirety and replaced with the following new sections 15-10.5 and 15-10.6:

Section 15-10.5 Employment and Recruitment Practices for Prospective Covered Employees

In regards to recruitment and employment practices for prospective covered employees, the Chief Diversity Officer shall:

- A. Ensure that any individual who applies for employment with the City of Boston discloses all family relationships to or with other covered employees or officials.
- B. Ensure that any employee engaged in the hiring process for their agency receiving an application from a family member, discloses that relationship to their immediate supervisor and recuses themselves from the hiring process.
- C. Ensure that no public officials or covered employee supervises any other covered employees with whom they have a family relationship.
- D. Create alternate arrangements for instances where a family relationship arises so that no official or employee performs supervision and/or influences in any manner the terms and conditions of employment of a relative.
- E. *Anonymous Application Process*. The Chief Diversity Officer will work with departments to create an anonymous application process for initial applications—that is, applications received before a selection process creates a shortlist of applicants.

Section 15-10.6 Promotional Practices for Covered Employees:

In regards to promotional practices for covered employees, the Chief Diversity Officer shall:

- A. Establish criteria for a fair procedure regarding promotions, upgrading, and reclassification of any covered employee.
- B. Establish a process to consult with individual employees to assess and review their opportunities for advancement in areas where there is underrepresentation, in conjunction with the appropriate personnel overseeing the hiring process.

- C. Ensure that a reasonable amount of time is given to all covered employees looking to receive a promotion, upgrade, or reclassification.
- D. Ensure that, should a covered employee be denied for a promotion, the employer shall provide written feedback explaining the reasons for their denial.

SECTION 2.

Severability

The provisions of this ordinance are severable, and if any provision, or portion thereof, should be held to be unconstitutional or otherwise invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, such unconstitutionality or invalidity will not affect the remaining provisions, which will remain in full force and effect.

SECTION 3.

Effective Date.

This ordinance shall be effective immediately upon passage.

Filed in City Council:



City of Boston Mayor Michelle Wu

February 14, 2022

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an Order to reduce the FY22 appropriation for the Reserve for Collective Bargaining by \$2,016,409 to provide funding for various departments for the FY22 increases contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and SENA.

I respectfully request your favorable action on this important matter.

Sincerely,

Michelle Wu Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED: That the appropriation heretofore made, to meet the current operating expenses in the fiscal year commencing July 1, 2021 and ending June 30, 2022, be reduced by the following amount:

100-999000-51000 Reserve for Collective Bargaining \$2,016,409

* (COMT) 2740

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE,WITH LAW. EY Unlah ADAM CEDERBAUM CORPORATION COUNSEL



City of Boston Mayor Michelle Wu

February 14, 2022

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith a supplemental appropriation Order for various departments for FY22 in the amount of \$2,016,409 to cover the FY22 cost items contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and SENA. The terms of the contracts are October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2023. The major provisions of the contracts include base wage increases of 2%, 1.5%, and 2%, to be given in October of each fiscal year of the contract term.

As originally presented to you, the FY22 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 respectfully request your support of this supplemental appropriation.

Sincerely,

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Michelle Wu Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED: That in addition to the appropriations heretofore made, to meet the current operating expenses of the fiscal period commencing July 1, 2021 and ending June 30, 2022, the sum of TWO MILLION SIXTEEN THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND NINE DOLLARS (\$2,016,409) 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: -

114000	Consumer Affairs & Licensing	Personnel Services	\$2,899
121000	Election Division	Personnel Services	\$24,567
131000	Auditing Department	Personnel Services	\$49,306
136000	Assessing Department	Personnel Services	\$62,366
137000	Treasury-Collecting Division	Personnel Services	\$23,475
138000	Treasury-Treasury Division	Personnel Services	\$42,210
141000	Budget Management	Personnel Services	\$18,219
142000	Human Resources	Personnel Services	\$39,784
143000	Procurement	Personnel Services	\$25,417
149000	Innovation & Technology	Personnel Services	\$352,047
150000	Intergovernmental Relations	Personnel Services	\$8,141
151000	Law Department	Personnel Services	\$2,602
161000	City Clerk	Personnel Services	\$28,830
163000	Registry Division	Personnel Services	\$7,369
180000	Property Management	Personnel Services	\$55,415
181000	Public Facilities Department	Personnel Services	\$160,158
182000	Office of Economic Development	Personnel Services	\$2,835
211000	Boston Police Department	Personnel Services	\$244,440

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221000	Boston Fire Department	Personnel Services	\$105,239
251000	Traffic Division	Personnel Services	\$99,037
253000	Transportation-Parking Clerk	Personnel Services	\$29,398
260000	Inspectional Services	Personnel Services	\$127,768
300000	Parks Department	Personnel Services	\$126,393
310000	Office of Streets	Personnel Services	\$27,150
311000	Public Works Department	Personnel Services	\$100,550
385000	Boston Centers for Youth & Families	Personnel Services	\$218,772
387000	Age Strong	Personnel Services	\$2,766
400000	Cemetery Division	Personnel Services	\$10,195
402000	Office of Equity	Personnel Services	\$11,092
741000	Veterans' Services	Personnel Services	\$7,969
		Total	\$2,016,409

I HEREBY CERTIFY THE FORGOING, IF PASSED IN THE ADOVE FORM, WILL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.
OFFERED BY COUNCILOR TANIA FERNANDES ANDERSON



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDER FOR A HEARING TO EXPLORE A RENT-TO-OWN PILOT PROGRAM

- *WHEREAS*, The cost of rent throughout Boston has outpaced wage inflation and government rental assistance for decades, and has disproportionately impacted low-income residents; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, In Roxbury, the average family earns 81 percent less than Boston's average household income; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Though only two fifths of rentals are in majority Black neighborhoods in Boston, eviction filings took place in neighborhoods like Roxbury 64 percent of the time; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Inflated rents perpetuate the condition of poverty for residents; for example as families pay more towards living expenses, other needs, like health and education, are likely to go unmet; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Oppressive rent costs and limited housing supply have forced families to "double up" into units, settle for health compromising locations such as basements, or be forced to move to more affordable cities; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, This can sustain states of poverty and have massive impacts on the health and life outcomes of residents; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Areas with higher rates of stable homeownership benefit from consistent neighborhood upkeep and maintenance, greater social capital, and better psychological health, and additionally, resident stability is associated with safer outcomes, with lower rates of crimes reported in stable homeowner communities and areas with lower rates of vacant lots; and
- *WHEREAS*, Property ownership represents the largest asset and source of wealth for Americans; and the ability to tap into the wealth gained from the value of property allows a cushion from emergency costs and greater ability to invest in diverse ways; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Exclusionary and racist housing policies of the twentieth century have prevented generations of families of color from growing wealth tied to the value of property

within Boston and beyond, which has had a large impact on the modern wealth gap between white and Black households; *and*

- *WHEREAS*, Furthermore, it has left an economic impact on the community of Roxbury as a whole, as disinvestment, urban renewal, and redlining led to the deterioration of the existing housing stock and issues related to overcrowding; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, In Boston, around 80 percent of white families own their homes and have on average a quarter of a million dollars in wealth, compared to Black families in Boston, with an average of \$8 in wealth, and own their homes just a third of the time; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Wealth gaps perpetuate racial inequities across the city, with a lack of wealth corresponding with poverty, instability, and restricted social mobility; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Boston has made great strides in past years to invest in the creation of affordable housing, including through voucher programs, linkage, inclusionary development, and the exploration of mixed use city buildings, but many residents are still in need of greater support to access true housing stability as a means to a better future; *NOW*, *THEREFORE BE IT*
- **ORDERED:** That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to explore the possibility of a City rent-to-own pilot program for residents that provides a path to homeownership for qualified renters in the City, and that representatives from the Administration, including the Mayor's Office of Housing, Boston Planning & Development Agency, Boston Housing Authority, other relevant entities, and other interested parties be invited to attend.

Filed on: March 4, 2022

Offered by City Councilors Julia Mejia



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MARCH 13, 2022 AS ESSENTIAL WORKERS DAY IN THE CITY OF BOSTON

- *WHEREAS*, The COVID-19 pandemic has made it perfectly clear how much our society relies on the hard work of our essential workers, workers in grocery stores, public transportation, agriculture, health care, day care, retail and other sectors providing critical services when they were needed the most; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, While many individuals were given the opportunity to work from home, essential workers continued to go into work to ensure that our community had access to essential needs, goods, and services; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Despite being classified as essential workers, people in the service industry, many of whom are people of color, are receiving minimum wage, placing them in the half of Boston that is living on less than \$35,00/year; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Organizations across Boston, including the Black Boston COVID Coalition, the Boston Building Trades, the Greater Boston Labor Council, IBEW 103, MAMLEO, SEIU 509, the United Coalition of EMS Providers, and others have worked to stand up for our essential workers to ensure that they are financially and emotionally supported; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, The Boston City Council has an obligation to ensure that our essential workers are cared for, in terms of public health, economic empowerment, housing, mental health, education, and more; *NOW THEREFORE BE IT*

RESOLVED,

That the Boston City Council recognizes March 13, 2022 as Essential Workers Day in the City of Boston.

Filed in Council: March 9, 2022

Offered by City Councilors Julia Mejia



CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING MARCH AS NATIONAL SOCIAL WORKER MONTH

- *WHEREAS*, Social work is one of the fastest growing careers in the United States, according to the U.S. Department of Labor Bureau of Labor Statistics. There were more than 715,000 social work jobs in 2020; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, From childcare to senior care, criminal justice to disability rights, welfare to mental health, social workers ensure that the people most in need are looked after, cared for, and connected to the services that they need the most; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, For many, social work is a 24/7 job, with many social workers sacrificing family commitments, holidays, and vacation time in order to respond to urgent needs within the community; *and*
- WHEREAS, New social workers are predominantly women (90%) and are diverse in terms of race and ethnicity. More than 22% of new social workers are Black/African American and 14% are Hispanic/Latino according to The Council on Social Work Education; and
- *WHEREAS*, In an industry already underpaid and overworked, gender pay gaps do exist, with 89% of the low-wage social workforce being women; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, In addition to better pay standards across all demographics, there is a persistent need for social and emotional support in an industry of workers often burdened with compassion fatigue; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, The Boston City Council has an obligation to uplift and support those who dedicate their careers to uplifting and supporting people in the most marginalized communities; *NOW THEREFORE BE IT*

RESOLVED,

That the Boston City Council recognizes March as National Social Worker Month

Filed in Council: March 9, 2022

BOSTON CITY COUNCIL CITY COUNCIL

March 4, 2022

Councilor Flynn (Councilor Murphy)

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 5, 2022 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 11, 2022.

BiWeekly Payroll

David Mareira

Administrative Asst. \$4,038.48

full time

BOSTON CITY COUNCIL CITY COUNCIL

March 4, 2022

Councilor Flynn (Councilor Murphy)

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 12, 2022 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, March 1, 2022.

BiWeekly Payroll

David Mareira

Administrative Asst. \$2,692.32

full time

BOSTON CITY COUNCIL CITY COUNCIL

March 4, 2022

Councilor Flynn (Councilor Breadon)

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, March 26, 2022 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, April 1, 2022.

BiWeekly Payroll

Brenna Broderick

Secretary

\$1,680.00

full time



Boston City Council

Legislative Calendar for the March 9, 2022 Session

Sixty Day Orders

The following ordinances, appropriations and/or orders recommended by the Mayor for passage by the City Council become effective after the date specified unless previously acted upon¹

¹Section 17E of Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948 (as amended):

The mayor from time to time may make to the city council in the form of an ordinance or loan order filed with the city clerk such recommendations as he may deem to be for the welfare of the city. The City Council shall consider each ordinance or loan order so presented and shall either adopt or reject the same within sixty days after the date when it is filed as aforesaid. If such ordinance or loan order is not rejected within sixty days, it shall be in force as if adopted by the city council unless previously withdrawn by the mayor.

In effect after April 14, 2022

Message and order for your approval an order to reduce the FY22 appropriation for the Reserve for Collective bargaining by Two Million Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Nine Dollars (\$2,016,409.00) to provide funding for various departments for FY22 increases contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and SENA. (Docket #0272)

Message and orders for a supplemental appropriation order for various departments for FY22 in the amount of Two Million Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Nine Dollars (\$2,016,409.00) to cover the FY22 cost items contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and SENA. The terms of the contracts are October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2023. The major provisions of the contacts include base wage increases of 2%, 1.5%, and 2% to be given in October of each fiscal year of the contract term. (Docket #0273)

In effect after May 2, 2022

Message and order for your approval an Ordinance regarding targeted residential picketing, to protect the quality of residential life in our city. (Docket #0312)

On the Table

Order requesting certain information under section 17F: relative to the COVID-19 vaccination mandate for City of Boston employees. (Docket #0156)

Order requesting certain information under section 17F: relative to to the Best Western Roundhouse Hotel. (Docket #0157)

2 - Section 17F of Chapter 452 of the Acts of 1948 (as amended):

The city council may at any time request from the mayor specific information on any municipal matter within its jurisdiction, and may request his presence to answer written questions relating thereto at a meeting to be held not earlier than one week from the date of the receipt of said questions, in which case the mayor shall personally, or through a head of a department or a member of a board, attend such meeting and publicly answer all such questions. The person so attending shall not be obliged to answer questions relating to any other matter.

³Section 22 of Chapter 190 of the Acts of 1982:

Every order of the city council approving a petition to the general court pursuant to Clause (1) of Section 8 of Article 2 of the amendments to the Constitution of the Commonwealth shall be presented to the mayor who shall forthwith consider the same, and, within fifteen days of presentation, either approve it, or file with the city council a statement in detail of his reasons for not approving the same, including any objection based on form, on content, or both; provided, that no such order shall be deemed approved or in force unless the mayor affixes his signature thereto.

Matters in Committee

The following matters were previously filed with the City Council and have been referred to a committee. Matters in committee can be brought back before the City Council pursuant to City Council Rule 24. The following *definitions* describe different types of matters in committee:

Ordinances:	Local laws enacted by the Boston City Council and the Mayor that become part of the City Code of Ordinances.
Loan Orders:	Authorization for the City of Boston to incur debt and expend money for projects, purchases, or other obligations.
Orders:	Directives that authorize action. Orders are legally binding but are not part of the City Code of Ordinances.
Home Rule Petitions:	Requests for special acts that concern a particular municipality. Home Rule Petitions require approval of the Boston City Council and Mayor, as well as passage by the state legislature.
Order for a Hearing:	A formal request sponsored by a councilor that a committee of the Boston City Council conduct a hearing about a particular matter, issue, or policy that impacts the City of Boston. An Order for a Hearing is not a law and is not voted on by the City Council. The only action concerning an Order for a Hearing that can be taken at a City Council meeting is the administrative action of placing it on file.

Legislative Resolution: A recommendation concerning policy issues that may urge action on particular matters. Legislative resolutions have no legal effect. Legislative resolutions represent a particular position or statement by a Councilor, Councilors, or the City Council as a whole.

2022 MATTERS IN COMMITTEE

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
Boston's COVID-19 Recovery	0194	Bok	Breadon	Order for a hearing regarding a review of COVID-19 recovery funds.	1 /26/2022	3/4/22	
Boston's COVID-19 Recovery	0265	Baker		An order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a grant funded through the coronavirus state and local fiscal recovery fund (CLFRF) in the Treasury of the United States established by section 9901 of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) awarded by the United States Department of the Treasury.	2 /9 /2022		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0196	Bok		Order for a hearing regarding municipal broadband for the City of Boston.	1 /26/2022		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0202	Breadon		Order for a hearing regarding the BCYF Jackson Mann Community Center and services in Allston-Brighton.	1 /26/2022		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0223	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) in the form of a grant for the FY22 Municipal ADA Improvement Grant Program, awarded by the Massachusetts Office on Disability to be administered by the Commission for Person with Disabilities. The grant will fund the installation of a vertical lift to the third floor mezzanine.	2 /2 /2022	2/10/22	
City Services & Innovation Technology	0241	Bok	Worrell	Order for a hearing regarding a supplemental sidewalk clearance program during snowstorms in Boston.	2 /2 /2022		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0242	Bok	Breadon, Flaherty	Order for a hearing regarding recycling, compost, and waste services in the City of Boston.	2 /2 /2022		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0246	Murphy		Order for a hearing to address the changes to the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) that the Vaccine Mandate Created.	2 /2 /2022	2/11/22	

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
City Services & Innovation Technology	0272	Mayor		Message and order for your approval an order to reduce the FY22 appropriation for the Reserve for Collective bargaining by Two Million Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Nine Dollars (\$2,016,409.00) to provide funding for various departments for FY22 increases contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and SENA.	2 /23/2022	3/8/22	3/7/22 Hearing rescheduled
City Services & Innovation Technology	0273	Mayor		Message and orders for a supplemental appropriation order for various departments for FY22 in the amount of Two Million Sixteen Thousand Four Hundred Nine Dollars (\$2,016,409.00) to cover the FY22 cost items contained within the collective bargaining agreements between the City of Boston and SENA. The terms of the contracts are October 1, 2020 through September 30, 2023. The major provisions of the contacts include base wage increases of 2%, 1.5%, and 2% to be given in October of each fiscal year of the contract term.	2 /23/2022	3/8/22	3/7/22 Hearing rescheduled
City Services & Innovation Technology	0290	Flynn	Mejia, Bok	Order for a hearing to discuss ways for the city to increase communications access for people with disabilities to public-facing televisions.	2 /23/2022		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0292	Breadon		Order for a hearing regarding access to low-cost veterinary care.	2 /23/2022		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0293	Breadon	Louijeune	Order for a hearing regarding transparency and publication of the Organization of City Government, the City Charter, and City Ordinances.	2 /23/2022		
City Services & Innovation Technology	0311	Flaherty	Breadon, Flynn	Order for a hearing to discuss the safety of construction sites in the City of Boston.	2 /23/2022		
Civil Rights & Immigrant Advancement	0197	Mejia		Order for a hearing addressing civil rights in the creation of sanctuary safe spaces in Boston.	1 /26/2022		
Civil Rights & Immigrant Advancement	0264	Majia	Flynn	Order that the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a working session to review applications for the Commission on Black Men and Boys.	2 /9 /2022	3/10/22	

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Civil Rights & Immigrant Advancement	0323	Lara		Order for a hearing to discuss restoring municipal voting rights to immigrants with legal status.	3 /2 /2022		
Civil Rights & Immigrant Advancement	0324	Louijeune	Worrell	Order for a hearing on the civil rights and liberties of returning citizens and re-entry into their Boston communities.	3 /2 /2022		
Community Preservation Act	0313	Mayor		Message and order for an appropriation order in the amount of Twenty Seven Million Two Hundred and Five Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty Four Dollars (\$27,205,854.00) from Fiscal Year 2022 community preservation fund revenues for community preservation projects at the recommendation of the City of Boston Community Preservation Committee.	3 /2 /2022		
Education	0198	Mejia		Order for a hearing addressing sexual assault and harassment in Boston Public Schools.	1 /26/2022		
Education	0199	Mejia		Order for a hearing on state receivership for Boston Public Schools.	1 /26/2022		
Education	0201	Breadon		Order for a hearing regarding the Jackson/Mann and Horace Mann BPS school communities.	1 /26/2022		
Education	0261	Flaherty	Murphy	Order for a hearing to discuss declining enrollment at Boston Public Schools.	2 /9 /2022		
Education	0294	Worrell	Murphy, Flaherty	Order for a hearing regarding a cradle to career tracking system.	2 /23/2022		
Environmental Justice, Resiliency, & Parks	0195	Bok		Order for a hearing regarding a city-level Conservation Corps for Boston.	1 /26/2022		

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
Environmental Justice, Resiliency, & Parks	0243	Bok	Breadon, Flaherty	Order for a hearing regarding gasoline-powered lawn and garden equipment.	2 /2 /2022		
Government Accountability, Transparency, & Access	0200	Mejia		Order for a hearing on government transparency and accountability towards surveillance equipment	1 /26/2022		
Government Operations	0185	Mejia	Bok	Petition for a Special Law re: An Act Granting the City of Boston the Authority to Provide Legal Voting Rights in Municipal Elections for City of Boston Residents Aged 16 and 17 Years Old.	1 /26/2022	3/15/22	
Government Operations	0187	Arroyo	Mejia	Petition for a Special Law re: An Act Relative to Reorganization of the Boston School Committee.	1 /26/2022		3/7/22 Hearing postponed
Government Operations	0188	Arroyo	Mejia	Ordinance preventing wage theft in the City of Boston.	1 /26/2022	3/31/22	
Government Operations	0189	Arroyo	Breadon	Ordinance establishing protections for the City of Boston Tree Canopy.	1 /26/2022		
Government Operations	0239	Mejia	Fernandes Anderson, Worrell	An Ordinance Creating a Commission to Study and Develop Reparation Proposals for African Americans.	2 /2 /2022		
Government Operations	0247	Mejia		Order regarding a text amendment to the Boston Zoning Code to establish formula retail uses.	2 /2 /2022		
Government Operations	0259	Mejia	Arroyo	An ordinance amending City of Boston Code, Ordinances, Chapter XV, Section X and establishing the Boston Fair Chance Act.	2 /9 /2022	3/8/22	
Government Operations	0312	Mayor		Message and order for your approval an ordinance regarding targeted residential picketing, to protect the quality of residential life in our city.	3 /2 /2022		

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
Government Operations	0321	Edwards		Petition for a Special Law re: Securing environmental justice in the City of Boston.	3 /2 /2022		
Government Operations	0322	Murphy		Home rule petition to address Public Health Reform.	3 /2 /2022		
Housing & Community Development	0190	Bok		Order for a hearing regarding increasing public housing in the City of Boston.	1 /26/2022		
Housing & Community Development	0193	Bok		Order for a hearing regarding reducing barriers to securing rental housing in Boston.	1 /26/2022		
Housing & Community Development	0204	Bok	Breadon, Louijeune	Order for a hearing regarding homeownership assistance including for first-generation homebuyers.	1 /26/2022		
Housing & Community Development	0244	Breadon	Bok, Louijeune	Order for a hearing to review affirmative marketing practices for re-leasing existing affordable rental units generated by the Inclusionary Development Policy.	2 /2 /2022		
Labor, Workforce, & Economic Development	0291	Worrell		Order for a hearing regarding equity in city contracts.	2 /23/2022		
Labor, Workforce, & Economic Development	0296	Louijeune		Order for a hearing regarding biannual review of the Boston Employment Commission and Boston Residents Jobs Policy.	2 /23/2022		
Planning, Development & Transportation	0191	Bok		Order for a hearing regarding zoning relief for affordable projects.	1 /26/2022		
Planning, Development & Transportation	0192	Bok		Order for a hearing regarding using planning and land-use tools for public good.	1 /26/2022		3/3/22 Hearing postponed

Committee	Docket #	Sponsor	Co-Sponsor(s)	Docket Description	Date Referred	Hearing(s)	Notes
Planning, Development & Transportation	0314	Mayor		Message and order for you approval an order for a short term extension of nine (9) of the fourteen (14) remaining urban renewal plans in Boston.	3 /2 /2000		
Public Health, Homelessness, & Recovery	0245	Murphy		Order for a hearing to address the youth mental health crisis in our city.	2 /2 /2022		
Public Health, Homelessness, & Recovery	0263	Baker	Murphy	Order for a hearing to address the public health declaration of 2020.	2 /9 /2022	2/24/22	2/17/22 Hearing rescheduled
Public Safety & Criminal Justice	0274	Mayor		Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of One Million Six Hundred Forty- Two Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty Three Dollars and Ten Cents (\$1,642,723.10) in the form of a grant for, the FY22 Senator Charles E. Shannon Jr. Community Safety Initiative, awarded by the MA Executive Office of Public Safety & Security to be administered by the Police Department. The grant will fund regional and multi- disciplinary approaches to combat gang violence through coordinated prevention and intervention, law enforcement, prosecution and reintegration programs.	2 /23/2022		
Ways & Means	0262	Flaherty		Order for a hearing to discuss offering property tax abatements to property owners in the Newmarket area.	2 /9 /2022		
Ways & Means	0295	Louijeune	Fernandes Anderson	Order for a hearing to explore municipal bonds and other fiscal options to increase affordable housing and community investments.	2 /23/2022		
Whole	0325	Breadon	Flynn	Order for a Committee Meeting to discuss the organization of quasi-public and semi-independent entities related to the City of Boston.	3 /2 /2022		



Official Resolution

of Councilor Frank Baker

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council Extends its Congratulations to:

Nancy Wass

In Recognition of:

Your longtime dedication to maintaining a clean and healthy facility at Keystone. Your kindness and dedication will be missed.

and be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

Edward M. Flynn Bu:

President of the City Council

Attest:

Clerk of the City of Boston

Offered by: Kank Baker

Bate: March 22022

Resolution recognizing six organizations for their work uplifting and supporting essential workers during the COVID pandemic.

- Boston Building Trades
- Greater Boston Labor Council
- IBEW 103
- MAMLEO
- SEIU 509
- United Coalition of EMS Providers





Official Resolution

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Boston Building Trades

In Recognition of:

Their work uplifting and supporting essential workers during the COVID pandemic

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Official Resolution Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council extends its Congratulations to:

Shirley Shillingford

In Recognition of:

Your outstanding service in support of front line workers and their families

and Be it further resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.



By: Edward M. T.ly President of the City Council Attest: UM Clerk of the City of Boston Offered bu: Ante: 59





Official Resolution Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council extends its Congratulations to:

Lisa Michelle Searcy

In Recognition of:

Your outstanding service in support of front line workers and their families

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Official Resolution

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council extends its Congratulations to:

Black Boston COVID Coalition

In Recognition of:

Your outstanding service in support of front line workers and their families

and Be it further resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.



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Official Resolution Presented by Councilor At-Large Ruthzee Louijeune Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council extends its Congratulations to

Ashley Armand

In Recognition of:

Still Art Rises II – First Haitian Women's Exhibit at City Hall Presented by Haitian Artists Assembly of Massachusetts

and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution be duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.

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President of the City Council
Clerk of the City of Boston





OFFICIAL RESOLUTION OFFERED BY CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT ED FLYNN, COUNCILOR AT-LARGE MICHAEL FLAHERTY AND COUNCILOR FRANK BAKER

BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL EXTENDS ITS APPRECIATION TO:

OWEN ROGERS

IN RECOGNITION OF:

Your academic excellence as an Honor Roll Senior and your active participation as a member of Student Teacher and Student Arts Programs at Boston Latin Academy. We commend your long-time engagement with the South Boston Boys and Girls Club, from being on the Swim Team, Fine Arts, Keystone, and Junior Staff programs, to name a few. Your exceptional leadership among your peers and the passion and dedication you demonstrate towards everything you do is evident to all. We wish you every success as you continue to thrive and excel in higher education and your future endeavors, both here and abroad.

AND BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE BOSTON CITY COUNCIL HEREBY EXPRESSES ITS BEST WISHES FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUCCESS; THAT THIS RESOLUTION BE DULY SIGNED BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE CITY COUNCIL AND ATTESTED TO AND A COPY THEREOF TRANSMITTED BY THE CLERK OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

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By:	President of the City Council
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Official Resolution

Be it Resolved, that the Boston City Council extended its Congratulations to:

Eneido "Tony" Barros

In Recognition of:

his outstanding work for the City of Boston and being a leader in the Dominican community; and Be it further Resolved that the Boston City Council extends its best wishes for continued success; that this Resolution he duly signed by the President of the City Council and attested to and a copy thereof transmitted by the Clerk of the City of Boston.



Edward M. Alynn Bu: President of the City Council Attest: WTER Clerk of the City of Boston Offered by: c and 3/9 Date:



RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING GREG GALER

- *WHEREAS*, Greg Galer has been a fierce advocate for historic preservation as the Executive Director of the Boston Preservation Alliance; *and*
- *WHEREAS,* The Boston Preservation Alliance recently wished Greg farewell as he assumed leadership of the Association for Preservation Technology International; *and*
- **WHEREAS,** Greg has been a trusted partner in the Boston City Council's efforts to improve preservation, landmarking, and celebration of our shared history, whether through participation in community meetings and development processes or through providing feedback on City ordinances; and
- *WHEREAS*, Greg was a key supporter of the Community Preservation Act for Boston, which has provided over \$92 million to support 198 historic preservation, affordable housing, and open space projects across the city; *and*
- *WHEREAS*, Greg played a vital role in establishing the Legacy Fund for Boston, which has \$6 million committed to Boston's historic preservation causes; *and*
- *WHEREAS,* Greg also takes an equitable approach to historic preservation and consistently fights for affordable housing and sustainability in conjunction with preservation; *and*
- *WHEREAS,* Greg will continue to be a trusted member of the Boston community and advocate for historic preservation; *NOW, THEREFORE BE IT*
- **RESOLVED:** That the Boston City Council thanks Greg Galer for his contributions to historic preservation in the Boston area, congratulates him on his new leadership role, and wishes him well in his future endeavors.



By:	
	President of the City Council
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