



Legislation Text

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Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend the amount of Three Hundred Forty Nine Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$349,500,000.00) in the form of a grant, awarded by the United States Department of Treasury, to be administered by the City of Boston's Chief Financial Officer/Collector Treasurer. This grant payment is made from the Coronavirus State and Local Fiscal Recovery Fund (SLFRF) in the Treasury of the United States established by Section 9901 of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (ARPA) Pursuant to the requirements of the ARPA, the grant payment would fund COVID-19 response and recovery efforts and accelerate a Green New Deal for Boston through once-in-a-generation, transformative investments that address the systemic health and economic challenges in the areas of affordable housing, economic opportunity and inclusion, behavioral health, climate and mobility, arts and culture and early childhood.

Councilor Baker offered a motion to Amend Docket #0503 by reducing the Mayor's Office of Housing by \$5,000,000.00 and adding \$5,000,000.00 for the Dorchester Fieldhouse.

Second by Councilor Murphy.

The motion was passed; yeas 8, nays 5 (Bok, Breadon, Coletta, Lara and Louijeune).

Docket # 0503, as amended, was referred back to the Committee on Boston's COVID-19 Recovery.