ENJOY OUTDOOR MUSIC WITH
PARKARTS NEIGHBORHOOD CONCERTS
BEGINNING JULY 12

The Boston Parks and Recreation Department is proud to announce the 2016 ParkARTS Citywide Neighborhood Concert Series made possible by Berklee College of Music, The Friends of Ramler Park, and the Fenway Civic Association from July 12 to August 23 in parks citywide.

The ParkARTS outdoor neighborhood summer concerts are presented free of charge in local City of Boston parks. The concert series begins at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, July 12, with Zili Misik at Adams Park, 4225 Washington Street, Roslindale, followed by Swingin’ in the Fens featuring Lisa Thorson at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, July 13, at Ramler Park, 130 Peterborough Street, Fenway (rain date July 18).

The ParkARTS Citywide Neighborhood Concerts continue at 7 p.m. on Tuesday, July 19 with a Berklee College jazz performance featuring Chosen at Brighton Common, 30 Chestnut Hill Avenue, Brighton; 7 p.m. on Wednesday, July 20, with Joshua Tree performing the music of U2 at Garvey Playground, 340 Neponset Avenue, Dorchester; 7 p.m. on Wednesday, July 27, with Chris Mathison at the George Wright Golf Course Clubhouse patio, 420 West Street, Hyde Park; 5 p.m. on Sunday, August 7, with Jazz at the Fort featuring Imagine Orchestra at Highland Park, 58 Beech Glen Street, Roxbury; and 6 p.m. on Tuesday, August 23, with the U.S. Air Force Heritage of America Band Jazz Ensemble at Christopher Columbus Park, 110 Atlantic Avenue, North End.

All ParkARTS neighborhood performances are free of charge. For more information or a full schedule of events, please call please call (617) 635-4505 or visit the Parks Department online at www.cityofboston/parks or www.facebook.com/bostonparksdepartment.
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Have all of your City of Boston payments deposited directly into your bank account. Vendors with access to the City’s Supplier Portal are able to enroll in Automated Clearing House (ACH) payments.

Visit www.cityofboston.gov/procurement to log in to the Supplier Portal, then access the Vendor eForm Homepage section to sign up.

Email: Vendor.Questions@cityofboston.gov for additional information.

Paper-based ACH Enrollment Packets are available by calling the Treasury Department @ 617-635-4156

All weekly Bids for the City of Boston listed in the Boston City Record also appear weekly on the City of Boston’s Web Page.

To view bids for the City of Boston go to www.boston.gov

Then click on Business, in the next screen on the top in the middle of the page will be a link to take you directly to Current Bids for the City of Boston.
INVITATION FOR SEALED BIDS FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF THE FOLLOWING SERVICES AND/OR SUPPLIES

The City of Boston (“the City”), acting by its Acting Purchasing Agent (“the Official”), invites sealed bids for the performance of the work generally described below, and particularly set forth in the Invitation for Bids, which may be obtained from the City’s Purchasing website and Supplier Portal www.cityofboston.gov/procurement. Invitation for Bids shall be available until the time of the bid opening.

The attention of all bidders is directed to the provisions of the Invitation for Bids and contract documents, specifically to the requirements for bid deposits, insurance and performance bonds as may be applicable.

The supplies/services described for the below is an actual amount of the supplies/services to be procured.

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The maximum time for bid acceptance by the City after the opening of bids shall be ninety (90) days. The award of this contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of Boston.

Sealed bids shall be publicly opened by the Official at 12:00 Noon Boston City Hall, Purchasing Rm. 808 One City Hall Sq. Boston, MA 02201.

Event EV00003344
Rescue Equipment for the BFD
Boston Fire Department
Bid Opening Date: July 13, 2016
Buyer: Michael Walsh @617-635-3706
Michael.Walsh@Boston.Gov

Event EV00003345
SCBA Facepieces for the BFD Special Ops
Boston Fire Department
Bid Opening Date: July 13, 2016
Buyer: Michael Walsh @617-635-3706
Michael.Walsh@Boston.Gov

Event EV00003350
Emergency Response Boat/Motor
Boston Fire Department
Bid Opening Date: July 12, 2016
Buyer: Kevin Coyne @617-635-4938
Kevin.Coyne@Boston.Gov

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Kevin Coyne, Purchasing Agent.

(20) calendar days from the date set for the opening of technical proposals.

The submission of a proposal shall result in disqualification of the entire proposal!

The Official shall not open the proposals publicly, but shall open the technical proposals in the presence of one or more witnesses within twenty-four (24) hours of the above deadline for submission of the proposals. The Official may open the price proposals at a later time and in any case shall open the price proposals so as to avoid disclosure to the individuals evaluating the technical proposals.

Following its submission, a proposal may be corrected, modified or withdrawn only to the extent provided for in M.G.L. c. 30B, §5(f).

The submission of a proposal shall constitute an acceptance of all provisions of the RFP documents by the Offeror and an agreement by the Offeror to perform all specified work and/or provide all specified supplies incidental thereto.

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Each technical proposal submitted to the Official must be accompanied by a proposal deposit in the amount of twenty dollars ($20.00) in the form of (a) a proposal bond with a surety company qualified to do business in Massachusetts and in a form satisfactory to the Official or (b) a certified check payable to the City of Boston. All proposal deposits, as specified above, shall be returned upon final execution of a contract by the successful Offeror, or, if no contract is executed, at the expiration of ninety (90) calendar days from the date set for the opening of technical proposals.

The City of Boston affirmatively ensures that Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE), Small Local Business Enterprise (SLBE), Minority Business Enterprise (MBE), Women Business Enterprise (WBE), and Veteran Owned Small Business Enterprise (VOSBE) firms shall be afforded full opportunity to submit qualifications in response to this and will not be discriminated against on the basis of race, color, national origin, ancestry, disability, gender, transgender status, political affiliation, age, sexual orientation or religion in any consideration leading to the award of a contract. No qualified disabled person shall, on the basis of disability, be excluded from participating in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise subjected to discrimination in any consideration leading to the award of a contract.

Edward J. Glora, Business Manager

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Office of Facilities Management
Department of Planning and Engineering

Invitation for Bids (IFB) for On Call Asbestos Removal and Abatement at Various Boston Public Schools

NOTE: For information specific to this particular IFB, please submit questions in writing to Khadijah J. Brown, Director of Facilities Management, 1216 Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester, MA 02125, Fax 617-635-7855 or contact Elaine Scaparotti, Contract Supervisor at escaparotti@bostonpublicschools.org or 617-635-9170.

The City of Boston Public Schools (the City), acting by and through its Director of Facilities Management (the Awarding Authority), invites sealed bids for the above entitled project, subject to all applicable provisions of law, including, without limitation, section 39M of chapter 30 of the General Laws, as amended, and in accordance with the terms and provisions of the contract documents entitled: “On Call Asbestos Removal and Abatement at Various Boston Public Schools” at an estimated cost of $90,000.00 (various individual projects, each under $10,000). The City intends to award (3) contracts to the lowest eligible and responsible bidders.

**SCOPE OF WORK:** To remove or abate asbestos as needed for the projects described in the IFB.

**PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS** will be available after twelve o’clock noon on Thursday, July 7, 2016 at the Office of Facilities Management, 1216 Dorchester Avenue, 2nd floor, Dorchester, MA 02125.

Bids shall be submitted to the Awarding Authority, 2nd floor, 1216 Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester, MA 02125, before twelve o’clock noon (Boston time) on Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at which time and place respective bids will be opened and read aloud. Late bids will not be accepted.

Bids must be accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of a certified check drawn on, or a treasurer’s or cashier’s check issued by, a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston, or a bond of a surety company qualified to do business in Massachusetts and satisfactory in form to the Awarding Authority will be required of the successful bidder to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract. A labor and materials bond in the sum of 5% of the contract amount for contracts of $25,000 up to $100,000, and in the sum of 100% of the contract amount for contracts over $100,000 will be required of the successful bidders. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a Performance Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount for contracts over $100,000.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to award any minor informalities or to reject any and all bids, or any part or parts thereof, and to award a contract as the Awarding Authority deems to be in the best interest of the City of Boston and the Boston Public Schools. The award of any contract shall be subject to the approval of the Superintendent of Schools and the Mayor of Boston.

Khadijah J. Brown, AIA
Director/Facilities Management

(July 4 & 11, 2016)

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Office of Facilities Management
Department of Planning and Engineering

Invitation for Bids (IFB) for On Call Environmental (Non-Hazardous Materials) Hazard Remediations at Various Boston Public Schools

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The City of Boston Public Schools (the City), acting by and through its Director of Facilities Management (the Awarding Authority), invites sealed bids for the above entitled project, subject to all applicable provisions of law, including, without limitation, section 39M of chapter 30 of the General Laws, as amended, and in accordance with the terms and provisions of the contract documents entitled: “On Call Environmental (Non-Hazardous Materials) Hazard Remediations at Various Boston Public Schools” at an estimated cost of $90,000.00 (various individual projects, each under $10,000). The City intends to award (3) contracts to the lowest eligible and responsible bidders.

**SCOPE OF WORK:** To remediate non-hazardous materials environmental hazards which shall include but not limited to mold, lead paint debris, fire extinguisher discharge, etc. on an “as needed basis and perform all related work as specified commencing July 1, 2016 and concluding June 30, 2019.

The attention of all bidders is specifically directed to the equal employment opportunity section of the specifications and the obligation of the contractor and all subcontractors to take affirmative action in connection with employment practices throughout the work.

Contractors are hereby notified that pursuant to M.G.L. c. 149, sections 26 to 27G, contractors must pay prevailing wages as established by the Massachusetts Department of Labor and Workforce Development/Division of Occupational Safety.

A performance bond, and also a labor and materials payment bond, of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and included in the U.S. Treasury’s current list of approved sureties (Circular 570) and satisfactory in form to the Awarding Authority will be required of the successful bidder to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract. A labor and materials bond in the sum of 50% of the contract amount for contracts of $25,000 up to $100,000, and in the sum of 100% of the contract amount for contracts over $100,000 will be required of the successful bidders. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a Performance Bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount for contracts over $100,000.

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Khadijah J. Brown, AIA
Director/Facilities Management

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Office of Human Resources
Workers' Compensation Service

Invitation to Interested, Responsible and competent persons engaged in the following category of work or business to apply and qualify for contracts with the City of Boston: Vocational Rehabilitation Services for self-insured and self-administered, workers' compensation program for the City of Boston.

Note: For information specific to this particular bid, please contact Linda Pagan-Graves @ 617-635-3377.

The City of Boston (the City), acting by its Human Resources Director and Agent (the Officials), invite competent persons, firms or corporations to apply for prequalification on a bidder’s list and thereafter enter into contract or contracts as may be requested from time to time by the Officials. For the performance of the particular items of work generally described above, and to perform such item(s) of work when and as may be required by the Officials.

To access details for this specific bid event, or to respond through electronic format, please visit the City's Purchasing website and Supplier Portal (http://www.cityofboston.gov/procurement) and access Event ID EV00003338. Copies of the application and related bid documents may also be obtained at the Office of Human Resources, Boston City Hall, Room 612, Boston, MA 02201, after Friday, July 1, 2016.

Applications to prequalify for contracts for such work will be accepted until 5 p.m., Boston time on Tuesday, July 18, 2016 at the above address or through electronic format on the Supplier Portal.

The City and the Officials reserve the rights to contract only in those cases and in accordance with those applications as the Officials determine to be in the best interest of the City. Except in cases of emergency, contracts for individual purchases or instances of work will be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder after a solicitation of bids from qualified applicants.

Vivian Leonard, Director
John T. Walsh, Agent

(July 4 & 11, 2016)

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Environment Department

Request for Proposals to Provide the Following Services and/or Supplies: Requesting proposals for debris removal from the Boston harbor

The City of Boston ("The City"), acting by its Chief of Department ("The Official"), requests proposals for the services and/or supplies described above, as particularly set forth in the Request for Proposals, which may be obtained from the City’s purchasing website and Supplier Portal (http://www.cityofboston.gov/procurement) under Event ID EV00003363 or at 1 City Hall Square Room 709, Boston, MA 02201.

Note: For information specific to this RFP, please contact Portia Crawford at Portia.Crawford@boston.gov or 617-635-3850.

Requests for Proposals shall be available on July 05, 2016 until the proposal filing deadline. All proposals shall be filed no later than July 19, 2016 at 12:00 PM.

The attention of all proposers is directed to the provisions of the Request for Proposals and contract documents, specifically to the requirements for bid deposits, insurance and performance bonds, as may be applicable.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids, or any part or parts thereof, and to award a contract as the Official deems to be in the best interests of the City. This contract shall be subject to the availability of an appropriation therefor. The maximum time for proposal acceptance by the City after the opening of proposals shall be 90 days. The award of this contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of Boston.

Austin Blackmon,
Chief of Department

(July 4 & 11, 2016)

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Purchasing Division

Invitation for Sealed Bids for the Procurement of the Following Services and/or Supplies

The City of Boston ("the City"), acting by its Acting Purchasing Agent ("the Official"), invites sealed bids for the performance of the work generally described below, and particularly set forth in the Invitation for Bids, which may be obtained from the City’s Purchasing website and Supplier Portal www.cityofboston.gov/procurement for Invitation for Bids shall be available until the time of the bid opening.

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The supplies/services described for the below is an actual amount of the supplies/services to be procured.

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The maximum time for bid acceptance by the City after the opening of bids shall be ninety (90) days. The award of this contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of Boston.

Sealed bids shall be publicly opened by the Official at 12:00 Noon Boston City Hall, Purchasing Rm. 808 One City Hall Sq. Boston, MA 02201.

Note: For information specific to this particular bid, please contact Mary (Kane) O’Toole, BFD Procurement at 617-343-2152 or mary.kane@boston.gov

The scope of work is further detailed in the specifications and includes, but is not limited to the following: Provide complete semi-annual inspections for the preventative maintenance and service and repair of Diesel Exhaust Systems as needed inclusive of all the required equipment and materials at Boston Fire Department premises in Boston, MA, or any other defined places within the state of Massachusetts in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 149 from August 1, 2016 through June 30, 2019.

The City of Boston (the City) acting by its Boston Fire Department, through its Commissioner (the Official), hereby invites sealed bids for the above-entitled project, and particularly set forth in the Invitation for Bids which may be obtained on July 11, 2016 at 9:00AM at the Boston Fire Department, 115 Southampton Street, Boston, MA, or any other defined places within the state of Massachusetts in accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 149 from August 1, 2016 through June 30, 2019.

Note: For information specific to this RFP, please contact Mary (Kane) O’Toole, BFD Procurement at 617-343-2152 or mary.kane@boston.gov

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All General bids shall be filed with the Official at the BFD Procurement Office, 115 Southampton Street, Boston, MA 02118, before twelve o’clock (noon EST) on Tuesday, July 26, 2016, at which time and place respective bids will be opened forthwith and read aloud. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

General Bids will be valid only when accompanied by (1) a Certificate of Eligibility issued by DCAMM, showing that the general contractor has been approved in HVAC Services, to bid on projects the size and nature of that advertised, and (2) an Update Statement summarizing the general contractor’s record for the period between the latest DCAMM certification and the date the general contractor submits its bid.

The attention of all bidders is directed to the provisions of the Invitation for Bids and contract documents, specifically to the requirements for bid deposits, insurance and performance bonds as may be applicable.

All Bidders (general and sub-bids) are hereby notified that bid deposits must be 5% of their bid, and shall be in the form of a bid bond, certified check, treasurer’s check, or cashier’s check and made payable to the City of Boston.

In accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 149, a performance bond and a labor and materials payment bond shall be required from the successful bidder of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and included in the U.S. Treasury’s current list of approved sureties (Circular 570) and satisfactory in form to the Awarding Authority will be required of the successful bidder to guarantee the faithful performance of the contract. The successful bidders will be required to furnish a performance bond in the amount of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount for contracts over $100,000. A labor and materials payment bond in the sum of fifty percent (50%) of the contract amount for contracts of $25,000 up to $100,000, and in the sum of one hundred percent (100%) of the contract amount for contracts over $100,000 will be required of the successful bidders.

A Certificate of Insurance is required when submitting your bid.

Bidders are hereby notified that this project is subject to M.G.L. c. 149, s. 27 and in accordance contractor must pay prevailing wages as set by the Division of Occupational Safety within the Department of Labor and Workforce Development. Every contractor or subcontractor which performs construction work on the project is required to submit weekly payroll reports and a Statement of Compliance directly to the awarding authority by mail or email and keep them on file for three years. Each weekly payroll report must contain: the employee’s name, address, occupational classification, hours worked, and wages paid. A sample of a payroll reporting form may be obtained at http://www.mass.gov/dols/pw.

Bidders are further notified that they shall submit prices and bid prices shall be compared on the basis of the entire period of performance.

This contract shall be subject to the availability of an appropriation therefore, if sufficient funds are not appropriated for the contract in any fiscal year, the Official shall cancel the contract.

Sealed bids shall be publicly opened by the Official on Tuesday, July 26, 2016 at Boston Fire Headquarters, 115 Southampton Street, Second Floor Conference Room, Boston, MA 02118.

The award of any contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of Boston and the Boston Fire Commissioner.

The City reserves the right to waive any minor informalities or to reject any and all bids, or any part or parts thereof, and to award a contract(s) as the City deems to be in the best interest of the City of Boston and the Boston Fire Department. The award of any contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of Boston and the Boston Fire Commissioner.

The maximum time for bid acceptance by the City after the opening of bids shall be thirty (30) days. The City and the Official reserve the right to reject any or all bids, or any item or items thereof.

Joseph E. Finn, Commissioner

(July 11 & 18, 2016)

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CITY OF BOSTON/COUNTY OF SUFFOLK

POLICE DEPARTMENT

INVITATION FOR SEALED BIDS FOR THE PROCUREMENT OF THE FOLLOWING SERVICE: Repair & Maintenance Services for the Boston Police Department’s Communication Antennas

NOTE: For information specific to this bid, please contact Brenda Harmon @ Brenda.harmon@pd.boston.gov or 617 343-4428

The City of Boston (the City)/the County of Suffolk (the County), acting by its Police Commissioner (the Official), invites sealed bids for the performance of the work generally described above, and particularly set forth in the Invitation For Bids, which may be obtained from the City’s website and Supplier Portal, (www.cityofboston.gov/procurement), commencing at 9:00 AM on Monday, July 11, 2016. Invitations For Bids shall be available until the time of bid opening. Bid packages and specifications will be available electronically for downloading commencing on Monday July 11, 2016 at 9:00 AM. To access details for this specific bid event, and to respond through electronic format, please visit the City of Boston Supplier Portal and access EV00003372.

All sealed bids shall be filed electronically not later than Wednesday, July 27, 2016, at 12:00 Noon, Boston time, at the Office of the Official, Police Headquarters, Contracts Unit, Room N359, 1 Schroeder Plaza, Boston, MA 02120-2014.

The attention of all bidders is directed to the provisions of the Invitation For Bids and contract documents, specifically to the requirements for bid deposits, insurance and performance bonds as may be applicable. The services above described for the twenty three (23) month term of this contract are an estimated amount of the services to be procured.

Bidders are further notified that they shall submit prices for, and bid prices shall be compared on the basis of, the entire period of performance.

Bidders are hereby notified that the Official shall cancel the contract if funds are not appropriated in any fiscal year.

Sealed bids shall be opened electronically by the Official on Wednesday July 27, 2016, at 12:00 Noon, at Boston Police Headquarters, Contracts Unit, Room N359, 1 Schroeder Plaza, Boston, MA 02120-2014.

The award of any contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of Boston.

The maximum time for bid acceptance by the City after the opening of the bids shall be ninety (90) days.

The City/County and the Official reserve the right to reject any or all bids, or any item or items thereof.

William B. Evans, Police Commissioner

(July 11 & 18, 2016)
The attention of all bidders is directed to the provisions of the Invitation for Bid and contract documents, specifically to the requirements for insurance and performance bonds as may be applicable.

The maximum time for bid acceptance by the City after the opening of bids shall be ninety (90) days.

The attention of all bidders is specifically directed to the equal opportunity section of the bid specification and contract and the obligations of the contractor to take affirmative action in connection with employment practices throughout the period of this contract.

The City and Awarding Authority reserve the right to reject any or all bids, or any item or items thereof.

The award of any contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of the City of Boston and the Board of Trustees in charge of the Library Department of the City of Boston.

Event EV00003373
Invitation for Bid for Qualified Contractors to Prep, Prime, and Treat all Exterior Wood Surfaces as Specified at the Honan-Allston Branch of the Boston Public Library
IFB Available Date: July 11, 2016
IFB Opening Date: July 25, 2016
Carl Lehto@ 617-859-2346
clehto@bpl.org

Jane Sproul,
Budget and Procurement Manager
(July 11 & 18, 2016)

ADVERTISEMENT
CITY OF BOSTON
PUBLIC FACILITIES DEPARTMENT (PFD)
M.G.L. c. 149, sections 44A-44J
Invitation for General Bids Project Name: Boston Police Headquarters Exterior Repairs
Project Location: One Schroeder Plaza, Roxbury Crossing, MA 02120 Project No. 7060

Note: For information specific to this particular bid, please contact PFD’s Bid Counter at 617-635-4809 or Bid/info@boston.gov

The City of Boston acting by its Public Facilities Commission, through its Director of the Public Facilities Department (PFD), 10th Floor, 26 Court Street, Boston, MA 02108, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, hereby invites sealed bids for the above-entitled project. Bids shall be on a form supplied by PFD, be clearly identified as a bid, and signed by the bidder. All bids for this project are subject to sections 26-27, 29 and 44A-44J, inclusive of Chapter 149 of the General Laws, as amended, and in accordance with the terms and provisions of the contract documents entitled: Boston Police Headquarters Exterior Repairs project.

The scope of work is further detailed in the specifications and includes, but is not limited to the following: repairs to exterior masonry, concrete walls, stairs and slabs; replacement of perimeter exterior caulking; installation of a new Boston Police sign; and removal and reinstallation of granite pavers.

All Filed Sub-Bids shall be filed with the Awarding Authority at the Bid Counter, 26 Court Street, 10th Floor, Boston, MA 02108, before twelve o’clock (noon) on July 28, 2016, at which time and place respective sub-bids will be opened forthwith and read aloud. LATE SUB-BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

All general bids shall be filed with the Awarding Authority at the Bid Counter, 26 Court Street, 10th Floor, Boston, MA 02108, before twelve o’clock (noon EST) on August 11, 2016, at which time and place respective bids will be opened forthwith and read aloud. LATE BIDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

General Bids will be valid only when accompanied by (1) a Certificate of Eligibility issued by DCAMM, showing that the general contractor has been approved in accordance with such requirements as the Department of Citywide Administration of Buildings and Lands (DCAMM) is of the opinion that the local bid price is in no way unreasonably in excess of the estimated cost of the work, and that the bidder is in a position to make available the funds for funding the work; and (2) an Update Statement summarizing the general contractor’s record for the period between the latest DCAMM certification and the date the subcontractor submits its bid.

Plans and specifications will be available on or about July 11, 2016 at the Public Facilities Department Bid Counter to all interested parties who present a $25.00 REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT for each set. PFD will accept Money Orders as a form of deposit, in addition to certified, cashier’s checks or cashier’s checks (Personal and Company Checks will not be accepted unless certified by a U.S. bank). In order to facilitate the disposition of your refunds, please have checks or Money Orders made payable to both The City of Boston OR your company’s name. Plans and specifications must be returned in good condition within thirty days of the general bid opening in order for the bidder to have the $25.00 returned. Bidders are hereby notified that bid deposits must be 5% of his/her bid, and shall be in the form of a bid bond, certified check, treasurer’s check, or cashier’s check and made payable to the City of Boston.

The award of any contract shall be subject to agreement or exercise of the option and no exercise of the option shall be subject to agreement or the availability of sufficient appropriation for the period of this contract. The City shall retain sole discretion in exercising the option and no exercise of the option shall be subject to agreement or acceptance by the contractor.

All bidders shall submit their financial assurance in the form of (1) a Cashier’s Check or Certified Check, made payable to the City of Boston as described in the Purchase Order, and (2) an Update Statement summarizing the general contractor’s record for the period between the latest DCAMM certification and the date the subcontractor submits its bid.

The award of any contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of the City of Boston and the Board of Trustees in charge of the Library Department of the City of Boston.

The attention of all bidders is also directed to pages 00 20 00 – 1 through 00 20 00 – 10, entitled "Instructions to Bidders (Including Sub-Bidders)." See sections 21.2.5 and 21.2.6 of Article 21 on page 00 20 00 – 10 regarding an original, stamped Surety Verification letter from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Department of Labor and Workforce Development – Division of Apprenticeship Training.

A performance bond and labor and materials payment bond satisfactory to the Awarding Authority, of a surety company licensed to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and included on the U.S. Treasury current list of approved sureties (See Circular 570), in the sum of 100% of the contract price will be required of the successful bidder.

The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informalities in or to reject any and all bids if it is in the public interest to do so.

Patricia M. Lyons,
Director
(July 11 & 18, 2016)

ADVERTISEMENT
CITY OF BOSTON
DEPARTMENT OF NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT (DND)

Request for Proposals for Lead Paint Risk Assessments and Paint Testing: EVENT #EV00003261

NOTE: for information about this particular bid, please contact Bid Counter @ (617) 635-4828

The City of Boston ("The City"), acting through its Director of the Department of Neighborhood Development ("DND"), at 26 Court Street, Boston, MA 02108, hereby invites proposals from interested and qualified contractors ("Offerors") to provide lead paint risk assessments and paint testing for its Boston Home Center Division on an as needed basis.

The selected Offeror will be responsible for providing lead paint inspection services in the City of Boston as described in the Purchase Description (Scope of Services). The City will award one contract in an amount not to exceed $250,000.00. The contract term shall be September 1, 2016 through August 31, 2018, subject to the availability of sufficient appropriation for the subsequent years. The City reserves the right to exercise an option to extend the contract award for an additional one-year period, from September 1, 2018 through August 30, 2019, in an amount not to exceed $125,000.00, subject to the availability of sufficient appropriation for that subsequent year, upon all the same terms, including the terms as to price, for the first twelve month period.

The City shall retain sole discretion in exercising the option and no exercise of the option shall be subject to agreement or acceptance by the contractor.

The Request for Proposals ("RFP") package will be available beginning July 11, 2016, 9:00 AM from the City’s purchasing website, Supplier Portal (www.cityofboston.gov/Procurement), the City’s new online procurement system, bidding, contracting, vendor registration and
The City of Boston Public Schools (the City), acting by and through its Director of Facilities Management (the Official), subject to all applicable provisions of law, hereby invites sealed bids for the performance of the work generally described above and particularly as set forth in the Invitation for Bids (IFB) which may be obtained at the Office of Facilities Management/Boston Public Schools, second floor, 1216 Dorchester Avenue, Dorchester, MA 02125 commencing at 12:00 noon, Boston time, Thursday, July 14, 2016. The IFB shall be available until the bid submission deadline.

Scope of Work: In general, includes but not limited to the following: 22’ Gasoline Step Van with electrical, plumbing, power lines and connections, venting and fire suppression, heating and air conditioning, cooking and refrigeration equipment, interior and exterior modification and finishings, walk-in-freezer and coolers, and other related work as specified in Massachusetts Skills Capital Grant.

The contractor shall furnish all necessary labor, supervision, equipment, materials, tools and supplies as may be required in accordance with specifications and terms and conditions set forth herein at an estimated cost of $400,000.00.

Bid proposals shall be clearly marked, “Food Truck and Freezers at Madison Park High School” and filed at the office of the Official designated above no later than twelve o’clock noon, Boston time, Thursday, August 4, 2016 at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Late bids will NOT be accepted.

The attention of all bidders is directed to the provisions of the IFB and contract documents and especially to the requirements for bid deposits, insurance and performance bonds as may be applicable. Bids must be accompanied by a bid deposit in the form of a certified check, treasurer or cashier’s check issued by a responsible bank or trust company, payable to the City of Boston. The amount of such check shall be $2000.00.

Following its submission, a bid may be corrected, modified, or withdrawn only to the extent provided in M.G.L. c. 30B, s. 5(f).

The submission of a bid shall constitute acceptance by the bidder of all provisions of the IFB and an agreement by the bidder if awarded the contract to perform all specified work according to contract specifications.

The City reserves the right to cancel this IFB, to reject any and all bids, or any part thereof and to award a contract as the Official deems in the best interests of the City of Boston and the Boston Public Schools. The Official shall waive minor informalities or allow the bidder to correct them. Any contract shall be subject to availability of an appropriation therefore throughout the term of the contract. The maximum time for acceptance of a bid and the issuance by the City of a written notification of award shall be thirty (30) days after the date set forth for the submission of bids. The award of any contract shall be subject to the approval of the Superintendent of Schools and the Mayor of Boston.

NOTE: For information specific to this particular bid, please contact Nathan Frazee at 617-961-3167.

The Boston Parks and Recreation Department, acting through its Commissioner, is requesting designer services, including site analysis, design development plans, construction documents, cost estimates and construction observation, for improvements to the following parks:

RAMSAY PARK, SOUTH END
RESERVATION ROAD PARK, HYDE PARK
FLAHERTY PARK, SOUTH BOSTON
MCCONNELL PLAYGROUND, DORCHESTER
PARKMAN PLAYGROUND, ROSLINDALE/JAMAICA PLAIN
DOWNER AVENUE PARK, DORCHESTER
NOYES PLAYGROUND, EAST BOSTON
GARVEY PLAYGROUND, DORCHESTER
CASSIDY FIELD, ALLSTON/BRIGHTON
WESTLAND AVENUE GATEWAY, FENWAY
PAUL REVERE MALL, NORTH END

Professional services shall be completed as stated in the “Request For Qualifications” which also outlines project fees. Applicants must be registered Landscape Architects or Engineers in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. The Request For Qualifications will be available for pick up (no mailings will be sent) from the Chief Engineer, Boston Parks and Recreation Department, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, 3rd Floor, Boston, MA 02118 or online at http://www.cityofboston.gov/procurement/special. For further information, please call NATHAN FRAZEE, Project Manager, at 617-961-3167 and refer to this advertisement. The “Request For Qualifications” will be available for pick up as of MONDAY, JULY 11, 2016 and must be returned no later than 2:00 P.M. on THURSDAY, AUGUST 4, 2016.

Christopher Cook,
Commissioner

(7/11/16)

ADVERTISEMENT
CITY OF BOSTON
PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Invitation for Bids for: Street Tree Removal
City-Wide, Boston, MA – 2016-2019
NOTE: For information specific to this particular bid, please contact Greg Mosman, @ 617-635-7374

The City of Boston, acting by the Parks Commission, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury, MA 02118, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, hereby invites sealed bids for the project listed above.

Bids shall be on a form supplied by the Parks and Recreation Department, shall be clearly identified as a bid and signed by the bidder. All bids for this project are subject to all applicable provisions of law and in accordance with the terms and provisions of the contract documents entitled: SAME AS ABOVE

SCOPE OF WORK includes: Furnishing all labor, materials and equipment necessary for tree removal and stump removal in the City of Boston.

Estimated cost of contract is $1,100,000.00 (contract term three years)

Bids shall be submitted before 2:00 P.M., Boston time, Thursday, July 28, 2016, and opened forthwith and read aloud. Bids shall be filed with the Awarding Authority, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, Third floor, Roxbury, MA 02118, accompanied by the bid deposit previous to the time named for opening of bid. The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informality, or to reject any and all bids, if it be in the Public Interest to do so.

SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS will be available on or about Monday, July 11, 2016, after 9:00 A.M., Boston time, at the Parks and Recreation Department to all interested parties.

BIDDERS are hereby notified that bid deposits must be 5 percent of his/her bid, and shall be in the form of a bid bond, or certified check, treasurer's check, or cashier's check, bid bond of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner made payable to the City of Boston.

ATTENTION TO ALL BIDDERS: The work force requirement (employee man-hour ratios per trade) for this contract are as follows: Minority, 25 percent; Boston Resident, 50 percent; and Female, 10 percent.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen's Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter.Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner and in the sum of 100 percent of the contract price, as well as certain public liability and property damage insurance, will be required of the successful general contractor.

Prospective bidders are requested to attend a pre-bid conference in the Design & Construction Conference Room, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury, MA 02118 on Tuesday, July 19, 2016, at 10:00 A.M. Boston time. Christopher Cook, Commissioner
(July 11 & 18, 2016)

ADVERTISEMENT
CITY OF BOSTON
PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Invitation for Bids for: IMPROVEMENTS TO MEDAL OF HONOR PARK, SOUTH BOSTON, MA

NOTE: For information specific to this particular bid, please contact Michele Folts, @ 617-961-3025.

The City of Boston, acting by the Parks Commission, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury, MA 02118, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, hereby invites sealed bids for the project listed above.

Bids shall be on a form supplied by the Parks and Recreation Department, shall be clearly identified as a bid and signed by the bidder. All bids for this project are subject to all applicable provisions of law and in accordance with the terms and provisions of the contract documents entitled: SAME AS ABOVE

SCOPE OF WORK includes: Furnishing all labor, materials and equipment necessary to improve play area, safety surfacing, site furnishings, infrastructure and utility upgrades, streetscape improvements including ornamental fencing, pathway and lawn rejuvenation.

Estimated cost of contract is $1,300,000.00

Bids shall be submitted before 2:00 P.M., Boston time, Thursday, July 28, 2016, and opened forthwith and read aloud. Bids shall be filed with the Awarding Authority, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, third floor, Roxbury, MA 02118, accompanied by the bid deposit previous to the time named for opening of bid. The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informality, or to reject any and all bids, if it be in the Public Interest to do so.

SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS will be available on or about Monday July 11, 2016, after 9:00 A.M., Boston time, at the Parks and Recreation Department to all interested parties.

BIDDERS are hereby notified that bid deposits must be 5 percent of his/her bid, and shall be in the form of a bid bond, or certified check, treasurer’s check, or cashier’s check, bid bond of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner made payable to the City of Boston.

ATTENTION TO ALL BIDDERS: The work force requirement (employee man-hour ratios per trade) for this contract are as follows: Minority, 25 percent; Boston Resident, 50 percent; and Female, 10 percent.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen’s Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter.Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner and in the sum of 100 percent of the contract price, as well as certain public liability and property damage insurance, will be required of the successful general contractor.

Prospective bidders are requested to attend a pre-bid conference in the Design & Construction Conference Room, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury, MA 02118 on Tuesday, July 19, 2016, at 10:00 A.M. Boston time. Christopher Cook, Commissioner
(July 11 & 18, 2016)

ADVERTISEMENT
CITY OF BOSTON
PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Invitation for Bids for: GEORGE WRIGHT GOLF COURSE, HYDE PARK, MA WILLIAM DEVINE GOLF COURSE, DORCHESTER, MA

NOTE: For information specific to this particular bid, please contact Allison Perlman, @ 617-635-4505

The City of Boston, acting by the Parks Commission, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury, MA 02118, hereinafter referred to as the Awarding Authority, hereby invites sealed bids for the project listed above.

Bids shall be on a form supplied by the Parks and Recreation Department shall be clearly identified as a bid and signed by the bidder. All bids for this project are subject to all applicable provisions of law and in accordance with the terms and provisions of the contract documents entitled: SAME AS ABOVE

SCOPE OF WORK includes: Furnishing all labor, materials and equipment necessary for renovation and re-grading of various tees, bunkers, greens and other miscellaneous golf course features. Work to include but is not limited to fill, grading, drainage, sod, irrigation, pathways and landscaping.

Estimated cost of contract is $225,000

Bids shall be submitted before 2:00 P.M., Boston time, Thursday, July 28, 2016, and opened forthwith and read aloud. Bids shall be filed with the Awarding Authority, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, third floor, Roxbury, MA 02118, accompanied by the bid deposit previous to the time named for opening of bid. The Awarding Authority reserves the right to waive any informality, or to reject any and all bids, if it be in the
the Public Interest to do so.

SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS will be available on or about Monday, July 11, 2016, after 9:00 A.M., Boston time, at the Parks and Recreation Department to all interested parties who present a non-refundable $100.00 certified bank check or money order, payable to the City of Boston for each set (no mailings will be sent).

BIDDERS are hereby notified that bid deposits must be 5 percent of his/her bid, and shall be in the form of a bid bond, or certified check, treasurer’s check, or cashier’s check, bid bond of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner made payable to the City of Boston.

ATTENTION TO ALL BIDDERS The work force requirement (employee man-hour ratios per trade) for this contract are as follows: Minority, 25 percent; Boston Resident, 50 percent; and Female, 10 percent.

The successful bidder will be required to provide by insurance for the payment of compensation and the furnishing of other benefits under the Workmen’s Compensation Law, General Laws (Ter.Ed.), chapter 152, to all persons to be employed under the contract, and sufficient proof of compliance with the foregoing stipulation will be required before commencing performance of this contract.

A performance bond and also a labor and materials or payment bond, each of a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Commissioner and in the sum of 100 percent of the contract price, as well as certain public liability and property damage insurance, will be required of the successful general contractor.

Prospective bidders are requested to attend a pre-bid conference in the Design & Construction Conference Room, 1010 Massachusetts Avenue, Roxbury, MA 02118 on Tuesday, July 19, 2016, at 10:00 A.M. Boston time.

Christopher Cook, Commissioner
(July 11 & 18, 2016)

Note: For additional information please visit http://www.cityofboston.gov/procurement/ or call Kyron Owens at 617-635-3833.

The City of Boston (“the City”), acting by and through its Commissioner of the Election Department (“the Official”), requests proposals for a qualified firm specializing in advertising, marketing, and/or public relations to assist with developing an Early Voting Marketing Campaign as particularly set forth in the Request for Proposals. The Request for Proposals may be obtained from the City’s purchasing website and Supplier Portal (http://www.cityofboston.gov/procurement/), under Event ID EV00003396 or at 1 City Hall Square, Room 241, Boston, MA, 02201.

Responding to this RFP is voluntary. All costs associated with responding to this RFP, any presentations, and/or demonstrations will be the sole responsibility of the vendor participating in the RFP response.

All proposals shall be submitted in strict compliance with the Request For Proposal (RFP) which may be obtained by visiting http://www.cityofboston.gov/procurement/, on or after 12:00 PM, Boston local time, on Monday July 11, 2016. The RFP will remain available until the date and time of the opening of proposals, on Tuesday July 26, 2016 at 12:00 PM, Boston local time.

The attention of all proposers is directed to the requirements of the Request for Proposals and contract documents, specifically to the requirements for proposal deposits and insurance as may be applicable.

Offerors have the option of submitting proposals through either (i) the City of Boston’s Supplier Portal http://www.cityofboston.gov/procurement/ or (ii) by delivery of two (2) separate sealed envelopes, one containing one copy of the Technical Proposal with (1) marked as the Original, and one (1) electronic copy (thumb drive), labeled as “TECHNICAL PROPOSAL,” and the other containing one copy of the Price Proposal with (1) marked as the Original, and one (1) electronic copy (thumb drive), labeled as “PRICE PROPOSAL.” Under no circumstances shall any price information be included with a Technical Proposal.

If submitting via paper, price and technical proposals shall be submitted separately in sealed, clearly labeled envelopes on or before Tuesday July 26, 2016 at 12:00PM, Boston local time to:

Kyron Owens
City of Boston
Room 241 – Election Department
One City Hall Square
Boston, MA 02201

The Official shall reject late proposals. Failure to submit separate sealed price and technical proposals shall result in disqualification of the entire proposal.
The Official shall not open the proposals publicly, but shall open the technical proposals in the presence of one or more witnesses within twenty-four (24) hours of the above deadline for submission of proposals. The Official may open price proposals later and in any case shall open the price proposals to avoid disclosure to the individuals evaluating the technical proposals.

The term of the contract shall be for three (3) months.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all proposals, or any part or parts thereof, and to award a contract as the Official deems to be in the best interests of the City. This contract shall be subject to the availability of an appropriation therefore, if sufficient funds are not appropriated for the contract in any fiscal year, the Official shall cancel the contract. The maximum time for acceptance of a proposal and the issuance of written notification of award shall be one hundred eighty (180) days. The award of this contract shall be subject to the approval of the Mayor of Boston.

Dion S. Irish,
Commissioner and Chairman

(July 11 & 18, 2016)
Three-year-old Alexander Garcia of East Boston cools down with a dip in the Frog Pond as the wading pool opens for the summer June 24. Hundreds of youngsters and their families attended the event hosted by the Boston Parks and Recreation Department in partnership with The Skating Club of Boston. The celebration featured activities, a raffle, and giveaways provided by HP Hood LLC, DAVIDsTEA, and Polar Beverages. Information on the spray pool and more can be found by visiting www.bostonfrogpond.com.

Two-year Paulie Clark and his mom Dawn beat the summer heat at the June 24 opening of the Frog Pond spray pool on Boston Common. Residents and visitors from as far away as Mexico, Ireland, and Nepal attended the celebration hosted by the Boston Parks and Recreation Department in partnership with The Skating Club of Boston.

Photos: Jon Seamans
CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, May 11, 2016

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Wu in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend Laura Everett, Massachusetts Council of Churches, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT WU

President Wu moved to adopt the minutes from the May 4, 2016 meeting. Motion prevailed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF JOANNA BENCH AALTO AS MEMBER TO AUDIT COMMITTEE FOR FIVE-YEAR TERM ENDING ON JUNE 16, 2021 (DOCKET NO. 0689)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor
May 6, 2016

To the City Council,
Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your confirmation an Order regarding the re-appointment of:

Joanna Bench Aalto
335 Park Street
West Roxbury, MA 02132

as a member of the Audit Committee established by ST. 1982, c.190, § 14, and subject to your confirmation.

I urge your Honorable body to pass this Order.

Sincerely,
Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDERED: That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 190, § 14 of the Acts of 1982, the appointment of:

Joanna Bench Aalto
335 Park Street
West Roxbury, MA 02132

as a member of the Audit Committee for a five year term expiring on June 16, 2021 be and the same hereby is approved.

The rules were suspended; the appointment was confirmed.

JITNEY APPLICATION
(DOCKET NO. 0690)

Petition of Dattco Transportation, for a license to operate motor vehicles for the carriage of passengers for hire over certain streets in Boston.

Referred to the Committee on Parks, Recreation and Transportation.

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILORS LINEHAN & WU REGARDING URBAN RENEWAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN CITY COUNCIL AND THE BOSTON REDEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (DOCKET NO. 0691)

Communication from Councilors Linehan & Wu regarding the Urban Renewal agreement between the City Council and the Boston Redevelopment Authority.

Placed on file.

APPROVAL OF CONSTABLE’S BONDS (DOCKET NO. 0692)

The Constable Bonds of the following having been duly approved by the Collector-Treasurer, were received and approved under the usual terms and conditions:

Carroll Allston
Cheryl Atkins
Stephen Batres
Paul Burns
James Buttiglieri
Francis Cappuccio
Sheila Cavaleri
Robert Chan
Lesley Christos
John Connors
Carol Conroy
John G. Consolo
Edward Cronin
James L. Darby
Sheila Darby
Deborah DiGirolamo
Charles Donovan
Stephanie Ellis
Iris Figueroa
Jason Grant
Joshua Handley
Regina Hanson
Peter Kenny
Daniel F. Long
Christopher McNally
Paul Nally Jr.
Grismaldy Nova
Brian Oliveri
Leonard Puccia
Julia Scott
Patricia Sheets
Michael Slavin
Yolanda Thomas
George White
Terrance Yancey

Communication was received from the City Clerk of the filing by the Boston Redevelopment Authority of the Report and Decision on the Application on the Cote Village Chapter 121A Project.”

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR (DOCKET NO. 0694)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Natalicia Tracy, as a Member of the Living Wage
Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0695)
Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Robert Gallery, as a Member of the Boston Public Library Board of Trustees, for a term expiring May 1, 2021.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR
(DOCKET NO. 0696)
Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Evelyn Arana-Ortiz, as a Member of the Boston Public Library Board of Trustees, for a term expiring May 1, 2021.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF APRIL 13, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 0261)
The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk
May 9, 2016
To the City Council.
Councillors:

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 April 13, 2016 viz.

0565 Order authorizing the Mayor's Office of Arts and Culture to accept and expend funds totaling Twelve Thousand Dollars ($12,000.00) from The Americans for the Arts to support an economic prosperity study of the Boston's Art community. Approved by the Mayor April 15, 2016

0566 Order authorizing the Animal Care & Control Department to accept and expend a grant of One Hundred Fifty Dollars ($1,250.00) from the American Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals to fund the expenses of the Dogs Rescued from the Javier Dog Fighting Case. Approved by the Mayor April 15, 2016

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.
Placed on file.

REPORT ON ORDER ACCEPTING PROVISIONS OF MASSACHUSETTS COMMUNITY PRESERVATION ACT (DOCKET NO. 0272)
Councilor FLAHERTY, on behalf of the Committee on Government Operations, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0272, to which was referred on February 10, 2016 Docket #0272, order accepting the provisions of the Massachusetts Community Preservation Act (referred February 10) - submits a report recommending passage of the order.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed; yeas 12, nays 1:

Y eas - Councilors Baker, Campbell, Ciommo, Esaibi-George, Flaherty, Jackson, LaMattina, O'Malley, McCarthy, Pressley, Zakim -12.

Nays - Councilor Linehan - 1.

ORDERS FOR FY17 OPERATING BUDGET INCLUDING ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND TAX ORDER, ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT AND APPROPRIATION FOR OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (OPEB) (DOCKET NOS. 0525-0532)
This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDERS FOR FY17 CAPITAL BUDGET INCLUDING LOAN ORDERS, AND LEASE AND PURCHASE AGREEMENTS (DOCKET NOS. 0534-0543)
This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and Means.

ORDER FOR HEARING TO DISCUSS BOSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS' SOCIAL STUDIES AND HISTORY CLASS OFFERINGS (DOCKET NO. 0583)
Councilor JACKSON, on behalf of the Committee on Education, submitted the following:

Report on Docket No. 0583, order for hearing to discuss Boston Public Schools' Social Studies and History Class Offerings (referred April 13) - recommending the order be placed on file.

The report was accepted; the order was placed on file.

ORDER AUTHORIZING BOSTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ACADEMY TO RE-ESTABLISH IN AC-
Cordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 Revolving Fund to Accept from Fund Up to Maximum of $100,000 to Fund Fiscal Year 2017 to Support Boston Fire Department’s Participation in Detection, Cleanup and Containment of Hazardous Material Release (Docket No. 0555)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Order Authorizing Boston Fire Academy to Re-establish in Accordance with General Law Chapter 44, Section 53E 1/2 Revolving Fund to Accept from Fund Up to Maximum of $100,000 to Fund Fiscal Year 2017 to Support Training Programs for Firefighters from Non-City of Boston Fire Agencies. Academy Will Charge Participating Outside Agencies Tuition for Each Firefighter Recruit They Send to Academy (Docket No. 0556)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Ordinance Establishing Language and Communications Access for City Services (Docket No. 0412)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Government Operations.

Order for Hearing to Review Boston Public School’s Strategic Partnership Contracts (Docket No. 0386)

This matter which was recently heard for possible action was remanded back to the Committee on Education.

Order That Rule 34 of 2016-2017 City Council Rules Be Suspended on May 18, 2016 in Order to Have Meeting on Committee on Education (Docket No. 0700)

Councilor Jackson offered the following:

ORDERED: That the section of Rule 34 of the 2016-2017 Rules of the Boston City Council prohibiting committees from holding hearings on the day of any regular meeting of the Council be suspended on Wednesday, May 18th 2016 in order to have a hearing of the Committee on Education on Docket #0484, Order for a hearing regarding the use of water fountains in Boston Public Schools.

On motion of Councilor Jackson, the rules were suspended; the order was passed.

Appointment of Temporary Employees (Docket No. 0701)

Councilor WU offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 14, 2016 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 20, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Sean Cheatum, Secretary, $3,576.93, full time
Caroline Kimball-Katz, Secretary, $6,673.08, full time
Elizabeth J. Pimentel, Secretary, $3,085.96, full time
Leila Quinn, Administrative Asst., $4,865.39, full time
Juwan Skeens, Secretary, $4,865.39, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Appointment of Temporary Employees (Docket No. 0702)

Councilor WU offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 21, 2016 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 3, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Sean Cheatum, Secretary, $1,153.86, full time
Caroline Kimball-Katz, Secretary, $1,346.16, full time
Elizabeth J. Pimentel, Secretary, $2,115.38, full time
Leila Quinn, Administrative Asst., $1,730.78, full time
Juwan Skeens, Secretary, $1,153.86, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

Late-Filed Matters

The Chair stated that in absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matters were added:

Order for Hearing Re: Ban of Sale of Hoverboards in City of Boston (Docket No. 0732)

Councilors McCarthy, Lamattina, Jackson, Linehan, Ciommo, Essaibi-George and Flaherty offered the following:

WHEREAS, The Hoverboard is the latest craze to hit the market and since Hoverboards have been available for sale there has been much concern regarding the safety of this product. There have been multiple reports of fires, explosions, accidents and injuries associated with the device, the latest fire taking place in the North End of Boston. And
WHEREAS, In addition to injuries related to fire and explosions, emergency room visits have soared with injuries that include fractures, sprains, concussions, organ injury and head injuries. And
WHEREAS, The Consumer Product Safety Commission has opened a “priority investigation” investigating dozens of fires and explosions involving Hoverboards.
And WHEREAS, There are currently no uniform safety standards for this product to protect consumers. And WHEREAS, Hoverboards have been banned by major airlines, colleges and universities and on New York City streets and subways. And WHEREAS, The City of Boston currently regulates Segways to protect citizens from accident or injury and should provide the same protection regarding Hoverboards.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED, That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council hold a hearing to discuss a ban on the sale or restricted use of Hoverboards in the City of Boston. The Mayor’s Office, the Inspectio nal Services Dept., the Boston Public Health Commission and other interested parties will be invited to attend.

Referred to the Committee on Parks, Recreation and Transportation.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: PROPOSED MINOR MODIFICATION TO SOUTH END URBAN RENEWAL PLAN, PROJECT NO. MASS. R-56, WITH RESPECT TO PARCEL 48B (DOCKET NO. 0733)

Councilors BAKER and LINEHAN offered the following:

ORDERED: That the appropriate committee of the Boston City Council shall hold a hearing to examine the Boston Redevelopment Authority’s proposal to adopt a minor modification to the South End Urban Renewal Plan, to assist the construction of a mixed-use project on Parcel 48B, the present location of the Flower Exchange; and Be It Further

ORDERED: That Representative from the City of Boston, residents of the city, and other interested parties shall be invited to attend and testify.

Referred to the Committee on Planning and Development.

ORDER FOR HEARING RE: OUR PARTNERS IN FIGHT AGAINST SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS (DOCKET NO. 0483)

Councilor ESSAIBI-GEORGE called Docket No, 0483 from the Committee on Homelessness, Mental Health and Recovery, Hearing no objection, the matter was before the body,

Referred to the Committee on Homelessness, Mental Health and Recovery.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of Consent Agenda in which the following named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature after each Councilor’s name:

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Paul A. Cedrone (Docket No. 0703) Councilor Wu: In memory of Anne M. Lynch (Docket No. 0704)

Councilor Ciommo: Congratulating five people and organizations for receiving of the 2016 Allston and Brighton Boards of Trade Award recipients (Docket No. 0705) Councilors Linehan and Flaherty: In memory of Erin M. McDonough (Docket No. 0706)


Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Thelma D. Burns (Docket No. 0731)

The matters combined within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:00 p.m. on motion of President Wu and in memory of Maureen Griffin, Joan Lenane, Antonio “Tony” Arena, Anthony Desimone, Francis M. Gaeta and Helen McDonough, to meet again on Wednesday, May 18, 2016.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.


CITY OF BOSTON

Proceedings of the Boston City Council

Wednesday, May 18, 2016

Regular meeting of the City Council held in the Christopher A. Iannella Chamber, City Hall, at 12:10 p.m. President Wu in the Chair.

INVOCATION

Reverend John R. Carroll, St. John Chrysostom, delivered the invocation, and the meeting was opened with the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILORS CAMPBELL AND MCCARTHY

Councilors CAMPBELL and MCCARTHY presented resolutions to Boston’s finest EMTs in celebration of EMS Week in the City of Boston.

PRESENTATION BY COUNCILOR ESSAIBI-GEORGE

Councilors ESSAIBI-GEORGE presented a resolution to Jacquelyn Lamont and Mattie DiCola from the Now You See Me Series that shares the stories of many courageous children who have experienced trauma and have told their stories regardless of the pain and consequences.

STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT WU

President WU moved to adopt the minutes from the May 11, 2016 meeting. Motion prevailed.

ORDINANCE AMENDING CBC ORDINANCES, AMENDMENTS TO SECTION 12-3.5 OF CHAPTER XII OF CITY OF BOSTON MUNICIPAL CODE EXTENDING SENIOR CITIZEN PROPERTY TAX WORK-OFF ABATEMENT FOR PERIOD OF FIVE (5) YEARS AND MAKING CHANGES TO PROGRAM QUALIFICATIONS (DOCKET NO. 0734)

The following was received: City of Boston Office of the Mayor

May 13, 2016

To the City Council.

Dear Councilors:

I hereby transmit for your approval an Order authorizing amendments to Section 12-3.5 of Chapter XII of the City of Boston Municipal Code extending the Senior Citizen Property Tax Work-Off Abatement for a period of five (5) years and making changes to program qualifications. Adoption of this Order will accomplish the following:

- Extends the Senior Citizen Property Tax Work-Off Abatement for five (5) more years, until Fiscal Year 2021. Per City ordinance, the Work-Off program requires a vote of the City Council to extend the program beyond Fiscal Year 2016.
- Increases the maximum number of participants from 50 to 100 to accommodate the growing trend in program participation.
- Increases the qualifying income limits to $40,000 for single filers and $55,000 for married filers, up from $30,000 and $45,000, respectively. These income limits are consistent with limits maintained by neighboring cities and towns.
- Allows program participants to begin their volunteer work with the City as early as the first business day of the calendar year. Previously, participants were unable to begin their volunteer work until after July 1 of the fiscal year at issue. Extending the volunteer period is expected to result in more volunteer opportunities for qualified applicants.

I urge your Honorable Body to adopt this Order as soon as possible so that the City of Boston may continue to offer this important program to eligible Boston seniors.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER TO EXTEND THE SENIOR CITIZEN PROPERTY TAX WORK-OFF ABATEMENT IN THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Whereas, Housing costs for most City of Boston residents continue to rise, representing a particular burden for senior taxpayers who subsist on fixed incomes.

Whereas, In March 2006, Mayor Thomas Menino and the City Council passed a local option—the Senior Citizen Property Tax Work-Off Abatement—to allow residents age 60 plus to earn a property tax deduction in exchange for volunteer services for the City.

Whereas, In July 2009, Mayor Menino and the Boston City Council increased the Senior Citizen Property Tax Work-Off Abatement amount from $750 to $1,000, the maximum allowable amount, per Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 59, Section 5k, as amended by Section 24 of Chapter 27 of the Acts of 2009;

Whereas, According to Section 12-3.5(k) of Chapter XII of the City of Boston Municipal Code, the provisions of the Senior Citizen Property Tax Work-Off Abatement will expire on June 30, 2016, and therefore requires extension by the City Council;

NOW THEREFORE,

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

ORDERED: City of Boston Municipal Code Chapter XII, Section 12-3.5, is hereby amended as follows:

SECTION 1. In Section e(1), “a participant must (i) be over sixty (60) years of age” is replaced by “a participant must (i) be over sixty (60) years of age as of the January 1 preceding the start of the fiscal year at issue”.

SECTION 2. In Section e(1), “seven hundred fifty ($750.00)” is replaced by “one thousand ($1,000.00)”.

SECTION 3. Section e(2) is removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

“The number of participants shall be limited to one hundred (100) through fiscal year 2021. The maximum number of participants may be amended by written order of the Commission subsequent to permanent adoption of these sections.

SECTION 4. In Section e(3), “thirty thousand ($30,000.00)” and “forty-five thousand ($45,000)” are replaced by “forty thousand ($40,000.00)” and “fifty-five thousand ($55,000.00)”, respectively.

SECTION 5. In Section e(3), the last sentence is re-
moved in its entirety.

SECTION 6. Section k is removed in its entirety and replaced with the following:

“In accordance with M.G.L. Chapter 59, Section SK, as amended, the Senior Citizen Property Tax Work-Off Abatement is hereby adopted for a period of five (5) years, terminating at the close of Fiscal Year 2021 (i.e. June 30, 2021), but may be extended upon the approval of the Mayor of the City of Boston and the City Council which shall be supplied no sooner than September 1, 2020, and no later than December 31, 2020.”

Referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF DAVID MARR AS MEMBER TO ZONING COMMISSION FOR TERM ENDING ON MAY 1, 2017 (DOCKET NO. 0735)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 6, 2016

To the City Council.

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith and for approval by your Honorable Body the reappointment of David Marr, 881 East Second Street, Boston, as a member of the Zoning Commission, for a term ending May 1, 2017. I am reappointing Mr. Marr pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 461 of the Acts of 1993, and subject to your confirmation.

This member serves as a nominee of the Building Trades Employers Association.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER TO CONFIRM THE REAPPOINTMENT OF DAVID MARR TO THE ZONING COMMISSION FOR A TERM EXPIRING MAY 1, 2017

ORDERED: That the reappointment of David Marr, residing at 881 East Second Street, Boston, to the Zoning Commission, for a term ending May 1, 2017, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

The rules were suspended; the appointment was confirmed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF RE-APPOINTMENT OF JAY HURLEY AS MEMBER OF ZONING COMMISSION FOR TERM ENDING MAY 1, 2019 (DOCKET NO. 0736)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 6, 2016

To the City Council.

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith and for approval by your Honorable Body the reappointment of Jay Hurley, 3 Hart Place, Boston, as a member of the Zoning Commission, for a term ending May 1, 2019. I am reappointing Mr. Hurley pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 461 of the Acts of 1993, and subject to your confirmation.

This member serves as a nominee of the AFL-CIO.

I urge your Honorable Body to pass this order.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER TO CONFIRM THE RE-APPOINTMENT OF JAY HURLEY TO THE ZONING COMMISSION FOR A TERM EXPIRING MAY 1, 2019

ORDERED: That the reappointment of Jay Hurley, residing at 3 Hart Place, Boston, to the Zoning Commission, for a term ending May 1, 2019, be, and hereby is, confirmed.

The rules were suspended; the appointment was confirmed.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF DR. JOSEPH BETANCOURT AS MEMBER OF BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION’S BOARD OF HEALTH TERM ENDING JANUARY 1, 2018 (DOCKET NO. 0737)

The following was received:

City of Boston
Office of the Mayor

May 13, 2016

To the City Council.

Dear Councilors:

Pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147, § 3(b), I transmit herewith and for approval by your Honorable Body the reappointment of Dr. Joseph Betancourt of 46 William Street, Cambridge, MA as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission’s Board of Health.

Dr. Betancourt shall serve out the remainder of the term of Dr. Paula Johnson, who has stepped down. This term shall expire on January 1, 2018.

I am appointing Dr. Betancourt to the Member position pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 147 of the Acts of 1995. Dr. Betancourt is an at-large appointee of the Mayor.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Dr. Betancourt as a member of Boston’s Board of Health.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

ORDER FOR CONFIRMATION OF THE APPOINTMENT OF DR. JOSEPH BETANCOURT AS A BOARD MEMBER OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147 § 3(b), the appointment of Joseph Betancourt of 46 William Street Cambridge, MA, as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission’s Board of Health.

Dr. Betancourt shall serve out the remainder of the term of Dr. Paula Johnson, who has stepped down. This term shall expire on January 1, 2018.

I am appointing Dr. Betancourt to the Member position pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 147 of the Acts of 1995. Dr. Betancourt is an at-large appointee of the Mayor.

I urge your Honorable Body to act favorably on the appointment of Dr. Betancourt as a member of Boston’s Board of Health.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh,
Mayor of Boston.

AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE APPOINTMENT OF JOSEPH BETANCOURT AS A BOARD MEMBER OF THE BOSTON PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION

ORDERED: That, pursuant to St. 1995, c. 147 § 3(b), the appointment of Joseph Betancourt of 46 William Street Cambridge, MA, as a member of the Boston Public Health Commission for a term expiring January 1, 2018, filling an unexpired term, be, and hereby is, approved.

The rules were suspended; the appointment was confirmed.

COMMUNICATION FROM COUNCILOR CAMPBELL REGARDING BOSTON POLICE DEPART-
The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk
May 13, 2016

To the City Council.
Councillors:

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 April 27, 2016 viz.

0440 Message and order authorizing the City of Boston Transportation Department to accept and expend a grant of Five Hundred Twenty-Five Thousand Dollars ($525,000.00) from the Barr Foundation to support the City’s efforts to locate new bike share stations in Roxbury and Dorchester and to develop a long-term business plan for bike share in Boston.
Approved by the Mayor May 2, 2016

0467 Message and order approving an appropriation of Six Hundred Sixty Three Thousand Nine Hundred Fifty Dollars ($663,950.00) from the Edward Ingersoll Browne Fund for projects that will ornament the City’s streets, ways, squares and parks.
Approved by the Mayor May 2, 2016

0481 Home Rule Petition for a Special Law Re: An Act Concerning Speed Limits in the City of Boston.
Approved by the Mayor May 11, 2016

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

NOTICE RECEIVED FROM CITY CLERK IN ACCORDANCE WITH CHAPTER 6 OF ORDINANCES OF 1979 RE: ACTION TAKEN BY MAYOR ON PAPERS ACTED UPON BY CITY COUNCIL AT ITS MEETING OF APRIL 27, 2016 (DOCKET NO. 0740)

The following was received:
City of Boston
Office of the City Clerk
May 13, 2016

To the City Council.
Councillors:

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 April 27, 2016 viz.

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Approved by the Mayor May 2, 2016

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Approved by the Mayor May 11, 2016

Respectfully,
Maureen Feeney,
City Clerk.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR (DOCKET NO. 0741)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Francis Doyle, as Chairperson of the Boston Public Health Commission’s Board of Health.

Placed on file.

APPOINTMENT BY THE MAYOR (DOCKET NO. 0742)

Notice was received from the Mayor of the appointment of Ben Bradlee, as a Member of the Boston Public Library Board of trustees, for a term expiring
REPORT ON ORDER Authorizing Inspec-
tion was remanded back to the
Orders for FY17 Capital Budget In-
cluding Annual Appropriation and
Tax Order, Annual Appropriation for
School Department and Appropri-
ation for Other Post-Employment Ben-
efits (OPEB) (Docket No. 0534-0543)

This matter which was recently heard for possible ac-
tion was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and
Means.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING LATER HIGH
School Start Times in Boston Public
Schools (Docket No. 0745)

Councilors Essaibi-George, O’Malley,
Pressley, Linehan, Zakim, Campbell, Ci-
ommo, Wu, Lamattina, Jackson and Baker
offered the following:

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING W ATER
TRANSPORTATION IN CITY OF BOSTON
(DOCKET NO. 0744)

Councilors Linehan, Lamattina, Baker, Ci-
ommo, McCarthy and Wu offered the following:

ORDER TO SUSPEND RULE 34 OF 2016-2017 RULES
OF BOSTON CITY COUNCIL (DOCKET NO.
0743)

Councilor Campbell offered the following:

ORDERED: That the section of Rule 34 of the 2016-
2017 Rules of the Boston City Council prohibiting com-
mittees from holding hearings on the day of any regular
meeting of the Council to be suspended on Wednesday,
June 8, 2016 in order to have a hearing of the Committee
on Public Safety & Criminal Justice on Docket #0356,
Order for a hearing to review the Boston Police Depart-
ment’s proposed body-worn camera pilot program.

The rules were suspended; the order was passed.

ORDER FOR HEARING REGARDING TRAFFIC
CALMING MEASURES AND VISION ZERO
BOSTON PROGRAM (DOCKET NO. 0509)

This matter which was recently heard for possible ac-
tion was remanded back to the Committee on Parks,
Recreation and Transportation.

ORDER TO SUSPEND RULE 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM
OF $300,000 TO FUND FISCAL YEAR 2017 TO
REIMBURSE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE COST
TO THOSE CITY AGENCIES WHICH ENFORCE
CBC CHAPTER 16 SECTION 1.9 AND 1.9B,
AND FOR COST ASSOCIATED WITH LICENS-
ING AND REGISTRATION (DOCKET NO. 0549)

This matter which was recently heard for possible ac-
tion was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and
Means.

ORDERS FOR FY17 OPERATING BUDGET IN-
CLUDING ANNUAL APPROPRIATION AND
TAX ORDER, ANNUAL APPROPRIATION FOR
SCHOOL DEPARTMENT AND APPROPRIA-
TION FOR OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BEN-
EFITS (OPEB) (DOCKET NOS. 0525-0532)

This matter which was recently heard for possible ac-
tion was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and
Means.

ORDERS FOR FY17 CAPITAL BUDGET INCLUDING
LOAN ORDERS, AND LEASE AND PURCHASE
AGREEMENTS (DOCKET NOS. 0534-0543)

This matter which was recently heard for possible ac-
tion was remanded back to the Committee on Ways and
Means.

REPORT ON ORDER AUTHORIZING INSPEC-
tIONAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT, ANIMAL
CONTROL, UNIT TO RE-ESTABLISH IN AC-
CORDANCE WITH GENERAL LA W CHAP-
TER 44, SECTION 53E 1/2 REVOLVING FUND TO ACCEPT FROM FUND UP TO MAXIMUM
WHEREAS: Insufficient sleep is unhealthy and dangerous for adolescents, and it is scientifically proven to cause low grades, obesity, depression, suicidal thoughts, and car crashes; and

WHEREAS: The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends 8.5 to 9.5 hours of sleep for adolescents in order to be mentally, physically, and emotionally well-rested; and

WHEREAS: The American Academy of Pediatrics suggests that high schools begin at 8:30 am in order for adolescents to be in sync with their sleep-wake cycles; and

WHEREAS: Boston Public High Schools start times range from 7:20 am to 9:30 am, with 15 of 33 Boston Public High Schools starting before 7:30am and 27 out of 33 schools starting before 8:30 am; and

WHEREAS: With the exception of special education students, Boston does not provide its high school students with transportation to school. Many students rely on public transportation to get to school, the distance affecting the time a student must get up in the morning - often times before dawn - in order to get to school on time; and

WHEREAS: The city of Boston has a moral obligation to the health and well-being of all Boston Public School students; THEREFORE, BE IT

ORDERED: The appropriate committee of the Boston City Council holds a hearing to examine the possibility of changing the start time for all Boston Public High Schools.

Referred to the Committee on Education.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES

(DOCKET NO. 0746)

President WU offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 14, 2016 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 3, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Kara Nagle, Secretary, $803.60, part time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES

(DOCKET NO. 0747)

President WU offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 21, 2016 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, May 27, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Ivon Alvarez, Secretary, $1,516.44, part time
John Henry Cohen, Secretary, $2,177.90, full time
Annie Qin, Administrative Asst., $1,956.75, full time
David Vittorini, Secretary, $2,225.98, full time
Sophia Wang, Secretary, $1,975.98, full time
Gary Webster, Secretary, $2,153.86, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

APPOINTMENT OF TEMPORARY EMPLOYEES

(DOCKET NO. 0748)

President WU offered the following:

ORDERED: That effective Saturday, May 28, 2016 the following named person be, and hereby is, appointed to the position set against their name until Friday, June 3, 2016:

BiWeekly Payroll:
Ivon Alvarez, Secretary, $696.32, part time
John Henry Cohen, Secretary, $2,019.24, full time
Annie Qin, Administrative Asst., $1,576.94, full time
David Vittorini, Secretary, $2,115.40, full time
Sophia Wang, Secretary, $1,615.40, full time
Gary Webster, Secretary, $1,971.16, full time

Passed under suspension of the rules.

CONSENT AGENDA

The Chair moved adoption of a Consent Agenda in which the following-named Councilors offered resolutions of a condolence or congratulatory nature as set forth after each Councilor's name:


Councilor O'Malley: Recognizing Bill “Mr. J.” Jacob (Docket No. 0754)

Councilor McCarthy: Recognizing Christopher Bretz Frattaroli (Docket No. 0755)

Councilor Baker: Congratulating Kate Brandley (Docket No. 0756)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Antonio “Tony” Arena (Docket No. 0757)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Minister Ronnie Vanderhorts (Docket No. 0758) Recognizing Elder Fred Patsaw (Docket No. 0759)

Councilor Flaherty: Recognizing LULAC National President Roger C. Rocha, Jr. (Docket No. 0760)

Councilor Jackson: Recognizing Dr. Pipier Smith-Mumford (Docket No. 0761)

Councilor Baker: Recognizing Dr. Ruth Williams-Frick (Docket No. 0762)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of Barbara Ann Banks (Docket No. 0763)

Councilors Campbell and McCarthy: Recognizing Emergency Medical Service Appreciation Week (Docket No. 0764)

Councilor Campbell: Congratulating Joyce M. Bailey (Docket No. 0765) Congratulating Dr. Paul McLean (Docket No. 0766) Congratulating Martin Greaves (Docket No. 0767)

Councilor LaMattina: In memory of Anthony Desimone (Docket No. 0768) In memory of Helen McDonough (Docket No. 0769) In memory of Francis M. Gaeta (Docket No. 0770) Recognizing Billy Evers (Docket No. 0771)

Councilor O'Malley: Congratulating Robert J. MacGregor (Docket No. 0772) In memory of Anita P. Carlson (Docket No. 0773) In memory of John “Jack” Cosgrove (Docket No. 0774)

Councilor LaMattina: Recognizing twelve people for winning the East Boston Adult Education Coalition Award (Docket No. 0775)

Councilor Campbell: Recognizing Mary Green (Docket No. 0776)

Councilor Ciommo: In memory of mary Jacqueline Panzica (Docket No. 0777)

Councilors McCarthy, Jackson, Pressley, Campbell, Flaherty, Essaibi-George and Wu: Congratulating Yves Damberville (Docket No. 0778)

The Chair stated that in the absence of objection, two late-filed matters would be added to the Consent Agenda.

No objection being heard, the following matter was added:

Councilor Essaibi-George: Recognizing Jacquelyn Lamont (Docket No. 0779) Recognizing Mattie DiCola (Docket No. 0780)
The matters contained within the Consent Agenda were severally adopted.

NEXT MEETING

Adjourned at 1:25 p.m. on motion of President Wu and in memory of Kevin Callahan, Josefa Rosa Sabater, Mary Jacqueline Panzica, Dominic A. Coppola, Douglas Knott, Maureen “Renee” O’Malley, Louis St. Gelais, Christopher Thomas, David Dahlstrom and Patricia O’Donnell, to meet again on Wednesday, May 25, 2016 at 12 noon.

Note: All debate of City Council eliminated from proceedings in accordance with Chapter 447, Acts of 1947.
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