

MARTIN J. WALSH MAYOR

April 6, 2020

TO THE CITY COUNCIL

Dear Councilors:

I transmit herewith for your approval an order appropriating from the income of the 21st Century Fund, also known as the Public, Educational, or Governmental (PEG) Access and Cable Related Fund.

Pursuant to Section 53F 3/4 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws, the funds may be used to support PEG access services, to monitor compliance with the cable franchise agreement, and for preparation of renewal of the franchise license.

 $\,$ I respectfully request your favorable action on the FY21 appropriation for the 21st Century Fund.

Sincerely,

Martin J. Walsh Mayor of Boston

CITY OF BOSTON IN CITY COUNCIL

ORDERED:

That the sum of four million, four hundred thousand dollars (\$4,400,000) be and the same hereby is appropriated as follows, said sum to be met from available funds in the PEG Access and Cable Related Fund pursuant to Section 53F 3/4 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and the same is hereby appropriated to the PEG Access and Cable Related Grant for cable related purposes consistent with the franchise agreement between the cable operator and the city, including but not limited to: (i) supporting public, educational or governmental access cable television services; (ii) monitoring compliance of cable operator with the franchise agreement; or (iii) preparation of renewal of the franchise license.

PEG Access and Cable Related Funds

\$4,400,000

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING, IF PASSED IN THE ABOVE FORM, WILL BE IN

ACCORDANCE WITH LAW.

EUGENEZ. O'FLAHERTY CORPORATION COUNSEL