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COMMITTEE HEARING NOTICE

March 11, 2026

The Boston City Council's Committee on Civil Rights, Racial Equity, and Immigrant Advancement will hold a hearing on **Tuesday, April 7, 2026 at 2:00 pm** in the **Iannella Chamber, 5th Floor, Boston City Hall**.

The subject of the hearing is:

Docket #0299, Order for a hearing to confront the termination of federal protected status for Haitian immigrants and examine the City of Boston's response to protect affected residents.

This matter was sponsored by Councilors Miniard Culpepper, Julia M. Mejia and Ruthzee Louijeune, and was referred to the Committee on February 4, 2026.

Docket #0328, Order for a hearing on a scalable funding model for an immigrant Emergency Response Fund.

This matter was sponsored by Councilors Ruthzee Louijeune, Liz Breadon and Enrique Pepén and was referred to the Committee on February 11, 2026.

NOTICE: The Boston City Council may have a quorum in attendance due to standing committees of the City Council consisting of both voting and non-voting members. However, members attending this duly posted meeting are participating and deliberating only in conjunction with the business of the standing committee.

Public Testimony Members of the public are cordially invited to attend and testify in person or virtually. Those wishing to testify in person should arrive five (5) minutes before the call of the hearing to sign up. Please bring fifteen (15) copies of any written documentation you wish to present at the hearing. **Those wishing to testify virtually via videoconference should email the staff contact for a link and instructions to do so.** Written comments may be sent to the Committee or staff email (below) and will be made a part of the record and available to all Councilors. The public may watch this hearing via live stream at www.boston.gov/city-council-tv and on Xfinity 8/RCN 82/Fios 964. This hearing will be recorded.

For the Committee:

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