

## **BOSTON CITY COUNCIL**

## Committee on Planning, Development and Transportation

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## COMMITTEE HEARING NOTICE

September 30, 2019

The Boston City Council's Committee on Planning, Development and Transportation will hold a public hearing on Thursday, October 17, 2019 at 11:00 AM in the Iannella Chamber, fifth floor, Boston City Hall.

The subject of the hearing is:

<u>Docket # 0545</u> – Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a the amount of Fifty-Eight Thousand Nine Hundred Sixteen Dollars (\$58,916.00) in the form of a Recreational Trails Program grant, awarded by the Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs/Department and Conservation and Recreation, to be administered by the Boston Transportation Department. The grant will fund additional expenses, fees, and professional services beyond what was originally anticipated for a new, accessible gateway and path in the Arnold Arboretum from the Bussey Street Underpass in Roslindale.

<u>Docket # 0665</u> – Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a the amount of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00) in the form of a grant awarded by the Boston Redevelopment Authority d/b/a the Boston Planning and Development Agency, pursuant to the 135 Morrissey Boulevard Cooperation Agreement. The purpose of the grant is to facilitate planning, design and capital improvements at and adjacent to the MBTA's JFK/UMASS Station.

<u>Docket # 0970</u> – Message and order authorizing the City of Boston to accept and expend a the amount of Two Hundred Sixty Thousand Dollars (\$260,000.00) in the form of a grant awarded by the Boston Redevelopment Authority d/b/a the Boston Planning and Development Agency, pursuant to the Winthrop Square Cooperation Agreement, One Post Office Square Cooperation Agreement and the 15-19 Congress Street Cooperation Agreement. The purpose of the grant is to facilitate planning and design for the Seaport to North Station Rapid Bus Corridor, which was identified in the Go Boston 2030 as a key future rapid bus corridor.

These matters are sponsored by the Mayor and were referred to the Committee on Planning, Development and Transportation # 0545 on 3/206/2019, # 0665 on 4/24/2019 and # 0970 on 6/19/2019.

Members of the public are cordially invited to attend and testify. If you have not testified at a Council hearing before, please arrive (5) minutes before the call of the hearing to sign up and become familiar with the hearing format, testimony locations, and sound system. Please bring fifteen (15) copies of any written documentation you wish to present at the hearing. If you know of others who may be interested in this hearing, kindly notify them. Written comments may be made part of the record and available to all Councilors by sending them by email, fax or

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