



City of Melrose Appropriations & Oversight Committee

Monday, April 27, 2026, 6:45 PM
City Council Chamber, 1st Floor
562 Main Street, Melrose, MA 02176

AGENDA

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I. CALL TO ORDER

Kimberly Vandiver	Vice Chair
Jason Chen	
Cal Finocchiaro	
Maya Jamaledine	
Manjula Karamcheti	
Elizabeth Kowal	
John Obremski	
Christopher Park	
Ryan Williams	
William Bradley Freeman	President, Ex Officio
Devin Romanul	Chair

II. MINUTES APPROVAL

Appropriations & Oversight Committee Meeting April 6, 2026 7:00 PM

III. PUBLIC COMMENT

When: Apr 27, 2026 06:45 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)
Topic: Appropriations & Oversight Committee Meeting

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IV. GRANTS

- A. **(ID # 2026-775):** Acceptance of a Climate Leaders Technical Assistance Grant in the amount of \$139,000
- B. **(ID # 2026-773):** Acceptance of a FY26 Firefighter Safety Equipment Grant in the amount of \$12,375.87

V. ORDERS

- A. **(ID # 2026-749):** Informational order - Affordable Housing Trust Fund Board Update
- B. **(ID # 2026-774):** That the City Council authorize the Mayor to enter into an Intermunicipal Agreement (IMA) for establishing a regional Animal Control Officer position in partnership with the Towns of Wakefield and Stoneham.

VI. ADJOURNMENT

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