



# City of Melrose

## Appropriations & Oversight Committee

Thursday, September 3, 2026, 8:00 PM  
City Council Chamber, 1st Floor  
562 Main Street, Melrose, MA 02176

### AGENDA

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#### I. CALL TO ORDER

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|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| 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

A. Appropriations & Oversight Committee Meeting August 17, 2026 7:15 PM

#### III. PUBLIC COMMENT

When: Sep 3, 2026 08:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)  
Topic: Appropriations & Oversight Committee Meeting

Join from PC, Mac, iPad, or Android:

<https://cityofmelrose-org.zoom.us/j/97144838666?pwd=lyhGQBOFjvHz9d8GFBnG4JgKfLwLFt.1>

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#### **IV. GRANTS**

- A. **(ID # 2026-1619):** Acceptance of a Massachusetts Gaming Commission Community Mitigation Fund Grant in the amount of \$51,300.
- B. **(ID # 2026-1618):** Acceptance of 2026 Green Communities Grant in the amount of \$122,081.

#### **V. ORDERS**

- A. **(ID # 2026-1620):** Acceptance of Donated Parcel for Conservation Purposes

#### **VI. ADJOURNMENT**

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